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# WELCOME OBAMA FOUNDATION LEADERS

Dear Leaders,

It is with great pleasure that we welcome you to this inaugural gathering of the Obama Foundation Leaders: Asia-Pacific Program.

This region has played a significant role in our lives. We've both witnessed its beauty in Indonesia and Hawai'i, while learning about its diverse cultures and complex history. And during our time in the White House, we traveled throughout the region, visiting Jakarta, sitting down to bún chả in Hanoi, and encouraging the vital work of supporting adolescent girls' education. We engaged with leaders of nearly every nation to discuss the incredible potential of the Asia Pacific—a potential rooted in abundant resources, growing economies, and strategic relevance.

But it was in meetings with emerging leaders, including members of the Young Southeast Asian Leaders Initiative, where we saw the region's greatest promise—a new generation, ready to build a brighter future.

With Leaders: Asia-Pacific, we are thrilled to build and expand on that promise, creating a program at the Obama Foundation that welcomes young leaders from throughout this varied region. Following in the footsteps of our Leaders: Africa program, this year-long opportunity will connect and empower 200 people just like you—optimistic, rooted in shared values, and willing to work for the future you want.

From the thousands who applied to this program, each of you have been selected because we believe in you. You have an important role to play in building a stronger, more prosperous, more inclusive region, even amidst challenges that are global in scale. We have no doubt that you are the change that the Asia Pacific has been waiting for. We're proud of you.

But we're also counting on you. We expect you to serve, not just as leaders, but as caretakers, supporting each other as you work to improve your societies. Advocating for change can be difficult work, and you're sure to face setbacks along the way. But you can learn from each other, you can lift each other up, and together, you can accomplish far more than you can alone.

We encourage you to use the next few days—and the coming year—to build lasting relationships with each other and the Obama Foundation. And we hope you leave this gathering with a renewed sense of purpose and commitment to serving others.

Good luck.



BARACK OBAMA

MICHELLE OBAMA



# SCHEDULE

## DAY 1 DECEMBER 10 (TUESDAY)

TIME	LOCATION	SESSION TITLE	SESSION DESCRIPTION
8:30 AM	Level 1 UG	<b>Security Processing</b>	*Please arrive by 8:30 AM to allow time for security processing for access to the event space.
9:30 - 10:30 AM	Lobby	<b>Registration</b>	Pick up your credential and program materials. Then stop by our Supply Station to pick up your swag.
10:30 - 11:30 AM	Summit 2	<b>Welcome &amp; Orientation</b>	
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM	Summit 2	<b>Plenary</b>	We Are the Future: Progress and Possibility in the Asia Pacific
12:30 - 1:30 PM	Summit 1	<b>Lunch</b>	
1:30 - 3:00 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Workshops</b>	Your assigned session and room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet. More information about each session and respective speakers can be found on pages 11-26.
3:00 - 3:30 PM	Break		
3:30 - 5:00 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Workshops</b>	Your assigned session and room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet. More information about each session and respective speakers can be found on pages 11-26.
5:00 - 5:45 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>1:1 Connection Break</b>	Check your schedule card to see the person you are assigned to meet and the room where you should meet them. Spend 10-15 minutes of your break getting to know one another. Use the following questions as a guide to start a discussion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What's your favorite time of day, and why?</li> <li>• What is one interesting thing you've learned from your earlier sessions?</li> <li>• What's one career you wish you could have that is completely different from what you do now?</li> </ul>
5:45 - 7:15 PM	Summit 2	<b>Community Connect</b>	Please gather at Summit 2 to await instructions on where to proceed with your Community Group.
7:15 - 8:15 PM	Summit 1	<b>Dinner</b>	Theme: Where I Come From * Please bring one item that you feel represents you or your background, such as a small personal item or a photo from home.

