



OCSA names Andy Zidron and Jared Embick 2025 Men's Co-Coaches of the Year

The Ohio Collegiate Soccer Association (OCSA) has named the College of Wooster's Andy Zidron and University of Akron's Jared Embick their 2025 Men's Co-Coaches of the Year.

Zidron led The Fighting Scots an 11-2-6 record and a No. 3 seed into the North Coast Athletic Conference (NCAC) tournament. The 11 wins were the program's most since 2004 and the program's first double-digit win season since 2006. It also was the program's first trip to the conference tournament since 2004 and their fourth overall. In addition to the OCSA award, Zidron was also part of the NCAC's and United Soccer Coaches Region VII Staff of the Year.

Under Embick Akron finished the season 13-5-3 winning the Big East Conference's Midwest Division title for the second consecutive season. The Zips made the NCAA Tournament for the program's 37th time and made a run to the Elite Eight before falling to St Louis 3-2. With Embick at the helm Akron has won seven regular season conference titles, six conference tournament titles, 10 NCAA Tournament appearances and 3 College Cup appearances

The Ohio Collegiate Soccer Association, founded in 1953, includes all divisions of College Soccer in Ohio with a membership over 100 Men's and Women's Soccer programs.



Andy Zidron



Jared Embick