

15% & GROWING

THE POLICY PRIORITIES AND CIVIC ENGAGEMENT OF ASIAN AMERICANS & PACIFIC ISLANDERS IN CALIFORNIA

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2013
NOON - 1:00 P.M. | KING HALL, RM 1001

Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders are a sizable and rapidly growing portion of California. They remain the fastest growing racial group in the state, and also the most heavily immigrant racial group in the state and country. AAPIs today represent over 1 in every 7 residents in California, and about 10% of the electorate.

What are the policy priorities and preferences of this large and diverse group of Californians, particularly when it comes to health, education, and the environment? And, looking ahead to 2014 and beyond, what will it take for AAPIs to play a more central role in civic life and politics in California?

Come join us for a public forum on the policy priorities and civic engagement of AAPIs in California, featuring insights from policy scholars and community leaders on the ways to forge a new path forward.

LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED

FEATURING:

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION:

Dean Kevin R. Johnson
UC Davis School of Law

SPEAKERS:

Professor Karthick Ramakrishnan
*Political Science, UC Riverside
& Director of the National
Asian American Survey*

Professor Taeku Lee
Political Science, UC Berkeley

Professor Chris Elmendorf
UC Davis School of Law

Ms. Carolyn Hsu
*Staff Attorney on voting rights
issues, Asian Americans
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