



INAUGURAL YP4 ALUMNI CONVENING
JANUARY 16TH, 2015
RENAISSANCE CAPITOL VIEW HOTEL
2800 S POTOMAC AVE, ARLINGTON, VA 22202

9:00 AM – 9:30 AM

Breakfast

9:30 AM – 10:00 AM

Opening Remarks, Joy Lawson, Young People For Director

10:00 AM – 11:00 AM

Introductions & Networking

This session offers the opportunity to connect with each other which is fundamental to our goal of building a well-connected progressive movement.

11:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Alumni Work Showcase

The alumni work showcase is a speaker series done in the style of TED Talks. During this session, alumni will hear powerful, succinct stories of the social justice work alumni and former staff have done, and where the YP4 program has taken them.

Pushing Progressive Values within an Institution, Amanda Matos ('12)
Paying the Bills and Advancing Progressive Change, Calvin Williams
Progressive Values in Political Office and Campaigns, Ryan Hurst (FLLA '08)

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM

Lunch

This session offers the opportunity for alumni to expand their network through introduction to the inaugural class of Los Angeles Front Line Leaders Academy fellows.

1:00 PM – 2:00 PM

Alumni Work Showcase

Doing Progressive work in the Legal Field, Elizabeth Lamoste ('08)
Navigating Higher Education, Mike Woodward ('07 & FLLA '10)
Advancing Racial Equity, Terrance Laney (FLLA '12)

2:00 PM – 3:00 PM

Meet the 2014 YP4 Fellows

This interactive session introduces alumni to fellows from the current class.

3:00 PM – 3:30 PM

State of the Network, Andrew Gillum, Youth Leadership Director & Chagan Sanathu, Alumni Program Coordinator

3:30 PM – 4:00 PM

Opening Keynote, Dolores Huerta

4:00 PM – 5:30 PM

Strategic Visioning Session, Chagan Sanathu & Karen Schillinger, Coordinator of Member Advancement

In this session alumni will focus on visioning opportunities for alumni to stay connected with each other and build critical skills that contribute to their ability to advancing progressive change within their communities.

5:40 PM

Bus Leaves for Reception from Hotel Lobby

6:30 PM – 8:30 PM

5th Annual YP4 Awards Reception | Gompers Room at AFL-CIO
815 16th Street NW | Washington DC 20005

YP4 will honor progressives from across the country for their commitment to identifying, engaging, and empowering the newest generation of progressive leaders. This year YP4 will recognize the work of: **State Rep. Kevin Killer (SD)**, 2006 YP4 and 2006 Front Line Leaders Academy Fellow; **Amanda Matos**, 2012 Columbia University Fellow; **United We Dream**; and the **Frances Lear Foundation**.

