**NAYDO Young Professionals**

**Class of 2021 Application Form**

**April 14-16, 2021**

# Deadline: December 4, 2020

Applications accepted after this date on a case by case basis; if you were selected for the Class of 2020, you do NOT need to reapply.

**Application Process**

**Step 1:** Register for the conference after making sure your YMCA is an Association Member and/or you are a Virtual Training Subscriber and your 31st birthday is prior to August 31, 2021.

**Step 2:**  Complete this Young Professionals Application form.

Supervisor must sign and complete form with you.

**Step 3:**  Complete steps 1-2 by the December 4, 2020, deadline.

**Step 4:** You will be notified by email in late December 2020 of your status.

# For questions or more information, contact:

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**Part I: Personal Information**

**Name:**

Current YMCA Position Title:

Brief description of job responsibilities:

Length of time in this position:

Length of time involved in the YMCA: \_\_\_\_ (mark as many as apply)

Child/Youth or Teen Program Participant Part Time Staff

Current or past YMCA Volunteer Full Time Staff

Length of time involved in financial development OR communications OUTSIDE of the YMCA: \_\_\_\_

Description of work:

YMCA Association Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Branch Name (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

City:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Province/State: \_\_\_\_

Postal/Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: ( )\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever attended a NAYDO Conference before?

Yes\_\_\_\_ No\_\_\_\_

If YES, list year(s) or cities below:

# Part II: Personal Goals

Please indicate the 3 areas in which you would like to increase your knowledge and/or improve your skill level as 1, 2, and 3 in priority order.

* \_\_\_Develop an effective Annual Campaign including recruitment and training of campaigners
* \_\_\_Learn the steps to developing, launching and running a successful Capital Campaign
* \_\_\_Build a Major Gifts program for your YMCA that is donor-centered and focused on relationship building
* \_\_\_Create and deliver comprehensive Marketing and Communications strategies to more effectively share the YMCA story with stakeholders
* \_\_\_Gain a better understanding of the profile of a strong fundraising Board and the volunteer's role in fostering a culture of philanthropy
* \_\_\_Engage with Volunteers to foster better relationships, as well as clearly define roles, expectations and philanthropic commitment
* \_\_\_Understand how to create and grow a Planned Giving program
* \_\_\_Other (please describe)

# Part III: Personal Impact

In a paragraph below, describe what impact you believe you could have on creating or supporting a culture of philanthropy at your YMCA through your participation in the NAYDO Conference and, in particular, the Young Professionals Program.

# Part IV: Understanding of Process and Expectations

To complete the application process for the NAYDO Young Professionals Program, please read and sign below confirming that you understand the following conditions:

* I have registered online for the 2021 NAYDO Conference. I am aware that there is no additional fee for my participation in the Young Professionals Class of 2021 but it does require my YMCA to pay the conference registration fee that all attendees pay.
* I understand I will be notified by email in late December 2020 of the status of my application and will need to confirm acceptance by email.
* As a participant in the Class of 2021, I am authorizing use of my comments in NAYDO promotional pieces including e-blasts, website, brochure, E-Developments newsletter, the mobile app and other applicable communications.
* I understand that space is limited in the Young Professionals Class of 2021 and even if I meet all criteria and submit this application by the December 4, 2020 deadline it is possible, I may not be selected.

Date of Signatures:

Applicant's E-Signature

Supervisor’s E-Signature

Supervisor’s Name & Title

Supervisor’s Phone ( )

Supervisor's Recommendation Comments (REQUIRED):

Mail or scan and email this form by December 4, 2020 to:

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