



BELONG MEMBERSHIP

YOUR KEY TO FULLY EXPERIENCING YCP

JOIN THE NATION'S LARGEST YOUNG PROFESSIONAL CATHOLIC NETWORK

Welcome! We are so excited you are here. YCP is your community for faith, career, and life connections.

By joining the Young Catholic Professionals network, you've become part of a growing movement of thousands of young professionals across the country who are building lives rooted in Catholic values together.

Through your Belong membership, you now have access to the relationships, resources, and experiences designed to support your journey spiritually, professionally, and personally.

What Awaits You Through Belong

Your membership is designed to help you grow in five key areas of connection:

- **Friendship** with like-minded young professionals
- **Career Connections** with those who share your values
- **Vocational** support through discernment and encouragement
- **Spiritual Guidance** from chaplains and Catholic leaders
- **Mentorship** from experienced Catholic professionals

As a **Belong Member**, you receive:

- Access to exclusive in-person events and member-only networking opportunities
- One-on-one mentorship with seasoned Catholic executives
- Access to our online national Catholic network and extensive member directory
- Interactive Sounding Board events with Catholic industry leaders
- Virtual professional development sessions
- A curated library of career and spiritual development content
- Access to the YCP mobile app
- Exclusive discount to the annual YCP National Conference

"I thought it was just a few friends and I who took the Faith seriously. I was wrong. There are more young practicing Catholics than most know about. And there are more young Catholics who need to know about YCP."

- Vincent Robert Browne, Director of Finance, YCP NYC



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Quick Start Checklist: How to Get Connected

To help you make the most of your membership, we recommend completing the following steps:

1. Come to a YCP Event

Engage with your local and national YCP community

- Browse the YCP event calendar
- Register for local or virtual events
- Consider attending the YCP national conference

2. Grow Through Mentorship

Receive guidance from experienced Catholic professionals

- Create your MentorCloud account and profile
- Browse our mentor network
- Connect with a mentor and kickoff the relationship
- Learn more on the mentorship page in your portal

3. Build Community and Connections

Meet fellow members and stay connected to the YCP network

- Download the YCP App from Google Play or Apple Store
- Introduce yourself in the Community and start building relationships
- Leverage the network for your professional and spiritual needs

4. Create Meaningful Work

Embrace your work as an opportunity to glorify God

- Integrate prayer into your work day
- Share or seek job opportunities in our Jobs & Hiring group
- Pursue career coaching for greater clarity and direction

5. Learn and Grow On-Demand

Enrich your formation with relevant, faith-integrated content

- Explore the YCP content library in the Belong portal
- Watch featured courses and conference keynotes



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Career Coaching Perks

Through our partnership with Kelley A. Fluty, a Certified Professional Coach and Catholic leader, you'll have access to individualized guidance to help you succeed professionally without compromising your spiritual peace.

Belong Members Receive:

- One complimentary coaching session
- \$300 off a personalized coaching program

All members also receive email access to Kelley for curated recommendations and career support.

Signing Up for Mentorship

Mentorship is one of the most important and transformational offerings of your Belong membership. Follow the steps below to set up your MentorCloud profile and get started.

1. Log into your online Belong portal by going to our website (youngcatholicprofessionals.org) and clicking the yellow **Login** button in the top right hand corner.
2. Use your YCP Belong credentials to log in. Once inside the portal, use the top navigation bar to go to Benefits > Mentorship.
3. Scroll down to where it says "UNLOCK YOUR POTENTIAL THROUGH MENTORSHIP," and click on the **New Mentees** button.
4. This will take you to a page to set up your MentorCloud profile. Once you've set up your profile, you can use the **Already on MentorCloud** link to seamlessly log into MentorCloud from your Belong portal in the future.
5. Once you've completed your MentorCloud profile, you can start connecting with mentors! Use the filters to help you find what you're looking for (Chapter City, Areas of Interest, Industry, etc.).
6. Check out the mentorship resources in the Belong portal to help you as you set up this new relationship for success.

This is just the beginning of your Belong membership. We are honored to walk alongside you as you Work in Witness for Christ.

Welcome again to Belong.
The YCP Team