## DAY 2 DECEMBER 11 (WEDNESDAY)

TIME	LOCATION	SESSION TITLE	SESSION DESCRIPTION
8:30 AM	Level 1 UG	<b>Security Processing</b>	*Please arrive by 8:30 AM to allow time for security processing for access to the event space.
9:30 - 10:30 AM	Summit 2	<b>Plenary</b>	Entrepreneurship: Working with Purpose
10:30 - 11:00 AM	Break		
11:00 AM - 12:30 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Workshops</b>	Your assigned session and room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet. More information about each session and respective speakers can be found on pages 11-26.
12:30 - 1:30 PM	Lunch		
1:30 - 3:00 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Workshops</b>	Your assigned session and room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet. More information about each session and respective speakers can be found on pages 11-26.
3:00 - 3:30 PM	Break		
3:30 - 5:00 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Workshops</b>	Your assigned session and room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet. More information about each session and respective speakers can be found on pages 11-26.
5:00 - 5:45 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>1:1 Connection Break</b>	Check your schedule card to see the person you are assigned to meet and the room where you should meet them. Spend 10-15 minutes of your break getting to know one another. Use the following questions as a guide to start a discussion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Do you have a nickname? How did it become your nickname?</li> <li>• What is your biggest takeaway from today's plenary and workshop sessions?</li> <li>• How have you changed in the last few years?</li> </ul>
5:45 - 7:15 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Fireside Chats</b>	Your assigned room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet.
7:15 - 8:15 PM	Summit 1	<b>Dinner</b>	Community Service Project Briefing Dinner



**DAY 3** DECEMBER 12 (THURSDAY)

TIME	LOCATION	SESSION TITLE	SESSION DESCRIPTION
8:00 AM	Level 1 UG	<b>Security Processing</b>	*Please arrive by 8:00 AM to allow time for security processing for access to the event space.  **Please start the day in the attire you will wear to the Community Service Project, including your Obama Foundation t-shirt, closed toe shoes, and a rain jacket.
9:00 - 10:30 AM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Workshops</b>	Your assigned session and room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet. More information about each session and respective speakers can be found on pages 11-26.
10:30 - 10:45 AM	Break		*Please find a seat in Summit 2 for the following plenary by no later than 10:45AM. Seating will be first come, first serve. Late arrivals will not be accommodated.
11:00 AM - 12:15 PM	Summit 2	<b>Plenary</b>	Michelle Obama and Julia Roberts in Conversation with Deborah Henry
12:15 - 12:45 PM	Pick up your grab-and-go lunch as you depart the venue to load buses to depart for the Community Service Project.		
12:45 - 5:00 PM	<b>Lunch + Community Service Project</b>		
5:00 - 6:00 PM	Break		*You will be dropped off at VE Hotel. Please return back to the venue for your Community Connection session between 5:30 and 6:00 PM to allow time for security processing for access to the event space.
6:00 - 7:30 PM	Summit 2	<b>Community Connect - Empathy Box</b>	Please gather at Summit 2 to await instructions on where to proceed with your Community Group.
7:30 - 9:00 PM	Summit 1	<b>Dinner</b>	Theme: Recipes From Home *Please bring a (food) recipe from home for a dish that means something to you.

**DAY 4** DECEMBER 13 (FRIDAY)

TIME	LOCATION	SESSION TITLE	SESSION DESCRIPTION
8:30 AM	Level 1 UG	<b>Security Processing</b>	*Please arrive by 8:30 AM to allow time for security processing for access to the event space.
9:30 - 11:00 AM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Workshops</b>	Your assigned session and room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet. More information about each session and respective speakers can be found on pages 11-26.
11:00 - 11:15 AM	Break		*Please take your seats by no later than 11:15AM. Seating for the following plenary will be first come, first serve. Late arrivals will not be accommodated.
11:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Summit 2	<b>Plenary</b>	How the Asia Pacific Shaped Us: President Obama and Maya Soetoro-Ng
1:00 - 2:30 PM	Summit 1	<b>Lunch</b>	Theme: Dive into Values
2:30 - 4:00 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Workshops</b>	Your assigned session and room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet. More information about each session and respective speakers can be found on pages 11-26.
4:00 - 4:45 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>1:1 Connection Break</b>	Check your schedule card to see the person you are assigned to meet and the room where you should meet them. Spend 10-15 minutes of your break getting to know one another. Use the following questions as a guide to start a discussion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What is your biggest takeaway from this convening so far?</li> <li>• What is the best conversation that you've had during this convening?</li> <li>• What is the funniest thing you did as a child that your friends or family still talk about?</li> </ul>
4:45 - 6:15 PM	Summit 2	<b>Community Connect</b>	Please gather at Summit 2 to await instructions on where to proceed with your Community Group.
6:15 - 6:45 PM	Break		
6:45 PM	Level 1 UG	<b>Security Processing</b>	*Please return back to the venue by 6:45 PM to allow time for security processing for access to the event space.
7:00 - 9:00 PM	Summit 1	<b>Formal Reception</b>	Theme: Pasar Malam (Night Market) *Note that the optional dress code for this evening is your national attire or an outfit that represents your cultural heritage. Professional attire is fine as well.



