

The NEISA Awards Committee comprised of David Thompson (Chair), Frank Pizzo, Stan Schreyer, Michael Kalin, William Healy, honor outstanding performances of NEISA Sailors in the weekly Sailor of the Week Releases and through the All NEISA Teams. NEISA's representation on the All-American Committee comes from the NEISA Awards Committee. In 2017, Frank Pizzo, John Mollicone, and Amanda Callahan were NEISA's representatives on the All-American Committee; 30 of the conference's sailors were named to the All-America Team. The committee works hard to ensure NEISA's top performers are well represented in these post season awards.

In 2017, we created the NEISA watch lists for Coed Sailor of the Year, Women's Sailor of the Year, Babineau Crew of the Year, Women's Crew of the Year, Coed and Women's Rookie of the Year. The watch lists included the top sailors from NEISA based on results through weekend #10 in the spring. The goal of the watch list is to get more recognition for sailors from their institutions.

Looking ahead to 2018, we encourage sailors and coaches to continue to nominate sailors that they think deserve Sailors of the Week recognition. We will not award Sailors of the Week during the spring season on Conference Championships weekends. We will continue to solicit forms for All NEISA Crews at least a week before the Reed Trophy.