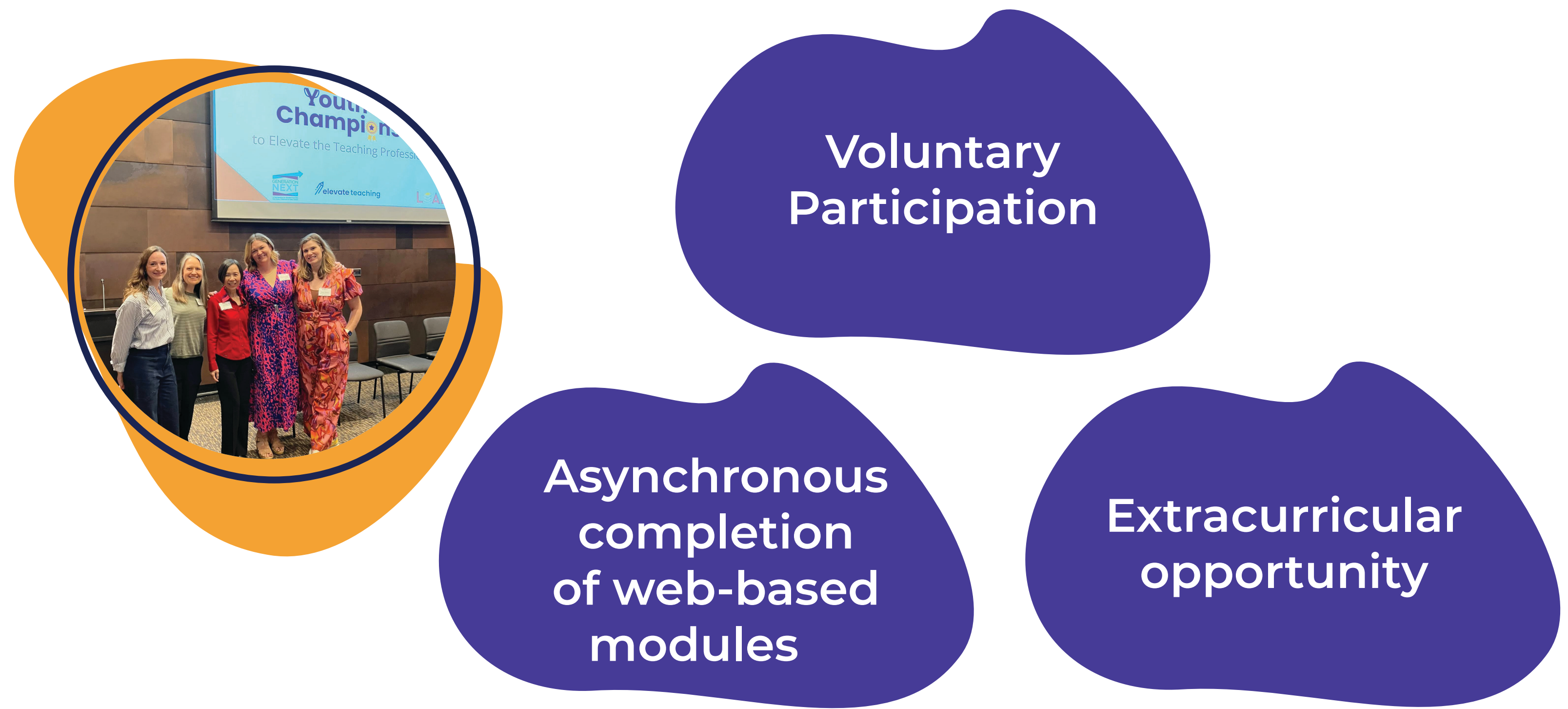


## What is Youth as Champions?



## The Youth As Champions learning modules guide students through:

- ★ The exploration of Elevate Teaching’s six messages/tenets
- ★ The basics of movement building and systems change, reflections on the experiences as students and teachers across generations
- ★ The power of influence and social media campaigns, and
- ★ The power of raising youth voices to change the dominant narrative about teaching

**Module 1**  
**Introduction to YAC**  
Set up on the learning platform, meet your fellow participants, and learn what to expect from the Youth as Champions program.

Lesson 1.1 Introducing Youth as Champions

Lesson 1.2 Program Overview

**Module 2**  
**History of the Teaching Profession**  
Explore the history of education, interview a trusted adult, and consider how the past shapes perceptions today.

Lesson 2.1 Historical Contexts of Education

Lesson 2.2 Our Present Day

**Module 3**  
**Six Messages to Elevate Teaching**  
Learn about six key messages to elevate teaching, explore how language shapes perceptions, and reflect on real-life examples in your own school.

Lesson 3.1 Narrative Shifts

Lesson 3.2 Six Key Messages to Elevate Teaching

Lesson 3.3 Teacher Observations

**Module 4**  
**Systems Thinking and Movement Building**  
Learn how big changes happen through systems thinking and movement building, then apply these ideas to solving real-world education challenges.

Lesson 5.1 What is a Media Specialist?

Lesson 5.2 What is an Influencer?

**Module 5**  
**Finding Your Voice Online**  
Explore how media and influencers drive change, then learn to use your own voice to create powerful social media content for a cause you care about.

Lesson 4.1 Systems Thinking and Movement Building

Lesson 4.2 Problem Solving with Systems Change

**Module 6**  
**Say Something! Creating Online Content**  
Learn social media best practices, create content to advocate for change, and refine your message while reflecting on your experience in Youth as Champions.

Lesson 6.1 Social Media Best Practices

Lesson 6.2 Say Something!

Lesson 6.3 Strengthening Your Message

Lesson 6.4 Youth as Champions Conclusion