



Midwest Young Artists

2014-2015 YOUNG PROFESSIONALS BOARD OF DIRECTORS APPLICATION

Thank you for your interest in joining MYA's Young Professionals Board! Please fill out the following information and send it back **along with your resume** to Ben Rusch at benrusch@mya.org or fax to (847)-926-4787. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call (847)-926-9898.

General Information:

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Contact Phone Number _____

Email _____

Date of Birth _____

Employer _____

Occupation _____

Job Title _____

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Personal Information/Questionnaire:

- 1) Please describe why you want to be on MYA's Young Professionals Board.

- 2) Please describe your past or present involvement with performing arts.

- 3) What specific strengths or skills will you bring to MYA's Young Professionals Board?

- 4) How did you hear about MYA's Young Professionals Board?

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Midwest Young Artists' Young Professionals Board Expectations:

The MYA Young Professionals (YP) Board is a group of promising young leaders between the ages of 25 and 40 who share the same love and passion for youth performing arts. The Young Professionals Board's focus is to help raise visibility of Midwest Young Artists' mission and support the programs through fundraising and mentoring. Its members also desire to broaden their appreciation and exposure to live classical and jazz music.

If chosen to be on the YP Board, you will be expected to serve a minimum of two (2) years. Additionally, an MYA YP Board Member is expected to annually fulfill the following requirements:

- Actively attend Young Professionals Board Meetings
 - Held six (6) times out of the year
 - Meetings are held at the MYA Center
- An annual contribution of \$100 (or more) donation.
- Attend at least one of the big concerts (dates to be updated for 2015-16 season)
- Attend at least one of the small concerts
 - Music at the Fort Series, Sunday Soirees, etc.
- Volunteer for one of the committees
 - Auction Committee
 - Marketing and Visibility Committee
 - Build the Future Campaign Committee
- Host social events for fundraising and networking

Benefits of being on a Young Professionals Board:

- A complimentary ticket to a concert
- Discounted tickets to the Annual Benefit
- Become a positive role model for the youth
- Excellent networking opportunities
- Community involvement
- Develop leadership roles
- Learn more about performing art education
- Connect with the other YP Board Members and the Board of Directors

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