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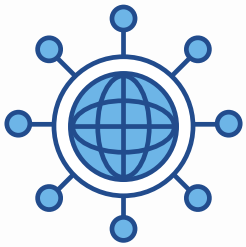
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Why Sponsor YBC

Recruit Future talent

Connect with highly driven student researchers seeking internships, research opportunities, or post-grad careers in biotech & healthcare.



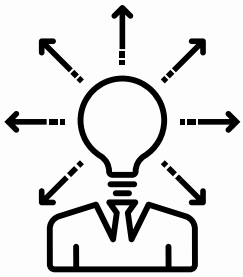


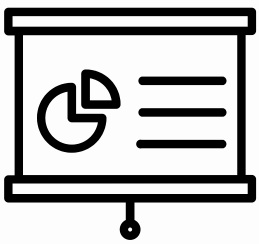
Reach a National Student Audience

Introduce your organisation to researchers from Yale and 15+ universities nationwide, including 6 Ivy League institutions.

Showcase Your Expertise

Share your organisation's work and perspectives through keynote addresses, industry panels, and the career fair.



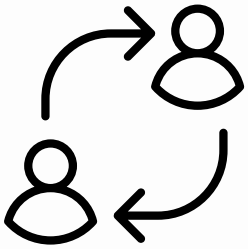


Engage with Cutting-Edge Research

Interact directly with student researchers sharing their work at the research symposium.

Build Your Presence at Yale

Consolidate relations with Yale's renowned BME faculty and its wider STEM student body.

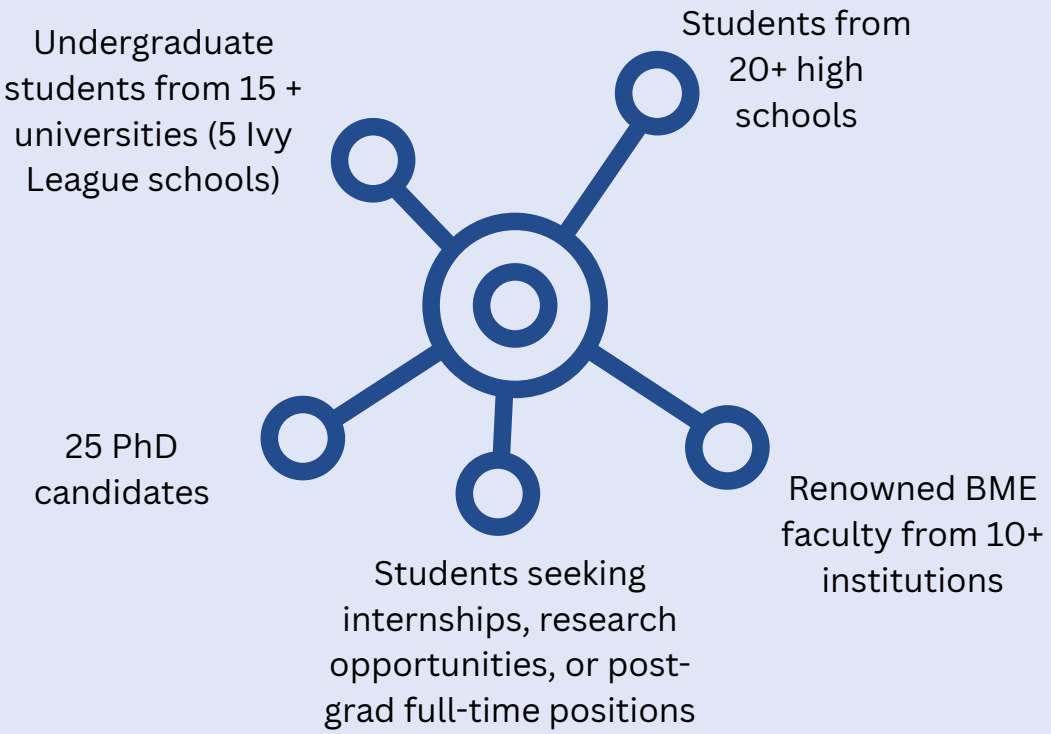


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Impact

Attendees

The conference expects to host around 300 high school, undergraduate and post-grad students from Yale and other institutions nationwide, with particular interests in biomedical engineering, biotechnology, healthcare and broader research in STEM.



