

Snowmass Young

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Step 1: Assemble a group of representatives

- Send out call for nominations (pending comments today)
 - Due May 11th
 - Self-nominations allowed
- Select the group, making sure that it is representative of the field within 1-2 months of nomination deadline

Call for Nominations

Dear Colleagues,

As part of the Snowmass 2021 process, we are soliciting nominations for representatives for Snowmass Young. The Snowmass 2021 process will develop a long-term strategic plan, so the voices of early career members are critically important and we want them to be heard.

These representatives will have the opportunity to shape how early career members are included in the Snowmass process. This could include finding ways to get early career members engaged with the working groups, incorporating career development opportunities into events, surveying early career members as was done for Snowmass 2013, integrating other items of interest to early career members into the events, etc..

Nominations can be made by anyone, but nominees should be early career members (e.g. grad students, postdocs, etc.). Nominations can include self-nominations and will be open until **May 11, 2020** through the google form below:

<https://forms.gle/Xpd4jW3Y6oxcXxmD7>

Nominees will be reviewed and selected to ensure that the group is representative of the field. More details about the responsibilities and Snowmass process are included below.

Sincerely,
Sara M. Simon

2020 DPF Executive Committee Early Career Member

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2019 DPF Executive Committee Early Career Member

Supplemental information included in email

What is Snowmass?

Snowmass is an opportunity for the entire HEP community to come together to identify and document a vision for the future of particle physics in the U.S. and with its international partners. Workshops will be organized over the next year and a half, culminating in a 2021 summer study that pulls all the work together. More information on Snowmass 2021 can be found here: <https://www.aps.org/units/dpf/snowmass-2021.cfm>

What is Snowmass Young?

Snowmass Young is composed of early career members in the HEP community. “Early career” is loosely defined and includes grad students, postdocs, and new faculty. Any early career member is welcome to be a part of Snowmass Young.

What are Snowmass young representative responsibilities?

The term for Snowmass Young representatives will go from now through the Snowmass 2021 meeting. The group leadership will also include the 2019-2021 DPF Executive Committee Early Career Members. Representatives for Snowmass Young will be responsible for determining how early career members are engaged in the Snowmass 2021 process. This will require calling into some Snowmass planning meetings (~monthly), engaging existing early career member groups within the HEP community and collaborations, and attending (in-person or remotely) the fall 2020 Snowmass Community Planning Meeting (November 4-6 at Fermilab).