

NAD Young Adult Ministries Advisory 2021 – Agenda



Date: Tuesday, Feb 23, 2021

Time: 12:00-1:30 pm (EST)

Place: Zoom Meeting Room

12:00 pm

1. Welcome & Prayer – Tracy Wood (10 Min)

- a. Introduction of NAD YA Core Team, Union Youth & YA Directors & Reps
- b. Young Adult LIFE – transition from “ministry to YAs” to “ministry with YAs”
 - i. based on 4 Church Revitalization Models (iCOR, GY, NCD, Next Steps)

12:10

2. Understanding the Young Adult LIFE Competencies – YA Core Team (10 min)

- a. L - Leadership Impact [Personal transformation & growth resulting in influence and legacy]
- b. I - Intergenerational Relationships [Fostering empathic, authentic, warm community]
- c. F - Faith Development [Nurturing Christ-centered spiritual growth]
- d. E - Everyday Compassion [Serving the immediate and eternal needs of others]
- e. **Breakout Discussion Questions (20 Min)**
 - i. Looking at the 4 YAL Competencies, which of the four most resonate with you as a mentor (whether peer-to-peer, or intergenerationally)?
 - ii. Are some of the YAL Competencies already being facilitated in your ministry with YAs?
 - iii. Which YAL Competencies need further explanation, support, and resources?

12:40 pm

3. Local Church Revitalization & Pastor Collaboration – (10 min)

- a. #GYA NPUC Cohort Report – Ben Lundquist
- b. #GYA *Creciendo Juntos* Spanish Cohort Development – Justin Yang
- c. **Breakout Discussion Questions (15 min)**
 - i. What can/do you do to involve young adults in the ministries of your church/es?
 - ii. What pastors/churches in your conference are looking for revitalization models or resources?
 - iii. What small group communities are already happening among the young adults you know?

1:05 pm

4. Conference & Union YA Advisories & Ministerial Collaboration – (10 Min)

- a. Developing YA Advisories – Tracy Wood, Justin Yang, Don Keele, Ben Lundquist
- b. **Breakout Discussion Questions (10 min)**
 - i. Who is responsible for church revitalization in your conference or union and what can you do to collaborate with them?
 - ii. What resources would be helpful for teaching Young Adult LIFE competencies with your YAs?
 - iii. Who can you partner with to create and share young adult ministry opportunities and/or responsibilities?

1:25 pm – Closeout & Prayer – Tracy Wood

5. Events

- a. Union YA Summits
 - i. Providing Young Adult LIFE Competencies Training at Union Summits
- b. Young Adult Ministries Webinars – what would you like to hear/learn about?
 - i. Spring Webinars
 - ii. Fall Webinars

6. Resources

- a. Young Adult LIFE
 - i. Paradigm Construct & Resources: <https://tinyurl.com/m9hekr4b>
 - ii. Playbook Training Course recordings: <https://oneteamplaybook.org/young-adult-leadership-development>
 - iii. NAD Young Adult Ministry Advisory [on Facebook]: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/NADYAMA>
 - iv. Young Adult LIFE [Facebook Page]: <https://www.facebook.com/NADYALIFE>
 - v. Young Adult LIFE Vimeo: <https://vimeo.com/youngadulthood>
 - vi. Young Adult LIFE YouTube [YPAC channel]: <https://www.youtube.com/user/YouthMinistryNAD>
- b. Growing Young Adventists
 - vii. Website: <https://growingyoungadventists.com/>
 - i. Facebook: <https://fb.com/growingyoungadventists>
 - ii. Instagram: https://www.instagram.com/gya_nad/
 - iii. Growing Together Podcast:
 - a) Apple: <https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/growing-together/id1519491663>
 - b) Spotify: <https://open.spotify.com/show/3X5imgs1W7Wkl8DQovUveq>
 - iv. NPUC Growing Young Cohort: <http://growingyoungcohort.com/>
 - v. Facebook Group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/GrowingYoungAdventists>
 - vi. Vimeo: <https://vimeo.com/showcase/7595472>
 - vii. AdventSource - Books and Resources: <https://www.adventsource.org/search?query=growing+young§ion=other>
 - viii. *Creciendo Juntos* (the *Growing Young* book in Spanish) <https://www.adventsource.org/store/pastors-resources/church-growth-and-evangelism/growing-young-spanish-40521>
- c. NEXTSTEPS
 - i. ALC Course: <http://nextsteps.youngadulthood.com>
 - ii. ALC Course [Spanish]: <http://ProximosPasos.YoungAdultLife.com>
 - iii. Facebook: <https://fb.com/SDAnextsteps>
 - iv. AdventSource - Resources: <https://www.adventsource.org/search?query=next+steps§ion=other>
 - v. AdventSource - Barna Group's Adventist Millennial Study: <https://www.adventsource.org/store/young-adults/new-leaders/adventist-millennial-study-pdf-38998>