



SEPTEMBER 23RD-24TH

EVENT SCHEDULE

Wednesday

1:30pm

REGISTRATION OPENS

2:00pm – 2:50pm

SUMMIT INTRODUCTIONS & OPENING SESSION

Speaker: Governor Nikki Haley

3:00 – 4:30pm

SPEED NETWORKING

Moderator: Hannah Kuntz

Get to know other Young Professionals from across the state while learning how to effectively network!

YP ROUNDUP

Moderator: Charles Appleby

What are other YP groups up to? What is your YP organization doing that you should share with others? This session will feature blocks of time to focus on different areas to advance or start your young professional organization.

4:30 – 6:30pm

RECEPTION *sponsored by Elliott Davis Decosimo*

Thursday

8:00am – 9:00am

BREAKFAST & REGISTRATION *sponsored by SC Power Team*

9:00 – 9:50am

OPTIMIZING BUSINESS RELATIONSHIPS

Speaker: Adam Angulo, Angulo Consulting Associates

If you enjoyed the Speed Networking on Wednesday, or are a regular your local Chamber's after hours, then this session is for you. After a good conversation with a new contact, see how to develop that people into an optimal relationship.

REBUILDING MAIN STREET

Panelists: Charlie Barrineau, City of Greenwood; Jeff Graham, Camden City Council & Graham Reality, Inc;
Beppie LeGrand, MASC

Moderator: Moe Brown

How do we build community pride? Hear best practices and learnings directly from Mayors of towns both large and small from South Carolina alongside young professionals who have helped pave the way.



10:00 – 10:50am

INVESTING AS A YP

Speaker: Steven Hughes, Know Money

What to Know with 401K & ROTHs PLUS Non Traditional Investing (Rental Houses, etc)

WHY GETTING INVOLVED IN LOCAL GOVERNMENT IS IMPORTANT

Co-Presenters: Brian Newman, Columbia City Council and Josh Whitley, Berkley County Council

Moderator: Micah Caskey

Seats on Committees, Boards, etc. in local government are important ways to influence your community. This session will introduce you to a few options you probably have not heard of before.

11:00 – 11:50am

YP NONPROFIT EXPERIENCES

Panelists: John Boyanoski, Complete PR; Travis Dannelly, CresCom Bank; Lindsey Griffin, My Carolina Alumni Association; Chaka Smith, Start Tomorrow Today

Moderator: Jeff Lawler

Interested in getting involved with a nonprofit? This session will feature young professionals from around the state who have had diverse volunteer roles. You will get to hear their success stories along with a few things they wish they knew when getting started.

COMMUNICATING WITH THOSE ABOVE & BELOW YOU

Speaker: Michael Dodds, Transformational Concepts

Ever feel like you are speaking a different language than your boss? Hear from an expert on how different generations prefer to communicate and communication styles. You'll leave this session with a better understanding your boss, peers, and direct reports.

Noon – 1:30pm

EXECUTIVE LUNCHEON *sponsored by Haynsworth Sinkler Boyd, P.A.*

2:00 – 2:50pm

HOT TOPIC

Co-Presenters: Robby Hill, HillSouth IT Solutions and Ann Marie Stieritz, Council on Competitiveness

This session is going to focus on "Keeping YP Talent in South Carolina."

SOUTH CAROLINA ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Speaker: Mark Williams, Strategic Development Group

Led by a thought leader in South Carolina, hear how our state is working to create economic development opportunities.

3:00 – 3:50pm

WORK, LIVE & PLAY: THE BALANCING ACT

Co-Presenters: Mike Brennan, BB&T and Stephanie DeFreese, BCBS

How do you do it all? How do you find balance? We are all Young Professionals who want serious careers, children, families, nonprofit involvement. Join us for a panel discussion on this topic.

BUILDING YOUR OWN BRAND

Speaker: Marcy Thompson, Sonoco

4:00pm

YOUR PLACE IN SOUTH CAROLINA'S FUTURE *sponsored by Sun Solutions*

Speaker: Catherine Templeton, SC Ports Authority