

LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

SEPT. 14-18, 2020

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WELCOME TO THE CONGRESSIONAL HISPANIC CAUCUS INSTITUTE 2020 HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH EVENTS



Rep. Ruben Gallego CHCI Chair



Marco A. Davis CHCI President & CEO

Welcome to the CHCI 2020 Leadership Conference, the gathering of Latino and other leaders that begins our Hispanic Heritage Month activities. This year's theme, **Our Voice**, *Nuestro Poder*, is more important than ever before. The current challenges—a global pandemic that is impacting the lives and livelihood of the Hispanic community in ways we never could have imagined, and, added to that, the decades-long racial injustice that was exhibited through horrific acts of violence against Black Americans caught on video, have both exposed deep disparities in our society, and provoked serious action and reflection among all of us.

In an all virtual setting, our Leadership Conference will feature an engaging lineup of more than 200 speakers, presenters, and moderators who are global and national leaders, public officials, advocates, policymakers, community leaders, and journalists recognized for their vision, expertise, and influence in the public, private, and nonprofit sectors. Plenaries and breakout sessions will provide insightful and timely conversations on climate change; health and wellness including disparities, inequities, and the impact of COVID-19; education; immigration; Latino identity; leadership and representation; and the importance of civic engagement. Speakers will also tackle why diversity in leadership roles across all sectors is needed to help dismantle systemic racism and disparities and unlock possibilities for all members of our society.

This year, two new features include a virtual Career Fair for employers who want to connect with top Latino talent, and jobseekers interested in learning about new opportunities in all sectors. The Pitch Competition, named the COVID-19 Recovery Investment Program, will feature remarkable Latino business, nonprofit, and community leaders who have launched or grown efforts focused on COVID-19 recovery in their communities.

For more than 40 years, CHCI has educated, empowered, and connected Latino leaders who are actively changing the economic and public policy landscape in the United States. By convening leaders from the public, private, and nonprofit sectors to discuss the issues facing the Latino community and the nation, we foster a dialogue that produces solutions for the challenges we all face, and help forge a path to a stronger, united, and more just America that upholds its founding values.

CHCI is the premier Hispanic leadership development organization in the nation's capital; all that we do stems from our commitment to developing the next generation of Latino/a/x leaders. The R2L NextGen Participants, Congressional Interns, Public Policy and Graduate Policy Fellows, and more than 4,000 CHCI alumni we serve make an impact through the activities they carry out. We are pleased to be able to support their continued leadership development and contributions, and your participation and support is vital to our mission. The Latino community is 63 million strong! At our Leadership Conference, we will collectively raise our voice, nuestro poder to make a difference and identify the way forward as Latinos continue to be the largest, youngest, and fastest growing demographic of our society. We all count, and we must make sure the world knows it.

The support we receive for our Hispanic Heritage Month events – including this Leadership Conference – is a vital funding source for our programs and activities. We are grateful to our sponsors for their leadership, and for everyone's support and participation, which represent an investment in the nation's future. We hope you enjoy the next few days of conversation about leading our community and the country forward, and kicking off an outstanding Hispanic Heritage Month.

Sincerely,

Rep. Ruben Gallego (AZ-7) CHCI Chair Marco A. Davis CHCI President & CEO

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

11:45 AM - 12:00 PM EDT	WELCOME TO CHCI LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE - DAY 1	
12:00 PM - 1:15 PM EDT	PLENARY Our Voice, Nuestro Poder	Civic Engagement, Civil Rights, Public Policy Track
1:15 PM - 1:30 PM EDT	GUIDED MEDITATION BREAK FROM PUERTO RICO	Wellness
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM EDT	BREAKOUT SESSIONS	
	Building a Pipeline of Latino Educators	Education & Workforce Development Track
	Climate Change	Health, Wellness, Environment Track
	Leadership in a Time of Crisis: Public-Private Partnerships for Social Good	Leadership & Innovation Track
2:30 PM - 2:45 PM EDT	WELLNESS SESSION Flexing Your Resilience by Flexing Your Thoughts	Wellness
2:45 PM - 3:00 PM EDT	SPARK TALK Strong Roots: Sugar Industry Builds Diverse Communities	
3:15 PM - 4:15 PM EDT	BREAKOUT SESSIONS	
	Maintaining Strong & Healthy Latino Families in a Time of Crisis	Civic Engagement, Civil Rights, Public Policy Track
	Puerto Rico: Opening the Door to a Brighter Economic Future	Economic Mobility & Financial Services Track
	Virtual Workforce: The New Normal	Education & Workforce Development Track
4:15 PM - 4:45 PM EDT	ATTENDEE MEET-UP	Networking
4:45 PM - 5:30 PM EDT	CEO CONVERSATIONS Oscar Muñoz, United Airlines Holdings, Inc.	Fireside Chat

