**Membership**

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**Young Alumni Membership**

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- 7-9 years since graduation $750
- 5-6 years since graduation $500
- 3-4 years since graduation $250
- 1-2 years since graduation $120

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- Research projects
- Study abroad opportunities
- Service learning initiatives
- Internships

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