## DAY 5 DECEMBER 14 (SATURDAY)

TIME	LOCATION	SESSION TITLE	SESSION DESCRIPTION
8:30 AM	Level 1 UG	<b>Security Processing</b>	Please arrive by 8:30 AM to allow time for security processing for access to the event space.
9:30 - 10:30 AM	Summit 2	<b>Plenary</b>	Ethical Leadership: Values and the Obama Legacy
10:30 - 11:00 AM	Break		
11:00 AM - 12:30 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Workshops</b>	Your assigned session and room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet. More information about each session and respective speakers can be found on pages 11-26.
12:30 - 1:30 PM	Summit 1	<b>Lunch</b>	
1:30 - 5:00 PM		<b>Coaching</b>	Leadership Through Shared Wisdom
5:00 - 5:30 PM	Break		
5:30 - 6:45 PM	Summit 1	<b>Community Connect</b>	Please gather at Summit 1 (dining hall) to await instructions on where to proceed with your Community Group.
6:45 - 7:00 PM	Break		
7:00 - 9:00 PM	Summit 1	<b>Closing Dinner</b>	Theme: Gratitude

# SESSION DESCRIPTIONS

## PLENARIES

### DEC 10 WE ARE THE FUTURE: PROGRESS AND POSSIBILITY IN THE ASIA PACIFIC

The Asia-Pacific region is alive with possibility, promise, and progress. Leading changemakers will talk about the opportunities and challenges in the region—and how to take on issues together.

- Arthur Huang
- Aaron Maniam
- Oyun Saanjasuren
- Hannah Yeoh

Location: Summit 2

### DEC 11 ENTREPRENEURSHIP: WORKING WITH PURPOSE

Entrepreneurs from vastly different industries share what it means to practice values-based leadership—and what drives them to pursue their path. Hear the purpose behind their work and what it took to grow their organizations from the ground up.

- Tim Brown
- Pat Dwyer
- Helianti Hilman
- Tony Fernandes

Location: Summit 2

### DEC 12 MICHELLE OBAMA AND JULIA ROBERTS IN CONVERSATION WITH DEBORAH HENRY

Michelle Obama and Julia Roberts reflect on their trip to Vietnam with the Girls Opportunity Alliance—and share stories from their own journeys in leadership.

Location: Summit 2



**DEC 13****HOW THE ASIA PACIFIC SHAPED US**  
PRESIDENT OBAMA AND MAYA SOETORO-NG

President Obama takes the stage with his sister, Maya Soetoro-Ng, for a conversation about values-based leadership and growing up in Indonesia and Hawai'i.

Location: Summit 2

**DEC 14****ETHICAL LEADERSHIP**  
VALUES AND THE OBAMA LEGACY

Leaders will always face tough choices—how they approach them makes all the difference. In this conversation, Obama Administration alumni Bernadette Meehan and Ben Rhodes explore the idea of tackling tough challenges through ethical decision-making and share stories from their own leadership journeys.

- Ben Rhodes
- Bernadette Meehan
- Vanessa Paranjothy

Location: Summit 2

**WORKSHOPS**  
**DEC 10 - 11****LEADERSHIP AND AUTHENTIC ENGAGEMENT**  
MICHELLE ANN IKING

When a leader is authentically engaged, they are more energized and more connected, leading to better outcomes. Through the basics of coaching, Leaders will become aware of any gaps between their exterior persona and their interior reality—identifying if their desire to impact their community is in congruence with their own life's journey.

Location: Pinnacle 6

**LEADERSHIP AND SHARED VALUES**

JOHN SUNG

An integral part of creating a sustainable and high-functioning organization is to develop a set of values that upholds your vision and mission. In this three-part discussion, Leaders will discover why core values matter, identify their own, and learn how to apply them in real-life—creating stronger, more impactful organizations as a result.

Location: Pinnacle 3

**LEADERSHIP AND STORYTELLING**

GABRIELLE DOLAN

In this interactive session, Leaders will explore the power of storytelling and why it's so important for communicating your mission and purpose. Participants will learn the four types of storytelling in business, what makes a good story, and how to avoid common storytelling mistakes.

