

# 2008 Major League Soccer SuperDraft

## Draft recap featuring USL experience of selections

Pick	Round 1	Player	Pos.	USL Experience (PDL unless noted)
1	KC	<a href="#">Chance Myers</a>	D	Ventura County Fusion 2007: 11 gp, 943 min, 3 a
2	Dallas	<a href="#">Brek Shea</a>	M/D	
3	RSL	<a href="#">Anthony Beltran</a>	M/D	Los Angeles Storm 2007: 3 gp, 176 min
4	LA	<a href="#">Sean Franklin</a>	M/D	San Fernando Valley Quakes 2006-07: 31 gp, 2744 min, 4 g, 9 a – All-Conference honors in 2007
5	Colorado	<a href="#">Ciaran O'Brien</a>	M	Tacoma Tide 2007: 15 gp, 1267 min, 7 g, 5 a – All-League, All-Conference honors, brother of former USL-1 MVP Leighton O'Brien (NE's 3 <sup>rd</sup> Rd pick in 1999)
6	Columbus	<a href="#">Andy Iro</a>	D	
7	Chicago	<a href="#">Patrick Nyarko</a>	F	
8	Dallas	<a href="#">Josh Lambo</a>	GK	Chicago Magic SYL: Led U14 team to 2005 SYL Championship match, shutting out opposition in two group games and the semi before falling 1-0 in final; Led U14 team to 2004 SYL Championship match, winning all 3 group games (2 ga) and the semifinal 3-2 before falling in penalties (4-2) to Schulz Academy in 0-0 final.
9	Toronto	<a href="#">Julius James</a>	D	Westchester Flames 2006: 3 gp, 185 min
10	Toronto	<a href="#">Pat Phelan</a>	M	
11	KC	Roger Espinosa		
12	Chicago	<a href="#">Dominic Cervi</a>	GK	Michigan Bucks 2006: 7 gp, 630 min, 9 ga, 1.29 gaa, 4-1-2 w-l-d, 1 so
13	NE	<a href="#">Rob Valentino</a>	D	San Jose Frogs 2007: 5 gp, 382 min
14	RSL	<a href="#">David Horst</a>	D	Hampton Roads Piranhas 2007: 16 gp, 1440 min – PDL Defender of the Year, All-League, All-Conference honors, undefeated regular season & regular season champions, helped team post league-record shutout streak (10 games), finishing with only 6 ga for season while playing every minute (16 games) Virginia Beach Submariners 2006: 14 gp, 1231 min, 1 g – All-League, All-Conference honors Reading Rage 2005: 15 gp, 1400 min, 1 g – All-Conference honors
Pick	Round 2	Player	Position	USL Experience (PDL unless noted)
15	San Jose	<a href="#">Shea Salinas</a>	M	Carolina Dynamo 2007: 13 gp, 994 min, 7 g, 4 a – All-Conference honors DFW Tornados 2005-06: 14 gp, 726 min, 3 g, 1 a
16	NY	<a href="#">Eric Brunner</a>	D	Michigan Bucks 2007: 8 gp, 675 min, 2 g – started all four PDL playoff games, including Championship match
17	RSL	<a href="#">Alex Nimo</a>	M	
18	NE	<a href="#">Michael Videira</a>	M	Carolina RailHawks U23 2007: 9 gp, 760 min, 1 g, 1 a Raleigh CASL Elite 2006: 5 gp, 450 min, 2 g
19	Dallas	<a href="#">Eric Avila</a>	M	Ventura County Fusion 2007: 10 gp, 685 min, 1 g, 3 a San Fernando Valley Quakes 2006: 3 gp, 228 min

