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2025-26

Hartmayer Memorial, Tolland County & UCONN Championships

\$1,000+ in Guaranteed Prizes and Trophy Awards!
CSCA Grand Prix; Collegiate Venue; Live DGT Broadcast; On-site Dining

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Date/Time: Saturday, March 7, 2026; Round 1 at 11:00 AM, then ASAP.
[Online](#) and onsite registrations end 11:30 AM.

Location: University of Connecticut, School of Engineering, Storrs, CT 06269

Sec/Rds/TC/Byes: Open (see Note [1]), U2000, U1300, U800, NER; 4 Rounds Swiss,
Open & U2000: G/45+10, Others: G/30+10; NE and USCF-rated, NER NE-rated;
One ½ pt bye in Rds 1-3; Discretionary bye/pairing for entries after 9 AM.

Grand Prix: 20 Enhanced [CSCA Grand Prix](#) Points.

Prizes: Open: \$250-150, \$100 to Top U2200. U2000: \$200-100, \$100 to Top U1600.
U1300/U800/NER: Trophies to Top 3, Top U1000 in U1300, U500 and U300 in
U800. LTD Thomas Hartmayer Memorial Prize: \$100 & Plaque to Top Upset
overall. Trophies to Open/U2000 winners and Top UCONN player. Trophies to 3-
point or better results and medals to non-placing players. Cash prizes via PayPal.

Tie break: Tie break on 4-0-0 ties: a) G/10+3 game; if drawn, b) G/3+2 game; if drawn, c)
G/5/4+2 game. Seeding, color by USCF tiebreaks. Does not affect money prizes.

Entry Fee: [Register online](#); \$45 by 2/25, \$55 by 3/3, \$65 by 3/5, \$80 thereafter. GM/IM
FREE by 2/25, then from prizes. Titled and U1300/U800/NER: \$10 less.
Member/sibling/senior/veteran/hardship discounts, email us for discount code.

Notes: [1] **Open Section.** Players rated under 2000 are not permitted in the Open unless they are older than 18 years and rated over 1800. The organizer in its sole discretion may waive this requirement. [2] **Prizes & tax requirements.** All prizes are paid via PayPal. Players winning \$600 or more in a calendar year must submit a W-9 to events.CSCA@gmail.com. [3] **Refunds/Cancellation Policy:** To withdraw and request a refund, players MUST email their request to events.CSCA@gmail.com no later than Mar 4 at 11:59 PM. Refund requests not emailed or received after deadline, will not be honored. Refunds are subject to \$20 administrative fee. [4] **Unauthorized solicitation is prohibited.** CSCA [Promotion Policy at CSCA Tournaments & Events](#) is in effect. Please contact the CSCA for advertising and promotional opportunities.