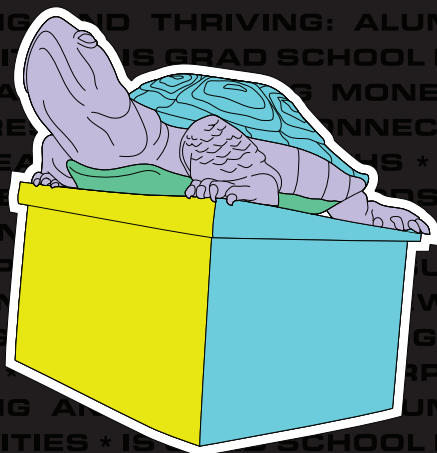


THE REAL WORLD:
THRIVING as
a YOUNG ALUM

Hosted by the UMD Alumni Association

2022 YOUNG ALUMNI CONFERENCE

Sept. 23



Welcome!

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Welcome, Terps, to the inaugural **Young Alumni Conference hosted by the University of Maryland Alumni Association.**

We are thrilled to have you here, and we look forward to a day full of personal and professional development. After talking to many young alums, we realized that the transition from College Park to the “real world” can be both exciting and challenging.

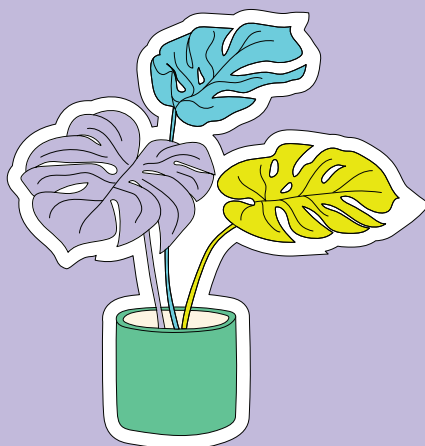
We wanted to address some of those challenges and give young alums a space to connect and learn with each other, tackling issues most relevant to them. We hope this is just the beginning of supporting and staying connected with you throughout your career journeys.

Let today be a reminder that you can continue to grow with your Terp community and take advantage of the many resources UMD has to offer.

Enjoy the day ahead!

Warmly,

Your Alumni Association Career Team
Ellie Geraghty and Megan Masterson



Schedule



9 AM: • Check-in begins

9:30-10 AM: • Welcome Breakfast

10-11 AM: • Welcome and Keynote:
“Against All Odds, Finding Success as a Young Alum”

11:15 AM-12:15 PM: • **Breakout Sessions**

- Making Money Moves: Finance and Budgeting Panel
- Pivoting on Purpose With Aurelia Michael
- Resiliency and Connection Post-Graduation

12:30-1:45 PM: • Lunch and Resource Fair Exploration

1:45-2:45 PM: • **Breakout Sessions**

- Making Money Moves: Finance and Budgeting Panel
- Surviving and Thriving: Young Alumni Panel
- Lead With Strengths
(Extended two-hour Clifton Strengths Program)

3:15-5:30 PM: • **Exploration Hours**

- Professional Headshots
- Beer and Wine Networking
- Coaches Corner

Meet one-on-one with coaches

- Mock Interviews
- Resource Fair

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speaker details*



WiFi Information

UMD-Guest Network offers guests who create an account 24 hours of wireless access to the internet and allows connection for up to three devices per account. In order to register, guests must have a device capable of receiving SMS text messages.

Alumni Association Career Resources

The support doesn't have to end today!
Check out these career resources
offered by the Alumni Association.
To see the full suite of career programs,
visit alumni.umd.edu/prof-dev.



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Join Terrapins Connect: *Like LinkedIn, but exclusively for Terps*

Visit terrapinsconnect.umd.edu to network and build meaningful connections with fellow Terps in your field, browse our alumni-only job board, and join groups to stay up to date on upcoming events. This mentorship platform is designed to support alums at each stage in their career as well as to become mentors for current students.

Coaches Corner: *Work with a career coach*

Our new Coaches Corner program aims to connect Terps with access to top-level Terp coaches interested in helping you start, advance or pivot your career. Our coaches work at various and scalable price points, offer exclusive discounts to Terps like you and have diverse expertise. Visit alumni.umd.edu/coaches-corner to learn more.

Career Guides: *Toolkits that cover best practices & industry trends*

Download and access Terp career guides created by alums, Association staff, industry professionals and experts at alumni.umd.edu/prof-dev.

Career Change Fellowship: *Online, cohort-style career boot camp*

The Alumni Association is working with the experts at Mission Collaborative to bring you the clarity and confidence you need to create a fulfilling career. Whether you're early-, mid- or late-career, the fellowship provides the structure and accountability you need to make the breakthrough progress you've been struggling to achieve on your own, while fitting into your busy schedule. Learn more at missioncollaborative.com/umdfellowship.

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Your Alumni Association has developed a membership program to keep you connected with the University of Maryland. Membership comes with lots of benefits, including:

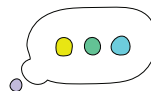
- Webinars focused on budget planning, student loan repayment and credit score guidance,
- Professional networking opportunities for career advice and connections with fellow Terps who can help get you hired, and
- Access to *Terp* magazine and the *Inside the Shell* member newsletter.

Alums who graduated in the last five years qualify for 50% off membership rates. Learn more about our New Grad rate and join today at alumni.umd.edu/join.



Don't Forget!

Use this area to jot down new ideas, connections or follow-ups from the Young Alumni Conference:





The background of the entire poster is a stylized, colorful illustration. It features several hands, rendered in shades of purple, blue, and green, reaching out and holding a bright yellow ribbon. The hands are positioned in a way that suggests they are supporting or guiding the ribbon. The overall style is graphic and modern, with bold outlines and a limited color palette.

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