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APAHE PRECONFERENCE SESSION OPTIONS

Wednesday, April 3, 2019; 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Lunch is 12:00 to 1:30 – on your own
Oakland Marriott City Center, 1001 Broadway, Oakland, CA 94607

Preconference Sessions are scheduled in two time blocks of 3 hours each:

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon; 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Pre-conference registration is for the entire day. Participants may select session option A for the entire day, two sessions (one in a.m. and one in p.m.), or just one session (either a.m. or p.m.)

Flat Rate Preconference Fee (regardless of number of sessions selected) = $100 before March 10, 2019
$125 effective March 11, 2019 to March 31, 2019.

MORNING SESSIONS

(9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon)

ENGAGING & INSPIRING MIDLEVEL API PROFESSIONALS (OPTION A)

GRAND BALLROOM G&H, 1ST FLOOR

Mid-level professionals are some of the most influential forces on campus. In pivotal positions, they serve students directly while promoting the learning, growth, and development of their staff. As managers, they provide critical insight and perspective to senior administrators. With this understanding, the APAHE Mid-level Preconference was designed as a space for critical reflection, where participants consider best practices and emerging trends while discussing job satisfaction and professional development.

Henry Gee, Vice President of Student Services, Rio Hondo College

Jen Pagala Barnett, Associate Director, Student Equity, Excellence & Diversity, University of Hawai'i at Mānoa

Dr. Christine Quemuel, Interim Assistant Vice Chancellor for Diversity and Director of Student Equity, Excellence and Diversity (SEED)

APIA STUDENT ISSUES AND INTRODUCTION TO APAHE (OPTION B)

JUNIOR BALLROOM 1&2, 2ND FLOOR

This session is designed for undergraduate students attending the APAHE conference – most for the first time. An overview of the history of Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders and Desi Americans in Higher Education will be provided. An orientation to APAHE and the APAHE conference will also be presented. An interactive conference simulation to practice networking skills will involve all participants.

Kare'l Lokeni, Educational Advisor, Mt. San Antonio College

ALL-DAY SESSION OPTION

(All-Day Session: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon; continues 1:30 to 4:30 p.m.)

AANAPISI SUMMIT - WHERE ARE WE AND WHAT HAVE WE LEARNED? (OPTION C)

GRAND BALLROOM A&B, 1ST FLOOR

This session includes presenters and participants from all across the nation, and is designed for educators presently working in an AANAPISI grant funded program, those who are interested in applying for funding, researchers, and those working in parallel programs to AANAPISI goals. Some highlights of the day will include institutionalization, financial management/internal controls, evaluation and assessment, and research. There will also be time to share best practices and challenges.

9:00 to 9:15 am	Welcome/Overview of the Day	Aida Cuenza-Uvas, ARISE Director, Mt. Sac Community College Dr. Omar Murillo, Interim Vice President of Student Services, Mission College
9:15 to 9:45 am	Ice Breaker	Rene Gutierrez, Title III AANAPISI Director, Coastline Community College
9:45 to10:15 am	AANAPISI Updates from the U.S. Department of Education	Pearson Owens, Senior Program Officer U.S. Department of Education
10:15 to 11:15 am	Panel w/ Authors of AANAPISI Anthology Book - Models of Practice: Asian American, Native American and Pacific Islander Serving Institutions (AANAPISIs) in Action	Dr. Patricia Nielsen, Former Director of AANAPISI at UMASS Boston Dr. Timothy Fong, Principal Investigator of Full Circle Project & Professor (Dept. of Ethnic Studies) at Sacramento State University Dr. Rowena Tomaneng, President, Berkeley City College Dr. Dina C. Maramba, Associate Professor of Higher Ed, Claremont Graduate University
11:15 to 12:15	Updates from APIASF and APIA Institute	Dr. Curtis Rooks, Senior Research Associate, Loyola Marymount University Dr. Jeannette Soon-Ludes, Director of Scholarships & Programs, APIASF Rita Pin Ahrens, Director of Research and Policy, APIASF
12:15 to 1:45 pm	Lunch (on your own)	
1:45 to 2:45 pm	Presentation: Actualizing the Asian American and Native American Pacific Islander Serving Institution (AANAPISI): Considerations to Cultivate and Sustain Programmatic Success	Dr. Bach Mai Dolly Nguyen, Assistant Professor, Graduate School of Education & Counseling, Lewis & Clark College
3:00 to 4:00 pm	Break-Out Discussion Groups: • Oversight/Grant Management Evaluation/Data Collection & Reporting • Using Data To Inform Programming • Audit/Compliance • How To Build Campus Cultural Responsiveness •	Edwin Tiongson, Title III AANAPISI Project Director, Irvine Valley College
4:00 to 4:30 pm	Wrap-up/Next Steps	Caitlin Ho, Program Director, Hunter College AANAPISI Project (HCAP)

