

Concept Note

Funds and Resources for the Young Voices Summit

I. Background

Young Voices aims to create, plan and execute a summit that:

- Hosts a diverse range of youth voices from various races, cultures, and religions.
- Provides training on expressing truths about family, the sanctity of life, and healthy sexuality among peers.
- Equips participants with valuable resources.
- Emphasizes positive "Character Advocacy" to elevate standards of communication.

II. Objectives

Recognizing that many young people, including college students and those starting out in work and family life, face financial constraints, the summit seeks support from established organizations and individuals to:

- Reduce the registration fee from \$50-\$100 to \$20-\$25.
- Raise funds to cover venue and meal expenses.

III. Activities

To achieve these objectives, the following activities will be undertaken:

- Non-Financial Support:
 - Collaborate with a graphic artist pro-bono or discounted price to design a professional website.
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• Audio-Visual and Technical Support:

- Collaborate with AV Tech pro-bono or at a discounted price.
- Seek AV rental at a discounted price or as a donation.

• Printing and Materials:

- Collaborate with a printing office at a discounted price or as a donation to print needed materials.
- Gifts and Giveaways:
 - Solicit donations for gift bags.
- Video Production:
- Collaborate with a videographer for a discounted price or pro-bono services.
- Collaborate with a photographer for a discounted price or pro-bono services.
- Solicitation Efforts:
 - Reach out to family and friends for contributions.
 - Engage with wider networks to solicit donations and attract sponsors.

IV. Budget Estimate

- Venue and Meals: \$25,000
- Committee Member Hotel Rooms: \$1,400
- Audio-Visual Equipment (for one day): \$450
- Commemorative Gifts (for 150 participants): \$1,500
- Materials: \$100

Total Estimated Budget: \$28,450

- V. Timeline
 - Starting Date: April 19, 2024
 - Ending Date: October 1, 2024

This concept note outlines the goals, activities, and budget for the Young Voices Summit, emphasizing the need for financial support to ensure the summit's success and accessibility to a diverse group of young participants.