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Young Adult Ministry Self-Assessment

The Unitarian Universalist Association's new [Young Adult Ministry Self-Assessment](#) is designed to help congregations determine the current state of their ministry to young adults and move toward more growth and inclusion. It was created based on trends observed in Unitarian Universalist communities. You can take this twelve-question assessment alone or with other staff or congregants. Your results will point to one of five stages in a developmental model for young adult ministry. Along with a description of your congregation's current stage, there are strategies and resources available to help you move forward in welcoming and integrating young adults into congregational life.

Take the assessment at <http://my.questbase.com/take.aspx?pin=8693-1241-6004>

Learn more at <http://blueboat.blogs.uua.org/2013/09/05/improve-young-adult-ministry-at-your-congregation/>

One Useful Tool

Register Now

The Religious Institute is pleased to announce that registration is open for the Fall 2013 session of the online course, "Sexuality Issues for Religious Professionals." The course was developed by the Religious Institute in cooperation with the UUA.

The **Sexuality Issues for Religious Professionals** course is an online, self-guided graduate-level course.

This course partially fulfills the sexuality education, health, and justice competency for UU candidates for ministry. **A new version of the course specifically designed for religious educators will be available in early 2014.**

The price of the course is \$125 for students who need a certificate of completion (UU candidates for ministry, for example). These students' assignments will be verified and their final papers reviewed before a certificate is issued. **Students may also audit the course for \$75** (no verification of assignments, no requirement for a final paper). The next session will begin October 1, 2013 and run through December 31, 2013.

For more information or to register: (<http://www.religioustheology.org/course>) For more information, email Marie Alford-Harkey, Deputy Director at the Religious Institute at alford-harkey@religioustheology.org.