FTERNOON SESSIONS

(1:30 a.m. to 4:30 noon)

UNDERGRADUATE API STUDENT INSTITUTE (OPTION D)

JUNIOR BALLROOM 1&2, 2ND FLOOR

If you are an undergraduate student, make sure you start your APAHE conference experience here! The Undergraduate Preconference will recognize the ways that our communities influence our personal and professional journeys. API professionals with diverse professional backgrounds will assist to mentor and coach your conference journey. We aim to grow together in building professional skills, help you explore and evaluate your next professional steps, and cultivate your APAHE connections. Register early to secure your spot!

Jennifer Pagala Barnett – Associate Director, Student Equity, Excellence & Diversity, University of Hawai'i at Mānoa

Kenith Scott – Director, Office of Veteran Student Services, University of Hawai'i at Mānoa

Christopher Nguyen Pheneger – Program Coordinator, Full Circle Project, Sacramento State

Ed Lee – Director, GEAR UP, University of Hawai'i at Mānoa

ENGAGING STUDENT IDENTITY AND POLITICAL HISTORY: RESEARCH AS A RETENTION AND EMPOWERMENT STRATEGY (OPTION E)

JUNIOR BALLROOM 4, 2ND FLOOR

Our half-day session will engage participants in our philosophy and strategies to support student access and success:

* Provide a historical context for the landscape of Hawai'i and education for Native Hawaiian students today

* Provide an overview of our different programs & services that are grounded in Hawaiian history as both a recruitment and retention strategy, as well as its alignment to Hawaiian politics in our larger community

* Provide historical context for some of our Pacific solidarity work at NHSS, through an analysis of some Hawaiian Kingdom Pacific engagements in the 19th century.

* Engage participants in some of our popular education engagements, through screen printing our Lā Kū'oko'a Hawaiian independence design.

Allyson Franco, NHSS Outreach Specialist

Kawaipuna Kalipi, NHSS Student Support Specialist

Nalani Balutski, Hawai'inuiakea Research & Assessment Specialist

Willy Kauai, NHSS Director

AFTERNOON SESSIONS

(1:30 a.m. to 4:30 noon)

LDPHE ADVANCED (OPTION F)

GRANDBALLROOM C, 1ST FLOOR

This session is presented by the co-facilitators of the Leadership Development Program in Higher Education (LDPHE) -- a partnership between Asian Pacific Americans in Higher Education (APAHE) and Leadership Education for Asian Pacifics, Inc. (LEAP)

This session is for individuals who are alumni of the LDPHE program and will focus on: career next steps, navigating the politics of higher education, developing one's niche contributions and leaving a legacy. Participants will be able to raise particular issues and concerns that will be addressed through an interactive process.

Audrey Yamagata-Noji, Vice President, Student Services, Mt. San Antonio College

Henry Gee, Vice President of Student Services, Rio Hondo College

THE ART OF ADVANCEMENT, THE POLITICS OF PROMOTION & THE IMPORTANCE OF BEING… (OPTION G)

GRAND BALLROOM G&H, 1ST FLOOR

This human resources panel session is geared for professionals, and is everything the title suggest. Please join us for a panel and interactive session with frank discussions to assist in planning your future.

The fact also remains: we need more Asian Pacific Americans in leadership positions. If we can promote more Asian Pacific Americans into leadership positions we will be able to promote our diverse perspective, influence the higher education system, and better inspire the next generation of leaders.

Abe Ali, Vice President, Human Resources, Mt. San Antonio College

Dr. Eric Ramones, Associate Vice President, Human Resources, Gavilan College

Dr. Joan Torne, Chief of Staff to the Vice Chancellor of Human Resources, California State University System

Wyman Fong, Vice Chancellor, Human Resources, Chabot-Las Positas Community College District