



MORTUARY STUDENT DAY WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29

 Hilton Columbus at Easton (3900 Chagrin Drive, Columbus, OH 43219)

Tuesday Evening: Young Funeral Directors (YFD) Social

Students are invited to kick off the convention by attending the *Young Funeral Directors (YFD) Social* on Tuesday, April 28, from 7:00–9:00 PM at PBR Cowboy Bar + Smokehouse. This relaxed evening is a great opportunity to connect with fellow students and young funeral directors, start building professional relationships, and ease into the convention with great food, drinks, and conversation.

Wednesday: Mortuary Student Day

Designed specifically for students entering the funeral service profession, **Mortuary Student Day** on Wednesday, April 29, offers a full day of career-focused opportunities. Begin with a *complimentary lunch*, then connect with representatives from the State of Ohio Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors (OBEFD) – an invaluable opportunity to engage directly with those involved in licensure and regulation.

Attend a featured session led by a two-generation team in funeral service, offering unique perspectives on navigating the profession, building a career, and bridging generational insights, and take advantage of the *Student Portrait Studio* for a complimentary professional headshot.

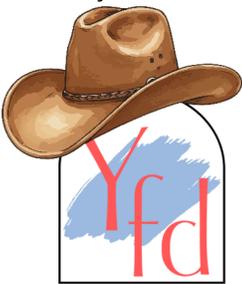
Continue the day with the *Mortuary Student Forum* featuring the YFD Panel, and gain insights from young professionals navigating the transition from school to apprenticeship and licensure. Afterward, explore the *Exhibit Floor* and experience all that the convention has to offer.

While **Mortuary Student Day** is intentionally designed with students in mind, students are encouraged to take full advantage of everything the OFDA Convention has to offer, including continuing education sessions, networking events, and time on the exhibit floor throughout the convention. The OFDA Convention is more than a single day – it's your opportunity to connect, learn, and begin building relationships that will support your career for years to come.

YFD SOCIAL

Tuesday, April 28

PBR Cowboy Bar + Smokehouse



COMPLIMENTARY LUNCH

11:00 - 11:45 PM

Columbus Room



STUDENT PORTRAIT STUDIO

11:45 AM - 1:15 PM

Columbus Foyer



OBEFD & STUDENT SESSION

11:45 AM - 1:15 PM

Columbus Room



MORTUARY STUDENT FORUM

1:15 - 2:45 PM

Columbus Room

YFD Committee Panel:
Kyle Bailey, Bailey Byrd,
Kyle Brubaker, Alexys Gribble,
Elizabeth Mencke and
Tyler O'Brien, Ed.D, CCSP, CFSP
Moderator: Jenn Schlosser



EXHIBITS

3:00 - 5:30 PM

Easton Ballroom & Foyer,
Regent Foyer



SCAN TO REGISTER

