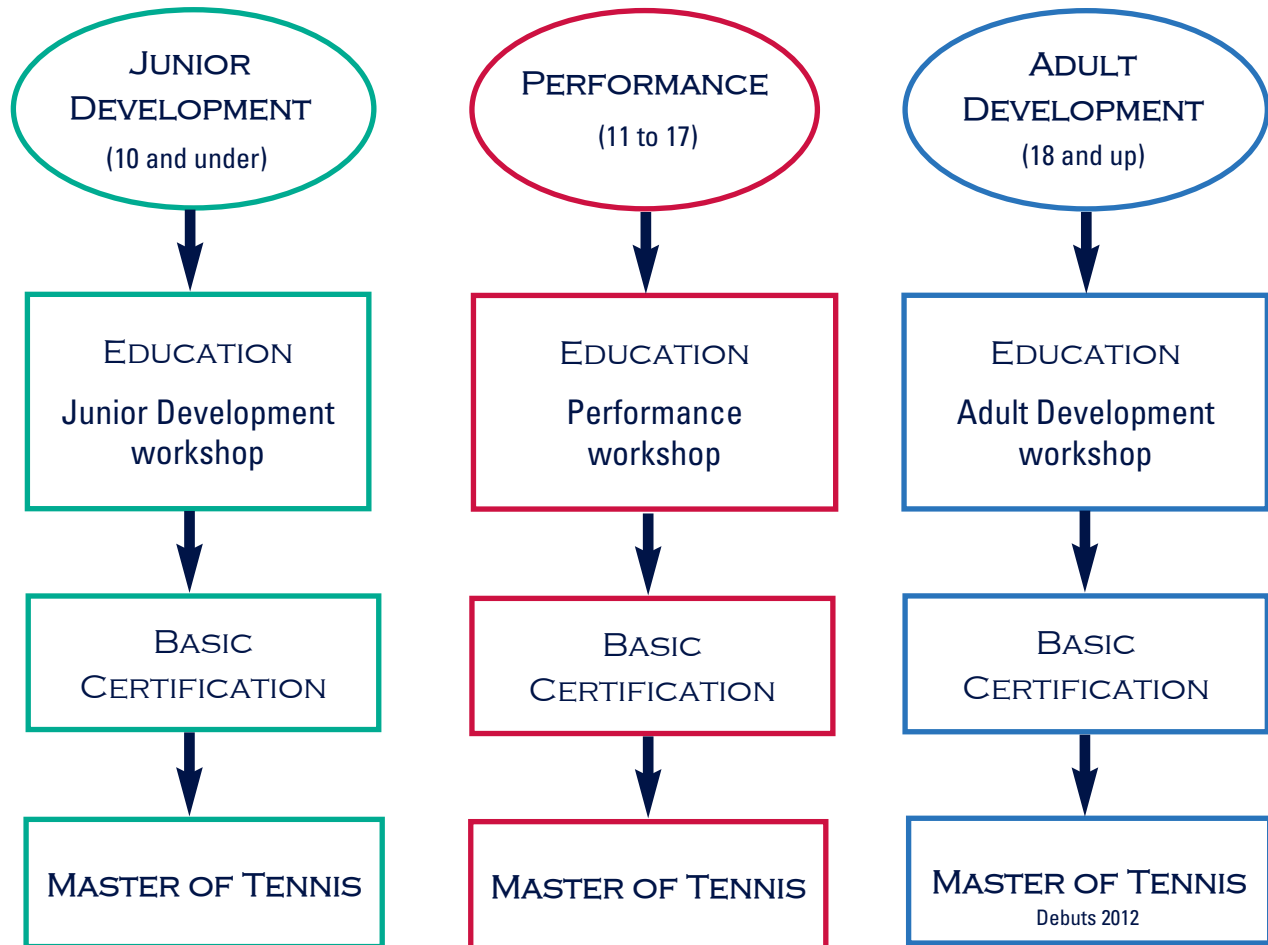




The largest global organization of tennis teachers and coaches has developed new Education & Certification Pathways in four specific areas, some with external accreditation

Select the pathway(s) that best fits who you teach or who you would like to teach



*(See other side for complete descriptions of each pathway)*

**200+ Hours of Education for each Master of Tennis**  
On court, Classroom and Online



**PTR Master of Tennis - Performance External Accreditations**  
National Council for Accreditation of Coaching Education (NCACE) at Level 5  
US Sports Academy Continuing Education Unit (5 CEUs)



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## **PTR Junior Development Certification Workshop**

(10 and under)

PTR is the only tennis teaching organization that provides certification for Junior Development in the United States. The Junior Development Workshop emphasizes the importance of creating a coaching environment in which junior players can learn to play quickly. The course is divided into two parts: a 4 hour preparation from the 78 page online study guide followed by an 8 hour on court workshop. The workshop prepares participants for the completion of the four part certification exam. Two parts of the exam are administered on court at the completion of the workshop - skills and teaching exams. The remaining two parts of the exam - stroke analysis and the written test - need to be completed online within 10 days of completing the workshop.

### **Elements of the Certification Workshop**

- Communication and organization skills for the coach
  - Structure and content of tennis lessons
  - Skills and game development for juniors
- Serve, rally and score as quickly as possible
- Appropriate competition for different ages
- Information for working positively with parents

## **PTR Performance Certification Workshop**

(11 to 17)

The Performance Certification Workshop is for coaches who aspire to work with young players with potential. The course is divided into two parts: 4 hours of online preparation with a study guide followed by a 12 hour on court workshop. The course prepares participants for the four part certification exam. Testing will be administered at the completion of the workshop.

### **Elements of the Certification Workshop**

- To learn, create and develop a performance environment
- To design club programs that meet the needs of all players of potential
  - Communication and organization skills
- Basics of performance technical skills and game development
  - Age appropriate competitive skills
  - Working with parents

## **PTR Adult Development Certification Workshop**

(18 and up)

PTR is the only organization that provides on court training workshops in the United States to help you prepare for certification. PTR's Adult Development Certification Workshop is the industry leader in professional tennis teaching. The workshop is conducted on court with emphasis on the fundamentals of teaching group lessons, the development of biomechanically sound strokes, stroke analysis and corrections, and the logistics of organizing group drills. The course will prepare members for the five part certification exam. Certification testing will be administered at the conclusion of the workshop.

### **Elements of the Certification Workshop**

- To demonstrate and actively learn PTR's process for group lessons
- To display and discuss successful stroke analysis and corrections that can be applied to common stroke problems
  - To demonstrate specialty shot teaching progressions
  - To focus on qualities essential for successful coaching

## **PTR Master of Tennis - Junior Development, Adult Development or Performance**

PTR Master of Tennis programs are designed to develop the knowledge and expertise of coaches to the highest and most comprehensive level in all aspects of coaching. The coach must already hold the Basic Certification at the Professional level for the appropriate pathway and meet the necessary requirements for Master of Tennis coursework. Each program has 18 courses, which are a mixture of online learning and home study, together with attending two on site modules of group study, and on court work with players. The coach must complete the program within two years. Assessment is continuous throughout the program emphasizing on court coaching, planning, worksheets, video analysis and project completion.

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