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Revolution Homegrown M Cristiano Oliveira Called Up to United States U-18 National Team

Somerville, Mass. native named to roster for 29th Lisbon International Tournament

FOXBOROUGH, Mass. (March 20, 2026) – New England Revolution midfielder **Cristiano Oliveira** has earned his first call-up to the U.S. Under-18 National Team. Oliveira is one of 20 players selected by coach Jeremy Hall for upcoming the Lisbon International Tournament, with matches against Iceland U-18 (March 26), Morocco U-18 (March 28), and Portugal U-18 (March 31).



PHOTOS: Cristiano Oliveira 2026 Season

Oliveira, 17, makes his first U.S. U-18 Men's National Team roster after previously representing the United States at the U-15, U-16, and U-17 levels. The Somerville, Mass. native earned three caps for the U.S. U-17 side during the 2025 Concacaf U-17 Championship. In his lone start, Oliveira tallied his first international goal as part of a 7-0 victory over St. Kitts & Nevis. Oliveira also participated in various training camps with the U-15 and U-16 squads.

Awaiting his MLS debut, Oliveira has seen consistent action with Revolution II this season, starting all three MLS NEXT Pro matches and recording one assist. Over three seasons with Revs II, Oliveira has started 31 of his 37 appearances, collecting five goals and three assists. The midfielder made his first team debut last season in U.S. Open Cup action, tallying the game-winning goal off the bench at Rhode Island FC in his first senior action.

The Revolution hit the road on Saturday, March 21 to face St. Louis CITY SC at Energizer Park. The 8:30 p.m. ET kickoff airs live on **Apple TV** in both English and Spanish. Listen to the local radio calls on 98.5 The Sports Hub (WBZ-FM) and 1260 AM Nossa Radio USA (Portuguese).



United States U-18

2026 Torneio Internacional de Lisboa

March 26 vs. Iceland U-18

7:00 a.m. ET

March 28 vs. Morocco U-18

2:00 p.m. ET

March 31 vs. Portugal U-18

9:00 a.m. ET



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The New England Revolution, owned and operated by the Kraft family, began play in 1996 as one of the original founding clubs of Major League Soccer (MLS). Through 30 MLS seasons, the Revolution are five-time MLS Eastern Conference champions and claimed the 2021 Supporters' Shield after a record-setting campaign. New England also won the 2008 North American SuperLiga and 2007 Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup titles. The Revolution play their home matches at Gillette Stadium in Foxborough, Mass. The club and its acclaimed pro pathway, including Revolution II (MLS NEXT Pro) and the Revolution Academy, are headquartered at the Revolution Training Center, which opened ahead of the 2020 season.

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