

FIFA Ballon d'Or nominees

European champions Barcelona have eight nominees for 2011 Player of the Year – including two-time winner Lionel Messi. The awards ceremony is in Zurich on January 9



Spain: Alonso, Casillas, Fabregas, Iniesta, Pique, Villa, Xavi

Germany
Muller, Ozil, Schweinsteiger

Argentina
Aguero, Messi

Brazil
Alves, Neymar

France
Abidal, Benzema

Portugal
Ronaldo, Nani

Holland
Sneijder

England

Rooney

Cameroon

Eto'o

Uruguay: Forlan, Suarez