

# 2022 IMPACT PROJECT SUMMIT: DREAM WITH AMBITION PROGRAM

9:00 – 10:15 AM	<b>OPENING PLENARY GRAND BALLROOM</b> <b>Congressional Panel: Dream with Ambition</b> Featuring U.S. Representatives Pramila Jayapal, Ro Khanna, Raja Krishnamoorthi, and Ami Bera Moderated by Snighda Sur, CEO of The Juggernaut		
10:30 – 11:30 AM	<b>Break Out 1: Policy and Advocacy (Choose 1)</b>		
	<b>The Global Climate Crisis PIERCE ROOM</b>	<b>Civil &amp; Voting Rights HOLMES + HUGHES ROOMS</b>	
	<b>Moderator:</b> Richa Moorjani, Climate Activist and Actress  <b>Panelists:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Manish Bapna, President &amp; CEO of Natural Resources Defense Council</li> <li>Varun Sivaram, Senior Director for Clean Energy and Innovation, US Special Envoy for Climate John Kerry</li> <li>Jigar Shah, Director of the Loans Program Office with Department of Energy</li> <li>Keya Chatterjee, Executive Director at US Climate Action Network</li> </ul>	<b>Moderator:</b> Manjusha Kulkarni, Executive Director of AAPI Equity Alliance & co-founder of Stop AAPI Hate  <b>Panelists:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chiraag Bains, Deputy Assistant to the President for Racial Justice and Equity</li> <li>Vasu Abhiraman, Senior Policy Counsel at ACLU Georgia</li> <li>Terry Ao Minnis, Senior Director of Census and Voting Programs at Asian Americans Advancing Justice AAJC</li> <li>Anjali Thakur-Mittal, Managing Director, Field and Membership Services at the Leadership Conference on Civil and Human Rights</li> </ul>	
	<b>Educational Equity DOUGLAS ROOM</b>	<b>Healthcare Access &amp; Equity TAFT ROOM</b>	
<b>Panelists:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dr. Natasha Warikoo, Professor of Sociology at Tufts University, author, and expert on racial and ethnic inequality in education</li> <li>Akil Vohra, Executive Director of Asian American LEAD</li> <li>Rohan Dharan, Manager, Secondary Advanced and Enriched Instruction at District of Columbia Public Schools</li> <li>Dr. Anil Nathan, Economist and MPA &amp; MPP Program Director at George Washington University</li> </ul>	<b>Moderator:</b> Samira Khan, President of South Asian Public Health Association  <b>Panelists:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dr. Meena Seshamani, Director of the Center for Medicare</li> <li>Dr. Kavita Patel, Physician &amp; former Director of Policy for the Office of Intergovernmental Affairs and Public Engagement in the White House</li> <li>Kishan Putta, Communications &amp; Community Outreach Specialist, DC Health Link</li> </ul>		
11:30 – 12:45 PM	<b>LUNCH PROGRAM GRAND BALLROOM</b> <b>Women Who Lead</b> <b>Speakers:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mini Timmaraju, President of NARAL</li> <li>Richa Moorjani, Activist &amp; Actress</li> </ul> <b>Moderator:</b> Keshu Ram Hinsdale, Vermont State Senate <b>Panelists:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Neera Tanden, White House Staff Secretary</li> <li>Rohini Kosoglu, Domestic Policy Advisor to VP Kamala Harris</li> <li>Sadaf Jaffer, New Jersey General Assembly</li> <li>Opal Vadhan, Personal Aide to Vice President Kamala Harris</li> </ul>		
1:00 – 2:15 PM	<b>Trainings (Choose 1)</b>		
	<b>Be the Change: What to Know When Running for Office HOLMES + HUGHES</b>	<b>Desis Vote: Mobilizing Our Communities to Make the Difference PIERCE</b>	<b>WhatsTrue: Deciphering and Combating Misinformation in Digital Spaces TAFT</b>
<b>Moderator:</b> Raghu Devaguptapu, Partner at Left Hook Strategy <b>Speakers:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Senator Nikil Saval, PA State Senate</li> <li>Senator Jay Chaudhuri, NC State Senate</li> <li>Aruna Miller, Former MD State Delegate</li> <li>Councilwoman Sangeeta Doshi, Cherry Hill City Council</li> </ul>	<b>Speakers:</b> Sara Sadhwani, Professor of Politics at Pomona College and researcher specializing in American race and ethnic politics David Baum, creator and founder of DigiCanvass <b>Partners:</b> AAJC, APIA Vote, AAPN, Chalo Vote, DigiCanvass, NCAAT, SAAPRI, SAAVETX, SAFA, Wise Up, The Democracy Labs & more!	<b>Trainers:</b> Hannah Waltz, Coordinator of U.S. Free Expression Programs at PEN America Aishika Jennela, Programs Manager of Mis/Disinformation at Indian American Impact Irfan Ibrahim, Digital Organizer at Indian American Impact  <b>Partner:</b> PEN America	
2:30 – 3:30 PM	<b>Break Out 2: Constituencies (Choose 1)</b>		
	<b>Youth Who Lead HOLMES + HUGHES</b>	<b>Pan-South Asian Mobilization TAFT</b>	<b>LGBTQ+ Inclusion PIERCE</b>
	<b>Moderator:</b> Simi Shah, Chief of Staff to Indra Nooyi and Host of South Asian Trailblazers <b>Panelists:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pareen Mhatre, Communications Manager for Improve the Dream and immigration activist</li> <li>Bushra Amiwala, Skokie Board of Education and youngest elected Muslim woman in America</li> <li>Sumana Kaluvai, founder of The Hidden Dream and immigrant rights activist</li> <li>Tirthna Badhiwala, Director of Operations at The Literacy Lab, activist, and organizer</li> <li>Amilyn Thomas, children's and disability rights activist</li> </ul>	<b>Moderator:</b> Praveen Meyyan, Economist and AAPI community leader and organizer <b>Panelists:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kiran Kaur Gill, Executive Director of SALDEF (Sikh American Legal Defense and Education Fund)</li> <li>Mussab Ali, Former Jersey City Board of Education President and youngest and first Muslim elected official in the history of Jersey City</li> <li>Sapna Pandya, Strategic adviser, LGBTQ+ rights activist, and Hindu priest</li> </ul>	<b>Moderator:</b> Kenrick Ross, Executive Director, National Queer Asian Pacific Islander Alliance <b>Panelists:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sunu Chandy, Legal Director of the National Women's Law Center</li> <li>Vaibhav Jain, National Outreach Director at AAPI Victory Fund</li> <li>Parag Mehta, Managing Director and President of the PolicyCenter at JPMorgan Chase</li> <li>Aruna Rao, Executive Director and Founder of Desi Rainbow Parents &amp; Allies</li> <li>Lana Patel, Senior Community Coordinator for Plume</li> </ul>
3:45 – 4:30 PM	<b>CLOSING PLENARY GRAND BALLROOM</b> <b>Inclusive Immigration</b> <b>Moderator:</b> Krish Vignarajah, President and CEO of LIRS and former Policy Director for First Lady Michelle Obama <b>Panelists:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Todd Schulte, President of FWD.us</li> <li>Dip Patel, Founder of Improve the Dream</li> <li>Meghna Damani, award-winning filmmaker and advocate for H-4 dependent spouses</li> <li>Brent Renison, Immigration attorney with Parrilli Renison LLC</li> </ul>		