

Young Alumni Council Position Description

Mission: The Young Alumni Council will have a meaningful influence on the alumni experience of graduates of the last decade by helping to drive young alumni initiatives and connecting and communicating with young alumni to continue fostering their lifelong relationship with the university.

Purpose: By volunteering time, providing input, and encouraging peers to stay involved with IIT, council members are models for other young alumni. The Young Alumni Council works to sustain and build a lifelong relationship to IIT through engaging events, targeted peer outreach, rewarding volunteerism, and relevant and timely university updates.

Member expectations:

- Members are expected to participate in quarterly one-hour web-conference meetings, an annual on-campus meeting each fall during Homecoming weekend, and program meetings as needed.
- Terms are limited to two years. At the end of the first term, members can be considered for renewal for a second term.
- All Council members are expected to participate in at least one program, and as many as able and applicable (see attached)
- All Council members are expected to be annual donors to IIT. There is no minimum gift required. Members give as they are able and can direct their gifts as they choose.

Young Alumni Council programs (see attached):

- Student recruitment
- Career placement
- Regional engagement
- Nominations committee
- Giving/philanthropy (see comment on the Young Alumni Council Structure document)

Benefits of Young Alumni Council membership

- Enhance leadership skills
- Form new relationships and reconnect with IIT and your peers
- Participate in networking opportunities
- Impact young alumni programming
- Have fun!

If you have any questions about the Young Alumni Council, please contact Chanel Hampton, assistant director of alumni relations, at champto3@iit.edu or 312.567.5029.