Location: Pinnacle 4

**LEADERSHIP AND TIME: MANAGING THE FUTURE**

AARON MANIAM

Time is a great equalizer—you can't buy it, and you can't sell it. But if you can learn to understand it better, the possibilities could be endless. Through a series of immersive experiential learning activities, Leaders will learn how to harness time as a leadership tool and not merely treat it as an external factor over which they have no control.

Location: Pinnacle 5

**LEADERSHIP THROUGH RECIPROCITY**

EMILY CUSHMAN

Leadership is equal parts doing the work and asking for help. In this session, Leaders work on building deep, authentic connections with fellow participants before engaging in an exercise to share individual strengths and identities. By sharing what they hope to contribute to the Leaders: Asia-Pacific community over the next year and beyond, and what they need to advance their own initiatives, the goal is to develop connections that last far beyond the last day of our convening.

Location: Pinnacle 8





# SPEAKERS



**TIM BROWN**  
NEW ZEALAND

Tim Brown is a former professional football player and the creative visionary behind Allbirds, a certified B Corporation built on the premise of creating environmentally-friendly and sustainable shoes. His experience as a World Cup football player for New Zealand led him to think about things on a grand scale, whether crafting shoes or running a business. Tim has an eye for all things design, and he's constantly driven by the desire to do things better. For Tim, it's not about the specific product or sport, it's about the meaning and intention behind it.



**GABRIELLE DOLAN**  
AUSTRALIA

Gabrielle Dolan is an international keynote speaker and bestselling author of five books on real communication and business storytelling, including her newest book, *Real Communication: How to Be You and Lead True*. Gabrielle has worked with thousands of high-profile leaders from around the world, while also helping Australia's top 50 companies and multinationals to humanize their communications. Gabrielle is also the founder of [www.jargonfreefridays.com](http://www.jargonfreefridays.com), a platform she uses to raise awareness in a fun way about a serious communication problem.



**DR. MAXINE BURKETT**  
HAWAII

Maxine Burkett is a Professor of Law at the William S. Richardson School of Law at the University of Hawai'i and a Global Fellow at the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars. She is also Co-Founder and Executive Director of the non-profit Institute for Climate and Peace. Maxine is an expert in the law and policy of climate change, with a specific focus on climate justice, climate-induced migration, and climate change, peace, and conflict. From 2009 to 2012, Maxine served as the inaugural director of the Center for Island Climate Adaptation and Policy. She serves on the boards of Blue Planet Foundation, The Climate Museum, ELAW, and Global Greengrants Fund and is a member of the Independent Advisory Committee on Applied Climate Assessment.



**PAT DWYER**  
PHILIPPINES/HONG KONG

Pat is the Founder and Director of The Purpose Business, a network of sustainability experts that work with businesses in Asia to embed sustainability and purpose into their operations. She has over 20 years of leadership in sustainability and also served as the first head of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) for Ayala Land. Serving as the first Global Head of CSR & Sustainability for Shangri-La Hotels, Pat drove a full strategy addressing key environmental issues such as waste management, pursuing sustainable seafood policies including a ban on serving shark's fin and launching a food traceability program. She is a World Economic Forum Young Global Leader and has served on WEF's Economic Forum Council on Future of Environment & Natural Resource Security. Pat is a fellow of the Asia Society and the Royal Society of Arts and serves on the board of Enrich as well as the board of Ignite Impact.





### TAN SRI DR. TONY FERNANDES MALAYSIA

Tony Fernandes, one of Asia's most recognizable entrepreneurs, is best known for co-founding AirAsia, the region's first low-cost airline. AirAsia has grown into Asia's largest low-cost carrier by passengers carried. Named the World's Best Low-Cost Airline at the annual Skytrax World Airline Awards 11 times in a row from 2009 to 2019, AirAsia was also awarded World's Leading Low-Cost Airline for the sixth consecutive year at the 2018 World Travel Awards, where it also won the World's Leading Low-Cost Airline Cabin Crew award for a second straight year. In 2010, Tony was named Businessman of the Year by *Forbes Asia*—the first person from an ASEAN country to receive the honor—for democratizing air travel and transforming AirAsia into a successful global brand. *TIME Magazine* included Tony in the 2015 TIME 100 list. In 2016, Tony was recognized by the US-ASEAN Business Council with the Fourth Pillar Award for his extraordinary contribution towards the growth of ASEAN.



