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Why join the NAF Alumni Network?

Over 76,000 NAF alumni currently enjoy exclusive benefits including:

- Opportunities to attend/host In-person networking events and attend/speak at NAF national events.
- Access to the Alumni Opportunities Board (jobs/internships/scholarships) & the Alumni LinkedIn group.
- The ability to participate in mentoring opportunities such as our Alumni Mentorship Program and mentoring with corporate partners.
- Stories, resources, and opportunities in our monthly Alumni e-newsletters.
- Invitations to attend free virtual professional development sessions.



Alumni Leadership Council (ALC)

- Formed in 2014, the ALC is comprised of small group of alumni who hail from across the country.
- ALC members plan alumni events, speak at NAF National events, give back to their local academies, participate in pilots of NAF initiatives, and so much more.
- Council members have embraced NAF's public-private partnership model and the organization's mission to empower high school students to achieve college and career success.
- The ALC currently has 15 active members and two subcommittees: Fundraising & Local Alumni Engagement



Alumni Mentorship Program

- Started in 2020, this is an exclusive program only open to NAF alumni.
- College-aged alumni are mentored by seasoned alumni professionals.
- Young alumni have a chance to learn professional skills and life lessons from alumni who once walked in their shoes.
- Seasoned alumni professionals have a chance to reconnect with NAF and make a difference in a young person's life and career.

"I have thoroughly enjoyed my mentorship experience with NAF because I have developed a great friendship with my mentee, heard from fantastic NAF members around the country and been introduced to local alumni. Being a mentor serves as a learning opportunity. My mentee and I come from different backgrounds and I learned about things I have not experienced before. Mentorship allowed me to think about and share my experiences. I discovered lessons that benefited both my mentee and myself..."

— **Roxana Beyranvand, Academy of Finance,
Class of 2005**



**"The mentorship program has been an amazing experience! I feel privileged to stay involved with NAF after high school and to receive great advice and insight from my mentor." -Neil Walia '20,
Academy of Entrepreneurship**

**"I would recommend that everyone give this program a try because we all have something that current students could benefit from. For me, being a part of the mentorship program has been one of the ways I could think of to thank all those who helped me in my career."
-Atul Kapoor '09, Academy of Finance**



Get Involved!



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FUTURE READY ALUMNI

The support you receive from NAF doesn't end with high school graduation. Being part of the NAF Alumni Network comes with **many opportunities to continue to grow your career.**



All NAF alumni enjoy benefits including:

- Opportunities to attend In-person networking events and NAF national events
- Access to the Alumni Job Board & Alumni LinkedIn group
- Free LifeBrand social media scans to ensure your online presence supports your future goals
- Exclusive stories, resources, and opportunities in our monthly Alumni e-newsletters
- Attend FREE virtual professional development sessions

NAF has also designed specific opportunities for alumni in different stages of life after high school.



For New Graduates:

- Get paired up with a seasoned alumni professional as your mentor in the NAF Alumni Mentorship Program
- Apply for exclusive summer internship opportunities
- Receive a discount on the Securities Industry Association Exam (SIE)



NAF alumni have many opportunities to get involved with current NAF students and pay it forward!

- Become a mentor through the NAF Alumni Mentorship Program
- Speak at a NAF National event
- Host an alumni networking event
- Serve on your local Advisory Board
- Join the NAF Alumni Policy Ambassadors



For Young Professionals

- Participate in Thomas Edison State University continuing education programs
- Connect with City Year AmeriCorps opportunities
- Connect with apprenticeship programs