

Young Tourism **Network**

connecting you to the industry



Enhancing your network
and career development
opportunities in the
tourism industry



Welcome to the Young Tourism Network

Established in 2005, the Victorian based Young Tourism Network (YTN) aims to connect individuals in the tourism industry through networking, professional development and industry alliances, promoting industry wide collaboration.

The YTN is an incorporated association, run by a committee of members who work and study within tourism related fields. We're just like you!

The aim of the YTN is to:

- Encourage employees and new entrants to the tourism industry to share ideas, experiences and opportunities
- To encourage the professional development of young professionals to the tourism industry
- To enable the broader tourism industry to understand the goals, views and issues important to younger people in the industry
- To encourage industry wide collaboration

Why should you join the YTN?

As a member of the YTN, you will enjoy:

- Industry networking opportunities
- Exclusive invitations to YTN social events and professional development sessions
- Regular member updates on positions vacant
- Young Tourism Network newsletter
- Representation of your issues to the broader tourism industry

Who do we represent?

- New entrants to the tourism industry (from another career, after time away from the industry or as a new employee)
- Young tourism industry employees including graduates recently employed in the industry
- Students of a Tourism, Hospitality, Events or related course
- Tourism Industry professionals wanting to make new contacts and network within the tourism industry

The tourism industry encompasses fields such as travel, leisure, hospitality, marketing, events, public relations, attractions, tour operations, tourism business operators and the education sector.

Membership

Please visit www.youngtourismnetwork.com for further details or refer to the back of this brochure.



2010 Victorian Tourism Awards Winner; Outstanding Contribution by Volunteers

Membership Application & Tax Invoice

Contact Details:

First Name: _____

Surname: _____

Organisation/Business Name (If Applicable):

Position Title: _____

Website Address: _____

Postal Address: _____

Suburb/City: _____

Postcode: _____

Work Phone No: _____

Mobile No: _____

E-Mail: _____

Renewal

New Member

Work Status:

Student*

Full Time Employment

Pt/Casual Employment

**If you are a student please name the educational institution at which you are currently studying and the course you are undertaking:* _____

Business Or Organisation Type:

(You are currently employed by)

Attraction

Consultancy

Event

Industry Organisation

Leisure

Hospitality

Marketing

Tourism Association

Tourism Business

Tour Operator

Travel

Visitor Services

Education Provider

Local Government

State Government

Other (describe):

Membership Type (Please Tick):

Is Your Organisation/Business An Existing YTN Group Member?

Yes

No

(If you wish to apply for group membership, see www.youngtourismnetwork.com/membership for details)

Individual \$80 (2 Years)

Payment Method: (Please Tick)

Credit Card - (only VISA or Mastercard accepted)

Card Type: Visa Mastercard

Name on Card: _____

Card Number:

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Expiry Date: /

Cheque

Cheques can be made payable to "Young Tourism Network"

Money Order

Money Orders can be made payable to "Young Tourism Network"

Direct Debit - *Deposits to be made to:*

Account Name: Young Tourism Network BSB: 013-013

Account Number: 183 455 736

(Please reference your name when making direct deposit)

Membership Declaration:

I declare that the information given on this form is true and correct.

Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Please allow 10 working days for your application to be processed.

Please return your completed membership application to:

Mail: Young Tourism Network, C/-VECCI,
486 Albert Street East Melbourne VIC 3002

Email: info@youngtourismnetwork.com

Fax: (03) 8662 5428

Additional Information:

How did you hear about the Young Tourism Network?

YTN Website University/TAFE

YTN Newsletter

Other: _____

What are your main reasons for joining the Young Tourism Network?

Network Professional Development

Exposure to guest speakers Support the industry

Other: _____

Contact Us

Mail: Young Tourism Network
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East Melbourne VIC 3002

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Phone: 03 8662 5425

Fax: 03 8662 5449

Testimonial

I joined The Young Tourism Network in 2009 whilst studying my Advanced Diploma of Tourism at NMIT. The YTN offered many volunteering opportunities whilst I was studying at TAFE and thanks to these opportunities, it encouraged me to further my studies at La Trobe University.

For the last 2 years, the YTN has provided me with networking opportunities and has shown me the different job vacancies available in the industry, some I never knew existed.

In December 2010, I applied for a position that was advertised through the YTN for The National Trust of Australia (VIC) and was successful in obtaining the position as Site Supervisor at one of Melbourne's newest redeveloped cultural tourist attractions, the Polly Woodside.

This position has given me a foot in the door to the industry and I look forward to many more years of being a part of The Young Tourism Network.

Shara Canzano