



## National Collegiate Association for the Research of Principles, Inc.

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### Information on CARP Convention

Dear Colleague:

We, the U.S. Collegiate Association for the Research of Principles (CARP), have the pleasure of inviting you to the “**2014 CARP Convention Life & Leadership - Redefined**” at the University of Maryland, College Park from July 30 to August 5, 2014.

Our schedule is already packed with fun and fulfilling seminars, discussions, and activities to support the CARP vision of raising future leaders who will make a positive impact in society and the world. In the CARP America model we focus on two main areas of focus for principled leadership: life principles and leadership skills. We will offer discussion and reflection on topics like Spiritual Health, Genuine Relationships, Esteem & Value, Integrity & Freedom, and Purpose-Driven Life. We will offer practical and applicable seminars in Teamwork, Personal & Event Organization, Public Speaking, Goal Setting, and Mentoring.

The CARP Convention has several components:

#### **Student Conference [July 30 - August 3]**

The Convention is open to students, young professionals, and educators. Registration begins at 9AM and includes a welcome luncheon.

#### **Young Professionals & Alumni Networking Day [Saturday, August 2]**

Young professionals and CARP Alumni are invited to a special 1-day expo where they can network with peers, mentor current college students, and even present a breakout session on principled application in their area of expertise (if you are interested in presenting, email [admin@carplife.org](mailto:admin@carplife.org)). The evening includes a professional Networking Banquet with a keynote address, exciting performances, and student awards.

#### **Officers' Training Intensive [August 4-5]**

For those who are inspired about the vision for CARP, whether you are a student wanting to become an officer, or you are a young professional interested in serving as a *Campus Mentor*, this 2-day intensive will give you all of the tools to effectively start, run, or support the growth of a successful chapter.

Registration is available online ([carplife.org](http://carplife.org)) where you can choose the “Special International Invites” option. Our international package includes the program, meals, lodging for 6 nights (check-in on July 30 and check-out on August 5), and access to all of the Convention components. It does not include transportation to the event. The Early Bird fee is only \$100 if you register before June 30. After June 30, the registration fee is \$500.

We are very excited to extend this invitation to you and look forward to sharing this enriching experience with you and your contacts. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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