### DR. PATRICIA HALAGAO HAWAII

Patricia Espiritu Halagao is Professor and Chair of Curriculum Studies at the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa's College of Education. As a Filipina American scholar and former elementary school teacher, Patricia is committed to equity and social justice in education. She received University of Hawai'i's highest Medal for Excellence in Teaching and Filipina Women's Network 100 Most Influential Filipina Women in the World Award. Appointed to the Hawai'i State Board of Education, Patricia spearheaded the adoption of two policies: The Seal of Biliteracy and Multilingualism for Equitable Education.



### DEBORAH HENRY MALAYSIA

Deborah Henry is a TV host, former Miss World Malaysia, and former Miss University Malaysia, who champions the rights of children and refugees and their right to education. After meeting a refugee family that changed her life, Deborah co-founded Fugee School, a school for refugee children in Malaysia. Deborah's philanthropic efforts have grown organically, and she also currently runs a nonprofit organization, Fugee.org, and a social enterprise, Fugeelah. Deborah was awarded the Golden Heart Award by the Queen of Malaysia and was listed as one of *Forbes Asia's* notable philanthropists.



### HELIANTI HILMAN INDONESIA

Helianti Hilman is the forefront promoter of Indonesia's food biodiversity. In 2008, Helianti founded JAVARA, a value-driven sustainable food company that turns heritage into organic artisanal gourmet food products. Under her leadership, JAVARA works with tens-of-thousands farmers and food artisans, introducing over 600 products, exporting to 24 countries. To create inclusive business opportunities in rural and remote Indonesia that further enhance the mission of keeping alive Indonesia's food biodiversity, in 2017 Helianti founded Sekolah Seniman Pangan, an action-based school and business ecosystem to promote food entrepreneurship among rural youth. Helianti was named Indonesia's Social Entrepreneur of the Year in 2013 and the Schwab Foundation's Social Entrepreneur of 2015.





### ARTHUR HUANG TAIWAN

Arthur Huang is a structural engineer, architect, and pioneer of loop economy building material solutions, specializing in post-consumer trash recycling applications that help shift mass consumption to a close-loop model. In 2005, he established MINIWIZ, a company dedicated to upcycling, turning consumer trash and industrial waste into innovative products. Under Arthur's leadership, MINIWIZ has pushed boundaries beyond all expectations, winning the company the *Financial Times*' Earth Award in 2010 and The *Wall Street Journal's* Asian Innovation Award in 2011. In 2015, MINIWIZ received the Technology Pioneers title by the World Economic Forum, recognizing the potential of the emerging industry that MINIWIZ is leading and the positive impact its innovative efforts have made on altering and adapting global consumption patterns.



### MICHELLE ANN IKING MALAYSIA

Michelle Ann Iking is a talent and organizational development professional whose mission is to empower people with the desire to be the best versions of themselves today, and realize their visions for a better tomorrow. Highly adaptable, she has helmed leadership roles across the telecommunications, financial services, and hospitality and travel industries and derives meaning from first facilitating dialogues that help people discover their purpose, then co-creating ecosystems to nurture and harness that purpose. She specializes in designing leadership programs that help emerging leaders clarify their vision and amplify their impact, in tangible, measurable ways. Michelle is also a passionate advocate for gender diversity issues, an industry mentor for Lean In Malaysia, and a believer in the creation of safe spaces for people to tap into the power of vulnerability, ultimately enabling individuals to be their best selves, in their workplaces as well as for their families and their communities.



### AARON MANIAM SINGAPORE

Aaron Maniam is a member of the Singapore Administrative Service, the government's leadership corps. As the founding Head of the Singapore Centre for Strategic Futures, which analyzes the implications of long-term trends, Aaron directs "Leadership in a Complex World," a multi-disciplinary module at the National University of Singapore's Scholars Program. A Young Global Leader of the World Economic Forum and Fellow of the Royal Society for the encouragement of the Arts, Manufactures, and Commerce, Aaron received the Singapore Youth Award from the Prime Minister in 2012.



