

TAP Propel is a personal development program that focuses on two objectives: (1) helping motivated individuals set and achieve personal and professional goals and (2) developing the business skills that are often needed for success in the workplace. Through this program, its participants will have a chance to reflect on themselves and identify what skills they may want to develop further. TAP

Propel aims to help its participants grow as individuals so that they can lead more fulfilling lives.

Program Description

This year's TAP Propel program is focused on assisting young professionals in their early to mid-careers set realistic life goals and providing them means to accomplish them through focused skill development. We are seeking 8-10 committed individuals who will participate in monthly sessions over the next year to work on themselves and also their individual career and/or life goals.

TAP Propel will provide:

- A framework for setting and achieving personal and professional goals
- Opportunities to practice and develop skills
- Peer-to-Peer support and feedback
- A strong community that will hold each other accountable for their professional goals
- Guest Speakers on personal development and professional success
- Opportunities to meet other like-minded and motivated professionals from a diverse set of industries

Who are we looking for to join the program?

We are seeking young professionals who have working experience. All backgrounds are welcomed and encouraged. All we ask for is a strong interest in personal and professional growth.

Why should I join TAP Propel?

Are you looking for the next challenge in your career or life? Are you looking for a way to advance your professional skills? Propel offers you a way to focus on what you want in life. Personal Development isn't easy to do on your own. TAP Propel will help you jump start your goals.

What should I expect from the TAP Propel community?

To allow for the biggest impact for our participants, the program will consist of a small, committed group of people. The small group setting allows for active participation and meaningful feedback that are essential for development.

What is the time commitment?

We will meet on a monthly basis for 2-3 hours. There will be some "homework" and an assumed responsibility to work on personal goals.

How much does TAP Propel cost?

\$60 -- 100% of the proceeds will go directly towards TAP Propel and you, covering speakers, venue fees and snacks to keep you going!

For any questions and/or to apply for the TAP Propel program, contact:

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2016-2017 PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

WHAT ALUMNI ARE SAYING ABOUT THE TAP PROPEL:

"Propel gave me time to think deeply about my values and share my goals with a close-knit group. It helped me clarify my life mission and make meaningful connections with people of different perspectives."

> "Our monthly Propel meetings gave me different perspectives on areas such as success, values and talent!"

"Propel is the most "serious" fun I've ever had! It's a great group of intelligent, interesting and diverse people who get together to talk about life's challenges and opportunities."

"Propel gave me the courage to follow a less-traveled career path. Through one-on-one discussions with other participants and a presentation to the group, I was able to devise an action plan and quiet the self-doubt that had previously held me back."

THE MODERATORS:



KARL WANG

Karl is a naturally curious person who is excited to experience and figure out what life is all about! He spent several years doing life science management consulting before doing his current role, business development for a HealthIT start-up. Despite being a workaholic, in his spare time, he does Improv Comedy classes and aspires to get bigger by going to the gym (however, he is forever small). He majored in Quantitative Economics and minored in Entrepreneurial Leadership.



BRYAN CHOU

Bryan is a life-long learner and adventure seeker currently living and working in Boston. He works as a Landscape Architect specializing in designing public spaces and large scale art installations. When not at work, he can be found riding his bike around the city or pursuing challenging outdoor activities like climbing and trail running. In the past he has served on the ITASA executive board and TSA-UW President. He has a degree in Community and Environmental Planning from the University of Washington and has a Master of Landscape Architecture degree from Rhode Island School of Design.