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Delaware Investments® U.S. Open Squash Championships wins the Women's Squash Association Tournament of the Year Award

PHILADELPHIA, March 31, 2014 — The Delaware Investments U.S. Open Squash Championships was recently voted Tournament of the Year by the Women's Squash Association (WSA). Tournament of the Year is voted by the entire WSA membership; players look at the organization, presentation, media, innovation, and atmosphere of every event.

The Delaware Investments U.S. Open is the only professional squash tournament to offer equal prize money to both male and female players, likely a contributing factor to its success and recognition among the WSA.

"We're honored to be part of a sport that embodies several of our core values at Delaware Investments – discipline, concentration, and preparation, just to name a few. But we're particularly proud to sponsor this tournament because it also represents fairness and gender equality," said Patrick Coyne, president of Delaware Investments.

Since 2011, Delaware Investments has been the title sponsor of the Philadelphia-based tournament, which takes place in October at Drexel University's Daskalakis Athletic Center.

"I'm so glad to see the tournament get this well-deserved recognition," said Kasey Brown, WSA president and internationally ranked squash player. "It's a great event – always a good crowd, and the players feel welcome and comfortable. The prize money is another key factor for the WSA – offering equal opportunity and incentive for women to play the game is so important, and it's clearly a priority for Delaware Investments and U.S. Squash."

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