20	Columbus	<b>George Josten</b>	F/M	Michigan Bucks 2007: 7 gp, 110 min, 1 a
21	LA	<b>Ely Allen</b>	F	
22	Dallas	<b>Ricardo Pierre-Louis</b>	F	Cape Cod Crusaders 2007: 7 gp, 548 min, 6 g
23	KC	<b>Yomby William</b>	D	Hampton Roads Piranhas 2007: 1 gp, 90 min
24	DC	<b>Andrew Jacobson</b>	M	
25	KC	<b>Jonathan Leathers</b>	D	Atlanta Silverbacks U23 2007: 13 gp, 1170 min, 1 a – All-Conference honors Augusta FireBall United 2005-06: 26 gp, 2261 min
26	Chicago	<b>Peter Lowry</b>	M	San Jose Frogs 2007: 3 gp, 231 min Colorado Rapids U23 2005-06: 11 gp, 506 min, 1 g, 1 a
27	NE	<b>Joe Germanese</b>	M	Carolina RailHawks U23 2007: 15 gp, 1020 min, 2 g, 4 a
28	LA	<b>Brian Edwards</b>	GK	Carolina Dynamo 2004-05, 07: 23 gp, 2016 min, 37 ga, 1.65 gaa, 12-8-3 w-l-d, 5 so
<b>Pick</b>	<b>Round 3</b>	<b>Player</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>USL Experience (PDL unless noted)</b>
29	LA	<b>Julian Valentin</b>	D	Raleigh CASL Elite 2005: 7 gp, 650 min
30	Toronto	<b>Mike Zaher</b>	D	San Fernando Valley Quakes 2006-07: 21 gp, 1598 min, 1 g, 3 a Colorado Rapids U23 2005: 6 gp, 349 min, 2 g
31	Dallas	<b>Ryan Miller</b>	D	Indiana Invaders 2005-07: 15 gp, 1230 min, 1 g, 1 a
32	NY	<b>Luke Sassano</b>	M/D	San Jose Frogs 2007: 13 gp, 974 min, 1 a – All-Conference honors San Francisco Seals 2006: 12 gp, 784 min, 2 g, 1 a
33	DC	<b>Ryan Cordeiro</b>	F	
34	LA	<b>Matt Allen</b>	GK	Des Moines Menace 2007: 5 gp, 438 min, 10 ga, 2.05 gaa, 3-2-0 w-l-d, 1 so
35	Toronto	<b>Joseph Lapira</b>		Baton Rouge Capitals 2007: 7 gp, 563 min, 3 g, 1 a Lafayette Swamp Cats 2004: 2 gp, 198 min Louisiana Outlaws 2003: 4 gp, 360 min, 1 g
36	Colorado	<b>Adrian Chevannes</b>	D	
37	RSL	Brennon Tennelle		Bakersfield Brigade 2006: 3 gp, 55 min, 1 a
38	Chicago	Dwight Barnett	F	Cape Cod Crusaders 2006-07: 30 gp, 2439 min, 24 g, 6 a – undefeated regular season in 2006, 2007 All-Conference honors Westchester Flames 2005: 11 gp, 985 min, 1 g, 4 a
39	KC	Matt Marquess	D/F	San Jose Frogs 2007: 4 gp, 226 min
40	Chicago	Javier Ayala Hill	F	San Jose Frogs 2007: 8 gp, 318 min
41	NE	<b>Matthew Britner</b>	D	Rhode Island Stingrays 2006: 16 gp, 1404 min, 1 a
42	Houston	<b>Geoff Cameron</b>	M	Rhode Island Stingrays 2005-07: 33 gp, 2591 min, 8 g, 2 a – All-Conference honors in 2006
<b>Pick</b>	<b>Round 4</b>	<b>Player</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>USL Experience (PDL unless noted)</b>
43	Chivas USA	<b>Keith Savage</b>	M	Central Florida Kraze 2006-07: 22 gp, 1614 min, 12 g, 3 a

44	NY	<b>David Roth</b>	M	Chicago Fire Premier 2006-07: 19 gp, 1501 min, 6 g, 6 a
45	Dallas	Jamil Roberts		
46	LA	Brendon McDonald		San Jose Frogs 2007: 10 gp, 793 min, 1 a San Francisco Seals 2006: 5 gp, 275 min, 1 a
47	Colorado	<b>Brian Grazier</b>	M	
48	Columbus	Steven Lenhart		Southern California Seahorses 2007: 6 gp, 441 min, 3 g
49	Colorado	<b>Scott Campbell</b>	M	
50	Dallas	Ben Nason		
51	LA	<b>Matt Hatzke</b>	M/D	
52	DC	Tony Schmitz		
53	KC	<b>Rauwshan McKenzie</b>	D	Chicago Fire Premier 2007: 12 gp, 1010 min Michigan Bucks 2005-06: 13 gp, 820 min, 1 g, 1 a
54	Chicago	Austin Washington	D	Spokane Spiders 2007: 6 gp, 483 min Colorado Rapids U23 2006: 15 gp, 1208 Spokane Shadow 2004-05: 22 gp, 1821 min
55	NE	Spencer Wadsworth	M	Raleigh CASL Elite 2005-06: 24 gp, 1534 min, 10 g, 10 a
56	Houston	<b>Jeremy Barlow</b>	M	