How sponsorship works

The conference is built around three main events: **keynote speaker addresses** & **industry panels**, the **research symposium**, and the **career fair**.

The opportunities sponsors receive are tiered according to how much money they offer. There are three defined tiers: bronze, silver, and gold. The defined benefits for each tier compound, so that higher-paying sponsors receive greater visibility and access to students during the conference, and more marketing resources building up to the latter. A summary of sponsorship tiers and benefits can be found on page 8 of this prospectus.

We very much welcome any custom sponsorship deals or requests from companies, and would love to partner with any sponsors willing to launch any initiatives of their own, whether it be before, during or after the conference.

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Conference Schedule

	EVENT	LOCATION
8:30 - 9:00	Registration & Check-in	*Lobby of Harkness Auditorium*
9:00 - 9:30	Breakfast & Networking	*Yale Café Med*
9:30 - 10:30	Opening Ceremony	*Harkness Auditorium*
10:30 - 10:45	Group Picture	*Front of Yale Med School*
10:45 - 12:00	Research Symposium	*Anlyan Center*
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch	*Yale Café Med*
13:00 - 14:00	Guest Speaker	*Harkness Auditorium*
14:00 - 15:00	Industry Panel	*Jane Ellen Hope Memorial Building*
15:00 - 17:00	Career Fair	*Yale Med Harkness Ballroom*
17:00	Closing Ceremony	*Harkness Auditorium*

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Career Fair

Connect with Yale's next generation of biomedical engineers

The career fair is the pinnacle of the conference, and stands as the centrepiece of YBC's engagement with the industry.

Students are presented with a rare opportunity to build a rapport with companies, discover the industry, and discuss internships & research positions. Companies are more than welcome to distribute recruiting materials, and connect with some of the country's most driven young biomedical engineers.



Companies represented at previous YBC career fairs

bexorg

BioMed X

Medtronic

AstraZeneca

Pfizer

Revalia Bio

Gold:
- Priority booth location
- Dedicated 10 min recruiting pitch

Silver:
- Company description & recruiting information in conference program
- Dedicated poster/banner with logo and company description

Bronze:
- Dedicated table at career fair
- Company listed in conference program
- Company logo on career-fair banner
- Opportunity to distribute recruiting materials

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Speaker Events

Inspire the next generation and hear from leaders shaping biomedical engineering

Keynote Addresses

Every year, we host a number of distinguished researchers and industry leaders to give guest and keynote addresses at the conference. These provide students with vital exposure to cutting-edge developments in biomedical engineering.

Last year, Yale's world-renowned Professor Mark Saltzman spoke on his groundbreaking research on nanotechnology and its potential for use in state-of-the-art drug delivery. This year, the gold-tier sponsors will be given the opportunity to headline the conference and to deliver a 20 minute keynote speech at the opening or closing ceremonies (subject to conference approval), showcasing their expertise and research. Lead the field from the front and put your organisation in front of some of the country's most accomplished and motivated students.

Industry Panel

The afternoon post-grad panel is a singular opportunity for undergraduate students to hear multiple perspectives on the research industry and to ask those that have come before them questions on their career paths. The panel will first be addressed by an officer of the Yale Biomedical Engineering Society, followed by questions from the room.



Gold:

- 20-minute keynote address at the opening or closing ceremony

Silver:

- Formally introduced by Yale BMES at the opening & closing ceremonies

Bronze:

- Logo shown during Yale BMES's address at the opening & closing ceremonies
- Engage with all industry panels and speaker events throughout the day

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Research Symposium

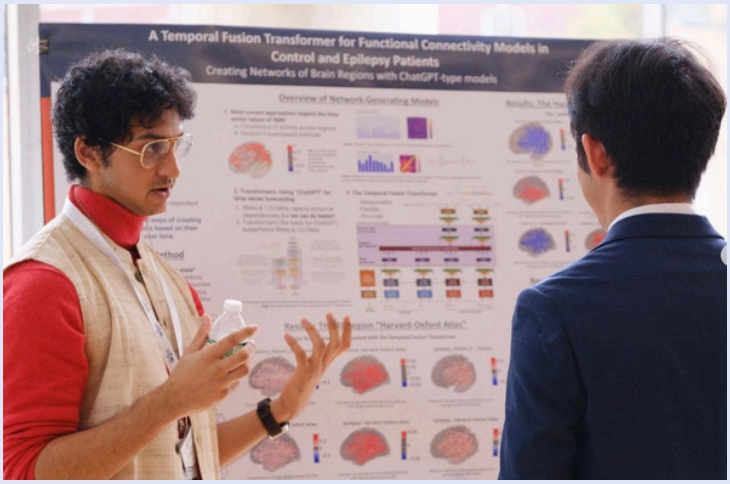
Explore the latest biomedical innovations made by the student body

