

YOUNG PROFESSIONALS ADVISORY BOARD



The UP Education Network Young Professionals Advisory Board (YPAB) is a dynamic group of professionals dedicated to volunteering their time, resources, energy and talents in service of UP Education Network (UPEN) and its UP Academy schools. Members of the YPAB have an opportunity to serve as ambassadors and advocates for UP while also gaining leadership experience in support of their own personal and professional goals.

Membership Benefits:

- Positively impact students, families and communities by supporting UP's work in creating exceptional learning environments across Massachusetts
- Gain hands-on experience in Board leadership and governance
- Expand your network of like-minded peers in the Greater Boston area

Characteristics of Ideal YPAB Members:

- Possess a strong network in the Greater Boston area and a willingness to make connections on behalf of and actively expand UP Education Network's base of support
- Empowered to facilitate exposure and engagement to a wide array of career pathways, including in STEM, for students
- Have the personal capacity and willingness to make a meaningful contribution in support of our work, through fundraising and volunteer opportunities
- Demonstrates a passion for UP Education Network's mission and an interest in fundraising

Membership Responsibilities:

- Contribute or raise a minimum of \$500 per year for UP Education Network through any source (i.e., individual contributions, matching gifts, organizing UP fundraising events, etc.)
- Attend or dial into quarterly YPAB meetings
- Regularly attend and invite others to YPAB fundraising, social and volunteer events

All potential candidates for the YPAB will first meet with a member of UP's Development team followed by meeting with a member of the YPAB membership committee. To learn more or to get involved, please contact Julianna Quinlan, Chief Development Officer at jquinlan@upeducationnetwork.org.