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

11:45 AM - 12:00 PM EDT	WELCOME TO CHCI LEADERSHIP CONI	FERENCE - DAY 2
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM EDT	BREAKOUT SESSIONS	
	Criminal Justice Reform: Dismantling Inequality and the Push for Social Reform	Civic Engagement, Civil Rights, Public Policy Track
	Mental Health: Starting a Journey of Recovery	Health, Wellness, Environment Track
	Role of Financial Services Sector in Philanthropy and Investment	Economic Mobility & Financial Services Track
12:00 PM - 3:00 PM EDT	CHCI VIRTUAL CAREER FAIR	
1:00 PM - 1:15 PM EDT	GUIDED MEDITATION BREAK FROM PUERTO RICO	Wellness
1:15 PM - 2:15 PM EDT	BREAKOUT SESSIONS	
	Activism & Social Change - Building a Movement with Social Media	Leadership & Innovation Track
	Energy Solutions for a Better Planet	Health, Wellness, Environment Track
	Latinos and the Essential Workforce	Education & Workforce Development Track
2:15 PM - 2:30 PM EDT	WELLNESS SESSION Flexing Your Resilience by Flexing Your Thoughts	Wellness
2:30 PM - 2:45 PM EDT	SPARK TALK SiriusXM + Pandora: A Conversation with La Doña	
3:00 PM - 4:15 PM EDT	PLENARY Addressing Economic Disparities and Building Financial Security	Economic Mobility & Financial Services Track
4:15 PM - 5:15 PM EDT	CEO CONVERSATIONS The Future of Energy: A CEO and Policy Maker Roundtable	Fireside Chat
5:15 PM - 6:15 PM EDT	PLENARY The Future of Entertainment	Media & Entertainment Track

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

11:45 AM - 12:00 PM EDT	WELCOME TO CHCI LEADERSHIP CON	FERENCE - DAY 3
12:00 PM - 1:30 PM EDT	PLENARY Global Pandemics: Innovation for Early Detection and a Coordinated Response System	Health, Wellness, Environment Track
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM EDT	BREAKOUT SESSIONS	
	Feeding Our Nation: Latino Workers in Agriculture	Civic Engagement, Civil Rights, Public Policy Track
	Latino Voices and American Journalism and Media	Media & Entertainment Track
	Small Businesses - Preparing for Resiliency in an Age of Growing Uncertainty and Natural Disasters	Economic Mobility & Financial Services Track
1:30 PM - 4:30 PM EDT	CHCI VIRTUAL CAREER FAIR	
2:45 PM - 3:15 PM EDT	SPARK TALK Friends of the National Museum of American Latino	
3:15 PM - 4:15 PM EDT	BREAKOUT SESSIONS	
	Blockchain Technology and Its Untapped Potential to Tackle Society's Most Complex Issues	Technology Track
	Gun Violence: El Paso a Year Later	Civic Engagement, Civil Rights, Public Policy Track
	How to Run for Office	Leadership & Innovation Track
4:30 PM - 5:15 PM EDT	CEO CONVERSATIONS Jamie Dimon, JPMorgan Chase & Co.	Fireside Chat
5:30 PM - 6:30 PM EDT	HHM OPEN DIALOGUE (BY INVITATION ONLY)	Networking

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

11:45 AM - 12:00 PM EDT	WELCOME TO CHCI LEADERSHIP CONF	FERENCE - DAY 4
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM EDT	BREAKOUT SESSIONS	
	Afro-Latino Identity and Racism: A Frank Conversation	Civic Engagement, Civil Rights, Public Policy Track
	Education: Preparing Latino Students for an Unpredictable Future	Education & Workforce Development Track
	Smart Cities - Building an Inclusive and Accessible Urban Future	Leadership & Innovation Track
1:00 PM - 1:15 PM EDT	GUIDED MEDITATION BREAK FROM PUERTO RICO	Wellness
1:15 PM - 2:15 PM EDT	BREAKOUT SESSIONS	
	Disruptive Innovation: Re-inventing Businesses in an Unpredictable Era	Leadership & Innovation Track
	Transforming the Supply Chain	Leadership & Innovation Track
	Unlocking Opportunity for Future Generations	
2:15 PM - 2:30 PM EDT	WELLNESS SESSION Flexing Your Resilience by Flexing Your Thoughts	Wellness
2:30 PM - 2:45 PM EDT	SPARK TALK The State of COVID-19 and Environmental Health Threats in the Latino Community	
3:00 PM - 4:15 PM EDT	PLENARY Racial Equity & Social Justice in America - Building on 2020's Momentum	Leadership & Innovation Track
5:00 PM - 6:15 PM EDT	PITCH COMPETITION COVID-19 Recovery Investment Program	

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

11:45 AM - 12:00 PM EDT	WELCOME TO CHCI LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE - DAY 5	
12:00 PM - 1:15 PM EDT	PLENARY Supporting Work-Life Balance for Working Mothers	Education & Workforce Development Track
1:15 PM - 1:30 PM EDT	GUIDED MEDITATION BREAK FROM PUERTO RICO	Wellness
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM EDT	BREAKOUT SESSIONS	
	A New Generation of Employees & A Changing Workforce	Education & Workforce Development Track
	CHCI-Dell Policy Hack 2020 - Hacking the Digital Divide	Hackathon
	-	Hackathon Leadership & Innovation Track
2:30 PM - 3:10 PM EDT	Hacking the Digital Divide	Leadership &



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