

A panoramic view of the Austin skyline at dusk, featuring various skyscrapers and a bridge in the foreground. The sky is a mix of dark blues and oranges, and the city lights are beginning to glow.

Austin AAPI Professional Summit & After-Hours Cultural Mixer



About Us

Who We Are

Launched last year in 2023, the Austin AAPI Professional Summit is a free event dedicated to networking, connecting, and celebrating the vibrant Austin AAPI community. The Austin AAPI Professional Summit is made possible through the alliance of multiple corporate Employee Resource Groups (ERGs), the Asian American Resource Center (AARC) and the Greater Austin Asian Chamber of Commerce (GAACC), with support from Austin Asian American Film Festival (AAFF), Orchid Events, and Northshore Media Productions.

Mission Statement

Our mission is to bridge our Austin Asian American and Pacific Islander business professionals with Austin AAPI nonprofit community professionals to synergize our support and create a more significant impact within the Austin AAPI community. Through our summit, we aspire to create a vibrant space for sharing diverse perspectives, insights, and ideas that pave the way for meaningful connections and collective growth. We are breaking any silos between our corporate ERGs to help the local Austin community in a united front.

About the Event

The 2024 Austin AAPI Professional Summit is a *two-part* event that aims to build bridges between Asian American and Pacific Islander (AAPI) industry professionals and empower direct support for the local AAPI community beyond the workplace. Both events are FREE with RSVP to all attendees.

Networking Horizons

The Austin Asian Professional Summit is made possible through official collaboration between:

- **12+ corporate ERG programming hosts**
- Asian American Resource Center (AARC)
- Greater Austin Asian Chamber of Commerce (GAACC)

With the unwavering contribution Orchid Events and Northshore Media Productions

Part I: The Summit

- We invite attendees to learn from a panel of speakers made up of AAPI business and community leaders sharing how they fortify connections and drive positive impact in the city as AAPI individuals.
- **8+ non-profits:** We will speak and set up booths to showcase the different AAPI Austin nonprofit organizations and initiatives that support the AAPI community in Austin

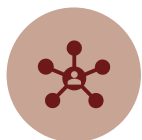
Registration link: (Summit Only)
<https://lu.ma/aaps> [lu.ma]

Part II: After-Hours Cultural Mixer

- After the Summit, we invite attendees to extend their conversations through an After-Hours Cultural Mixer, where we will **celebrate AAPI artists** in a vibrant showcase of culture and creativity with live bands and musical performances

Registration link: (After-Hours Social)
<https://lu.ma/aapshh>

Why Attend?



Networking Opportunity Galore

With 12+ Corporate Asian ERGs & non-profit leaders in attendance, this summit is the ideal venue to expand your network and connect with an ecosystem of professionals from these various industries.



Empowering Panel Discussions

Hear from local community and business leaders who are making significant impacts. These discussions are designed to inspire, educate, and provide actionable insights that you can apply to your own journeys.



Free Admission with RSVP

We believe in making empowerment and community support accessible to everyone. By eliminating the cost of entry, we hope to remove barriers and open the opportunities for all.



Why should I stay for the After-Hours Cultural Mixer?

- Celebrate AAPI culture and artists creativity
- Network Informally: Continue making valuable connections in a relaxed, festive atmosphere, building relationships that go beyond professional ties

Why Volunteer?

Dive into an evening of inspiration and unity at the 2024 Austin AAPI Professional Summit! This groundbreaking event is the first of its kind offered to the City of Austin. As a volunteer, you'll be at the forefront of its planning and shaping, ultimately strengthening the bonds between AAPI employee resource groups, businesses, and nonprofit ecosystem. Engage with local community leaders through insightful discussions, help showcase impactful AAPI nonprofits, and facilitate networking opportunities that span a multitude of industries.

This summit isn't just about connect – it's about creating space for meaningful dialogue, exchanging innovative ideas, and fostering a supportive, inclusive environment. Volunteer now and join us in making this event a memorable beacon of unity! Space is limited.

[Volunteer Form](#)



Corporate AAPI ERGs programming hosts:

Adobe

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Applied Materials

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Emerson

Expedia

Gartner

Google

Indeed

National Instruments

Oracle

Participating AAPI NGO and Nonprofits



Event Vendors & Sponsors





Communication Examples

✿ Call for Volunteers: 2024 Annual Austin AAPI Professional Summit, May 3rd ✿

Austin ERG Members,

Dive into an evening of inspiration and unity at the 2024 Austin AAPI Professional Summit! This groundbreaking two-part event is the first of its kind offered to the City of Austin. As a volunteer, you'll be at the forefront of its planning, shaping, and execution to strengthening the bonds between 23+ Austin AAPI employee resource groups, businesses, and nonprofit ecosystem. Engage with local community leaders through insightful discussions, help showcase impactful AAPI nonprofits, and facilitate networking opportunities that span a multitude of industries.

This summit isn't just one and done – it's intended to create space for meaningful dialogue, exchanging innovative ideas, and fostering a supportive, inclusive environment for years to come. Volunteer now and join us in making this event a memorable beacon of unity!

Sign up for which role and AAPS Summit Session you'd like to volunteer for by April 11. Space is limited. Yes, you may record your volunteer hours as community service to the Greater Austin Asian Chamber of Commerce! Space is limited.

If you have any questions, please reach out to xxx and xxxx




The success of this event could not have been made possible without the following supporting ERG leads: xxxx, xxxx, xxxx, xxx etc.




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Mission Statement:

Our mission is to empower and unite the Asian American and Pacific Islander professionals in Austin through a platform that fosters networking, professional development, and community engagement. Through our summit, we aspire to create a vibrant space for sharing experiences, insights, and ideas that pave the way for meaningful connections and collective growth. We are breaking any silos between our corporate ERGs to help the local Austin community in a united front.

