

WAVE

Young Professionals Network

WHO WE ARE We are the future leaders of the Lakes Area, uniting all industries to form a powerful **wave of influence**, optimism and professional success. Our goal is to build lasting relationships as we elevate our skills and advance our careers. We aim to make a positive difference in our companies and communities, learning from and inspiring each other along the way.

GOALS

- Become the united, influential voice of young professionals in the Lakes Area.
- Develop personal and professional skills that are essential for advancement in all professions.
- Support area employers in developing and retaining young talent.
- Build lasting relationships through fun, social activities.
- Identify and welcome young professionals who are new to the Lakes Area.
- Offer uncommon access to local leaders and organizations of interest.
- Provide meaningful opportunities to lead and grow the program.

ACTIVITIES / BENEFITS

- Professional events featuring a tour or speaker—always with a social element.
- Social events that provide opportunities to try new activities, learn life skills, etc.
- Special pricing on Chamber programs and events via promo code, including Blue Ox Business Academy scholarships.

LEADERSHIP

- “Anchor Committee” of 10 volunteer leaders, including chair and vice chair.
- 3-year terms with 3 new members each year.



PARTICIPATION

Open to those ages **18-39 years** in all industries.

PRICING



\$240 per person or \$20 per month.



Become a **WAVE Sponsor** and help bring the program to life. WAVE membership(s) included.



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Learn more & join: WaveYPN.com

ANNUAL WAVE SPONSORSHIP FORM

- \$2,500 Anchor Sponsor**
*(Large business option includes membership for **up to 10 young professionals** employed by your organization.)*
- \$1,500 Bouy Sponsor**
*(Small business option includes membership for **up to 5 young professionals** employed by your organization.)*

SPONSORSHIP BENEFITS

- Memberships for up to or 10 (Anchor Sponsor) or 5 (Bouy Sponsor) young professionals employed by your business or organization.
- Featured logo placement on all WAVE promotions, including the 4 Under 40 Gala.
- Verbal recognition at all monthly WAVE events.
- Individual shout-outs on WAVE Facebook and Instagram pages.

Organization Name: _____

Contact Name: _____ **Title:** _____

Email: _____ **Phone:** _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **ZIP:** _____

How did you hear about WAVE? _____

Payment Type

- Please send an invoice.
- Please charge my credit card (Chamber staff will reach out for card info).

As part of your sponsor benefits, we will be in touch to gather names of the young professionals at your business you would like to join WAVE.

Return this form to Ali Beste
or a WAVE Board Member.
Questions? Email Ali:
Ali@BrainerdLakesChamber.com.

