



Asian American Leadership Seminar

Strengthening Leadership in the Asian American Community

Who: Individuals interested in honing their leadership skills.
What: Join us for a day of personal and leadership development training.
Featured keynote speaker: Jon Iwata, Senior Vice President, Communications, IBM
When: **Saturday, November 18, 2006** (8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.)
Where: Asia Society
 725 Park Avenue, New York, NY 10021
 Phone: (212) 288-6400
Cost: \$25 general / \$10 students (Includes continental breakfast, lunch and materials.)
Registration deadline: Friday, November 10, 2006

SEMINAR SCHEDULE

Morning Session	Activity	Afternoon Session	Activity
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Registration & Breakfast	12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.	Lunch
9:00 a.m. – 9:10 a.m.	Welcome & Overview	1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.	Session II (Concurrent Tracks) -A Leader's Challenge and Responsibility—Asian American Philanthropy -Understanding Your Cultural Values -Making a Great First Impression
9:10 a.m. – 9:40 a.m.	Icebreaker	3:30 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	Break (bubble tea and networking)
9:40 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Keynote: Jon Iwata, Senior Vice President, Communications, IBM	3:45 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Wrap Up/Next Steps
10:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.	Session I (Concurrent Tracks) -Owning Your Own Risk -Gender, Values, and Leadership -Being a 21 st Century Leader		

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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Planning Committee

Leap • Asia Society • Asian Americans/Pacific Islanders in Philanthropy-New York • Asian Women Leadership Network • New York Asian Women's Center

Collaborating Organizations

Asian American Federation of New York • Asian American Legal Defense and Education Fund • Asian Women in Business • Korean American Community Fund • Korean American League for Civic Action

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Leadership Education for Asian Pacifics, Inc. (LEAP) is a national, non-profit, community-based organization with a mission to achieve full participation and equality for Asian Pacific Americans through leadership, empowerment and policy.

REGISTRATION FORM

First Name	MI	Last Name
Title	Organization/Company	
Address	City, State	Zip
Phone	Email Address	

Payment: Please circle one: \$25 / General fee \$10 / Student fee

Enclosed is a check made payable to: LEAP

Credit Card Number: _____ Exp. Date: _____

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*You are welcome to bring materials from your organization to place on a Community Information Table.
 Will your organization be providing materials for the Community Information Table? Yes No

How did you hear about the Seminar? website email flyer friend/colleague other: _____

Workshop selection:

Please select *one* workshop each for Session I and Session II to allow us to anticipate numbers.

	Workshop 1	Workshop 2	Workshop 3
Session I (10:15-12:15)	<input type="checkbox"/> <u>Owning Your Own Risk</u> During this facilitated learning and discussion session, we'll challenge participants to ask themselves if they have what it takes to be their own boss and to think about what they need to do to prepare themselves for this change. Together with a facilitator, draw upon the experiences of a panel of small business, nonprofit and corporate leaders, to assess your own readiness and develop next steps for owning your own risk.	<input type="checkbox"/> <u>Gender, Values, and Leadership</u> In this engaging session, participate in a discussion about how men and women develop as leaders, assess communication style differences, and learn about the influence of gender values on the choices and decisions that men and women make today. Develop and leverage strategies that will allow you to communicate and lead effectively.	<input type="checkbox"/> <u>Being a 21st Century Leader</u> What are the characteristics of an effective leader and how does one become a leader? During this presentation, participants are introduced to LEAP's leadership framework of becoming a 21 st Century leader. Techniques for incorporating key elements of this new leadership framework will be shared so that participants can become successful leaders.
Session II (1:30-3:30)	<input type="checkbox"/> <u>A Leader's Challenge and Responsibility: Asian American Philanthropy</u> How is philanthropy both an imperative and a responsibility of strong and effective leaders? What are the benefits of civic leadership and philanthropy? Through this interactive session, these questions and more will lead you to an out-of-the-box exploration of leadership – professionally and personally.	<input type="checkbox"/> <u>Understanding Your Cultural Values</u> Embark on a process of increased self-awareness by exploring the relationship between Asian cultural and mainstream value systems. You'll also consider the impact of perceptions and devise solutions to leverage positive perceptions and minimize negative perceptions.	<input type="checkbox"/> <u>Making a Great First Impression</u> If you were a product, how would you market yourself to stand apart from the competition? Learn to use the strategies of successful companies to grab the attention of employers, funders and anyone with whom you want to make a great first impression. Learn tips and tactics essential to a great first impression and positive personal brand.

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