 The Summit
 TIME: May 3rd, 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM
 LOCATION: Asian American Resource Center Austin, Texas

 After-Hours Cultural Mixer
 TIME: May 3rd, 8:00 PM – 11:00 PM
 LOCATION: Inn Cahoots, Hotel & Event Space
Austin, Texas

Engage in **23+ corporate AAPI ERG, business and nonprofit community leaders**, through panel discussions that aim to fortify our connections and drive positive impact for the city of Austin AAPI community. Cantonese food and boba provided.

Join us to **celebrate AAPI artists** in a vibrant showcase of culture and creativity with live bands, Bollywood dancing and light bites and refreshments.

Call for Volunteers Example

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Email Example

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Subject: May 3: RSVP Now to 2024 Austin AAPI Professional Summit!

We invite you to an evening of inspiration and unity at the **2024 Austin AAPI Professional Summit!** This groundbreaking two-part event is the first of its kind through the official collaboration between Dell Asian in Action, **12+ other AAPI employee resource groups in Austin**, the [Greater Austin Asian Chamber of Commerce](#) (GAACC), and the [Asian American Resource Center](#) (AARC). Event is free to the public. You must register through each RSVP link to attend.

Our mission is to bridge our Austin Asian American and Pacific Islander business professionals with Austin AAPI nonprofit community professionals to synergize our support and create a more significant impact within the Austin AAPI community. This summit isn't just one and done! We intend to create space for meaningful dialogue, exchanging innovative ideas, and fostering a supportive, inclusive environment for years to come.

Event Details

Professional Summit:

- *Date:* Friday, May 3, 2024
- *Time:* 4PM – 7PM CST
- *Location:* Asian American Resource Center, 8401 Cameron RF, Austin, TX 78754

Please register to the Summit [here](#)

Learn from a panel of speakers made up of AAPI business and community leaders how they define community and the importance of community impact

Peruse **8+ Austin AAPI Nonprofits** and partake in unbounded opportunities for networking that span various industries, nonprofits, and NGOs.

Our Gratitude

This event is made possible through the collaboration of 12+ corporate AAPI Employee Resource Groups, the Asian American Resource Center (AARC), the Greater Austin Asian Chamber of Commerce (GAACC), and our esteemed supporters.

Additionally, we especially extend thanks to the following key [xxx](#) ERG leads for their unwavering dedication to this pan-city initiative: [xxxx](#), [xxx](#), [xxxx](#)

If you have any questions, please reach out to [###](#) or [###](#)

Collaborating AAPI ERG Programming Hosts:

- Adobe
- AMD
- Applied Materials
- Charles Schwab
- Dell Technologies
- Emerson
- Expedia
- Gartner
- Google
- Indeed
- National Instruments
- Oracle

After-Hours Cultural Mixer:

- *Date:* Friday, May 3, 2024
- *Time:* 8PM – 11PM CST
- *Location:* Inn Cahoots, 1221 E 6th St, Austin, TX 78702

Please register to Mixer [here](#)

Extend your conversations through an After-Hours Cultural Mixer, where we will celebrate AAPI artists in a vibrant showcase of culture and creativity with live bands, dance workshops, and musical performances.

Participating AAPI Nonprofit & NGOs:

Greater Austin Asian Chamber of Commerce, Asian American Resource Center, Austin Asian Community Health Initiative (AACHI), Austin Asian American Film Festival, Asian Texans for Justice (ATJ), The New Philanthropists, Asian Leaders Alliance, Ascend, and more...

Event Vendors and Contributors:

Orchid Events, Northshore Media Productions, Tso Delivery, Din Ho, Inn Cahoots, Coca Cola Zero



Social Media Example

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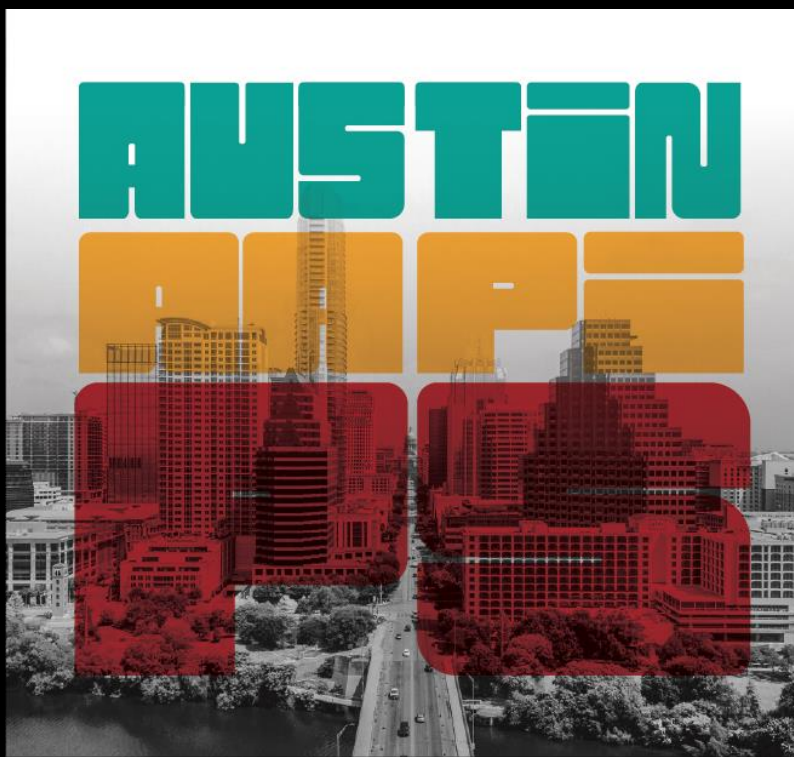
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May 3rd 4-7 PM



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