### BERNADETTE MEEHAN UNITED STATES

Bernadette Meehan is the Chief International Officer at the Obama Foundation. Previously a State Department Foreign Service Officer, she served at the White House National Security Council (NSC) as Special Assistant to the President and NSC Spokesperson; as Special Assistant to the Secretary of State; and in diplomatic assignments in Baghdad, Dubai, and Bogota. Bernadette serves on the Advisory Board of Hostage U.S. and Georgetown University's Institute for the Study of Diplomacy, where she was also an Adjunct Professor and resident Fellow. Bernadette was previously Vice President of Private Banking at J.P. Morgan and Vice President of Asset Management at Lehman Brothers.





### VANESSA PARANJOTHY SINGAPORE

Vanessa Paranjothy is the Co-Founder of Freedom Cups and a promoter of reproductive health rights and gender justice. Freedom Cups operates in 11 countries across Asia and Africa, providing women reusable menstrual products under the “buy one, give one” model. For every cup sold, one is donated to a woman from an underserved community. Vanessa has been featured on the *Forbes* 30 under 30 Asia list and awarded the Commonwealth Youth Award for Excellence in Development Work representing Asia. Vanessa was also a member of the inaugural cohort of the Obama Foundation Scholars Program at Columbia University.



### JULIA ROBERTS UNITED STATES

Julia Roberts is an Academy Award winner who has worked with the industry’s most esteemed directors on films that have grossed more than \$3 billion worldwide. She has received multiple Academy Award® nominations -- including a win for *Erin Brockovich* in 2000 -- as well as nominations for a Golden Globe Award, an Emmy, and a Screen Actors Guild Award. Most recently, she starred in Amazon’s TV series *Homecoming*, in which she was nominated for a Golden Globe and Critics Choice Award.



### BEN RHODES UNITED STATES

Ben Rhodes is the author of *The New York Times* bestseller *The World As It Is*; a contributor for NBC News, MSNBC, and Crooked Media; the co-chair of National Security Action; and an advisor to former President Barack Obama. As a Deputy National Security Advisor to President Obama, Ben participated in nearly all of President Obama’s key decisions and oversaw the President’s national security communications, speechwriting, public diplomacy, and global engagement programming. He also led the secret negotiations with the Cuban government that resulted in the effort to normalize relations between the United States and Cuba and supported the negotiations to conclude the Joint Comprehensive Plan of Action with Iran. Prior to joining the Administration, Ben was a senior speechwriter and foreign policy advisor to the Obama campaign.



### DR. OYUN SANJAASUREN MONGOLIA

Oyun Sanjaasuren is the Director of External Affairs of the Green Climate Fund, the world’s largest dedicated fund dedicated to countering climate change. Oyun served as the first President of the United Nations Environment Assembly, the Governing Body of UN Environment, and has been an active advocate for sustainable development, climate change, and water security. She also served as Chair of the Global Water Partnership, a multi-stakeholder platform of institutional partners in more than 180 countries dedicated to improving water security. From 1999 to 2019, Oyun served five consecutive terms as a Member of Parliament in Mongolia, including the role of Minister of Environment and Minister of Foreign Affairs. She is the Founder of the Zorig Foundation, a leading Mongolian NGO that advances democracy and supports youth and is the Chair of Special Olympics Mongolia.





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**SENIA NG**  
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**NALINDRA ANNALIA  
PELEKAI**  
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INDONESIA

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PUSPA LESTARI**  
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MARSHALL ISLANDS

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NORTHERN MARIANA  
ISLANDS

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PAPUA NEW GUINEA

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LAWRENCE**  
PAPUA NEW GUINEA

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YANA**  
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PHILIPPINES

**JASON ALACAPA**  
PHILIPPINES

**JOM BAGULAYA**  
PHILIPPINES

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PHILIPPINES

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DUMAMA-ALBA**  
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**ELEANOR ROSA PINUGU**  
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**JATON ZULUETA**  
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**NATHAN CHONG-NEE**  
SAMOA/NEW ZEALAND

**TAHERE TALAINA  
SIISIILAFIA MAU**  
SAMOA

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SINGAPORE

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**ANNABELLE KWOK**  
SINGAPORE

**VIVIAN LIM**  
SINGAPORE

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**TIMOTHY LOW**  
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**ELLWYN TAN**  
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MICHELLE CHO**  
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**HYEYEON HOLLY KANG**  
SOUTH KOREA