The research symposium is a unique opportunity for students attending the conference (predominantly high schoolers and undergraduates) to present their research to each other and to industry leaders, entrepreneurs and Yale BME faculty.

Sponsorship Information



All sponsors are more than welcome to send in representatives and engage with the students on their research. Students every year heed the feedback attentively and deeply appreciate the opportunity to discuss their project with industry representatives.



Awards are given to the best projects, at Yale BMES's discretion. Awards range from $25-100.

Gold:

- Sponsor a Best Research Award ($100 prize), with recognition during the awards ceremony.



Summary of Tiered Sponsorship Benefits

GOLD ($3,000+):

- Marketing before conference
  - Company may distribute approved promotional and recruiting materials through BMES communications prior to the conference
- Day of the conference
  - Can send up to 5 representatives
  - Career Fair:
    - 10 min recruitment pitch & priority booth location
  - Speaker Events:
    - Give a 20 min keynote address (subject to conference approval)
  - Research Symposium:
    - Opportunity to sponsor a Best Research Award ($100 prize)

SILVER ($1,000+):

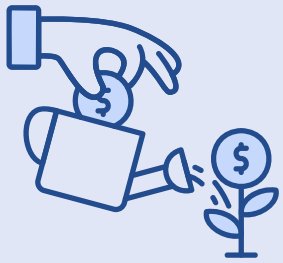
- Marketing before conference
  - Full description of company, its logo and recruiting information on conference programme distributed to students a week prior
  - Advertised in all BMES emails to Yale undergraduate cohort and outreach emails to other schools
- Day of the conference
  - Can send up to 3 representatives
  - Career fair:
    - Dedicated poster/banner with company logo and description at booth
  - Speaker events:
    - Formally introduced by Yale BMES at the opening & closing ceremonies

BRONZE ($500):

- Marketing before conference:
  - Company name and logo listed on conference programme distributed to students a week prior to the conference
- Day of the conference
  - Can send 1 representative to attend the conference
  - Career fair:
    - Dedicated table & company logo on career fair banner
  - Speaker events
    - Acknowledged by Yale BMES at the opening & closing ceremonies
    - Logo on conference & Yale BMES website, career fair banner, opening ceremony slides

NB: Benefits compound as you go up tiers. Thus, gold tier sponsors have access to all the benefits that bronze and silver tier sponsors do, along with gold specific ones.

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How Sponsorship supports YBC

Your support makes YBC more accessible to students nationwide.

YBC 2026 Conference Expenses	
Student Access (Registration, Transportation & Accommodation subsidies)	$25,000 *
Research Symposium (Poster Printing & Research Awards)	$1,250 +
Food & Hospitality (Breakfast & Lunch & Refreshments)	$3,000
Marketing (Banners & Programs, Info sessions & Outreach)	$750
Conference Programming (AV, speaker expenses, setup, merchandise)	$1,500
Total	$31,500 +

*Based on anticipated attendance of ~300 students (registration costs average ~$30 per student), and projected subsidies for visiting-student accommodation and transportation costs.

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Past Conference Images

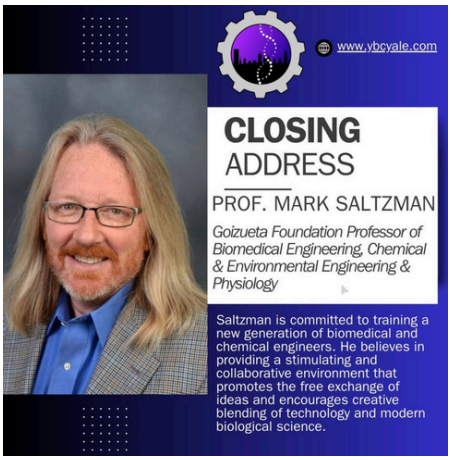






Past Speakers







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