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BREAKING THE API GLASS CEILING: LEGAL, ENTERTAINMENT, JOURNALISM, TECH

California State Senate Select Committee on Asian Pacific Islander (API) Affairs
Co-host: California Asian & Pacific Islander (API) Legislative Caucus

Silicon Valley Community Foundation,
2440 W El Camino Real #300, Mountain View, CA 94040
Tuesday, September 17, 2019
11:30 a.m. to 2:00 pm

AGENDA

I. Welcome Remarks

- **Senator Pan**, Chair, Select Committee on API Affairs
- **Assemblymember Marc Berman**, 24th Assembly District
- **Nicole Taylor**, President and CEO, Silicon Valley Community Foundation

II. Legal

1. **Hon. Judge Rupa Goswami**, Judge of Los Angeles Superior Court
 - i. "A Portrait of Asian Americans in the Law": current Asian Americans make up in public services

III. Entertainment

1. **Michelle Sugihara**, Coalition of Asian Pacifics in Entertainment (CAPE)
 - i. Asian writers and executives in entertainment
2. **Adele Lim**, Writer Producer
 - i. Asians on screen time and challenges in creating Asian-centric shows

IV. Journalism

1. **Ted Han**, Asian American Journalists Association, National Vice President of Finance
 - i. The Association of News Editors survey: API data on reporters, producers, editors

V. Tech

1. **Buck Gee**, Executive Advisor, Ascend Foundation Research
2. **Janet Wong**, Executive Advisor, Ascend Foundation Research
3. **Linda Akutagawa**, President and CEO, Leadership Education for Asian Pacifics (LEAP)
4. **Allison Scott**, Chief Research Officer, Kapor Center
5. **Marilyn Nagel**, CEO, Watermark
6. **Teddy Liaw**, CEO, NexRep, LLC

VI. Public Comment

VII. Closing Remarks