



# YOUNG AMERICA'S FOUNDATION

## **Standing Up for Faith & Freedom: Reclaiming Your Catholic Campus from the Social Justice Warriors**

National Headquarters | Reston, Virginia

April 26-27, 2024

### **Friday, April 26**

*Students should dress in business casual attire unless noted otherwise.*

- 12:00 p.m. Registration
- 12:45 p.m. Optional Shuttle from the Westin Reston to YAF Headquarters
- 1:30 p.m. **Welcome Remarks**
- 2:00 p.m. Dr. [Jay W. Richards](#)  
Director, Richard and Helen DeVos Center for Life, Religion, and Family and William E. Simon Senior Research Fellow, The Heritage Foundation  
Topic: **The Morality of Free Enterprise**
- 3:00 p.m. [Mary Rice Hasson](#)  
Kate O'Beirne Fellow, Ethics & Public Policy Center  
Topic: **Gender Ideology & the Dignity of the Human Person**
- 4:00 p.m. Shuttle departs YAF Headquarters
- 5:50 p.m. Shuttle to YAF Headquarters  
*Professional attire*
- 6:00 p.m. Dinner
- 7:00 p.m. [Seamus Coughlin](#)  
Creator, FreedomToons  
Topic: **How Being Catholic Made Me Conservative**
- 8:00 p.m. Shuttle departs YAF Headquarters to Westin
- 10:00 p.m. Room check for high school students

## **Saturday, April 27**

- 8:30 a.m. Shuttle departs Westin to YAF Headquarters
- 9:00 a.m. Ambassador [Andrew Bremberg](#)  
President Emeritus, Victims of Communism Memorial Foundation  
Topic: **Confronting Communism as a Catholic**
- 10:00 a.m. [Daniel Di Martino](#)  
Venezuelan Freedom Activist; Economist; & Founder, Dissident Project  
Topic: **The Evil Nature of Socialism**
- 11:00 a.m. Dr. [Paul Kengor](#)  
Author & Professor, Grove City College  
Topic: **The Catholic Church's Long Fight Against Slavery**
- 12:00 p.m. Group Photo
- 12:15 p.m. Lunch
- 1:00 p.m. [Trent Horn](#)  
Author & Catholic Answers Staff Apologist  
Topic: **Persuasive Pro-Life**
- 2:00 p.m. [Kimberly Begg, Esq.](#)  
Author and President, Clare Booth Luce Center for Conservative Women  
Topic: **Moral Courage in a Post-Truth World**
- 3:00 p.m. [Clare Hinshaw](#)  
Legacy Society & Development Relations Director, Young America's Foundation  
Topic: **Advancing Conservative Ideas at Your Catholic School**
- 4:00 p.m. Thank You Notes and Evaluations
- 4:30 p.m. Shuttle departs YAF headquarters to Westin for a break
- 4:30 p.m. Optional Sunday Mass
- 5:50 p.m. Shuttle to YAF Headquarters  
*Professional attire*
- 6:00 p.m. Dinner
- 7:00 p.m. **Activism Panel** featuring **Nick Baker, Gabby Dankanich, and Alejandro Flores**  
**Young America's Foundation Alumni and Staff Members**
- 8:00 p.m. Shuttle departs YAF Headquarters to Westin

10:00 p.m. Room checks for high school students

**Sunday, April 28**

*You may depart the hotel at your convenience, but please check out of your room with the hotel front desk by 11:00 a.m.*