**DAH YUN KIM**  
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**JOSEPH LIM**  
SOUTH KOREA

**DASOL LYU**  
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SOUTH KOREA

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**AKIRA WONGWAN**  
THAILAND

**SORAWIT PAIBOONRAT-  
TANAKORN**  
THAILAND

**MIDNIGHT POONKASET-  
WATTANA**  
THAILAND

**NÍVIO LEITE MAGALHÃES**  
TIMOR-LESTE

**LANU FALETAU**  
TONGA/NEW ZEALAND

**OFEINA MANUEL-  
BABARICH**  
TONGA

**BRIGITTE LABOUKLY**  
VANUATU

**JACKSON MIAKE**  
VANUATU

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VIETNAM

**HUYEN DUONG**  
VIETNAM

**NGOC HUYNH**  
VIETNAM

**TU NGO**  
VIETNAM

**HANH SIEU NGUYEN**  
VIETNAM

**HONG NGUYEN**  
VIETNAM

**SYLVIA NGUYEN**  
VIETNAM

**JOSEPH QUYEN  
VAN PHAN**  
VIETNAM

**TRANG TA**  
VIETNAM

**GIANG THI HUONG TO**  
VIETNAM

**ZEAN VO**  
VIETNAM

## COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT

The Leaders: Asia-Pacific Program is grounded in the Foundation's work to inspire, empower, and connect emerging leaders to make positive change in their community, their region, and the world.

Throughout this five-day convening, 200 Leaders from across the region will collectively take their first step toward creating a community of changemakers who are ready to learn and grow together, while diving into the many facets of values-based leadership. As Leaders journey together to create lasting change, both President and Mrs. Obama—and the Obama Foundation—hope that the spirit of serving others is at the core of everything they do.

To underscore the important relationship between service and leadership, the Obama Foundation Asia-Pacific Leaders will, as a group, roll up their sleeves and participate in a community service activity in an underserved community in Kuala Lumpur. This year, the Leaders: Asia-Pacific program is working with EPIC, a Malaysian organization that activates “Extraordinary People to Impact Communities” by inspiring, mobilizing, and empowering collaborative civic behavior through volunteer opportunities.

We hope each Leader will draw on the significance of this activity, and remember it as a call to action as they return to their home countries following the conclusion of the Leaders convening.



# FAST FACTS

## QUESTIONS?

If you have questions about the Obama Foundation, visit the Information Desk located in our Social Spaces.

## INTERNET

To access the internet, select **CCEC Vertical** as the network. A new window will appear, where you should click the box to read In House Guest and instead select **Access Code** from the drop down list. You will then need to submit the event passport: **leaders2019**

## SOCIAL MEDIA

When posting on your own social media channels, please: Use our hashtag **#ObamaLeaders** when posting. Take photos, share meaningful lessons, and tag us using **@ObamaFoundation!**

### Follow us here:

**@ObamaFoundation** on Twitter, Facebook, and Instagram

**@BarackObama** on Twitter, Facebook, and Instagram

**@MichelleObama** on Twitter, Facebook and Instagram

During your #ObamaLeaders Connect session, you'll also learn about additional ways to engage with us on social media.

## SOCIAL SPACES

During breaks and when you have free time, check out our Social Spaces to fuel up with snacks, coffee, tea, and water and to connect with fellow Leaders. Throughout these spaces, you will find the following experiences and exhibits:

### Supply Station

After registering, visit the Foundation's Supply Station to receive your Leaders: Asia-Pacific tote bag filled with items for use both during the convening and back home in your communities. Your tote bag will include a reusable water bottle, a t-shirt, a pen, a notebook, and more!

## Professional Profile Photos

During your #ObamaLeaders Connect session, you will be able to get your professional profile photo taken. Your photo can be used for your Leaders: Asia-Pacific Obama Connect page, LinkedIn, or any other social media or promotional channel. Digital files of photos will be shared after the convening. If you want to be ahead of the crowd, you can also visit the profile photo studio during break times on December 13 & 14 (Friday and Saturday), and get your photo taken on a first come, first served basis. Please note photo sessions are limited to one per person.

## Water, Coffee, and Tea

Stay hydrated with water and fuel up with coffee, tea, and snacks during breaks. Breaks are listed on the agenda pages of this program.

## LEADERSHIP RECIPROCITY POSTERS

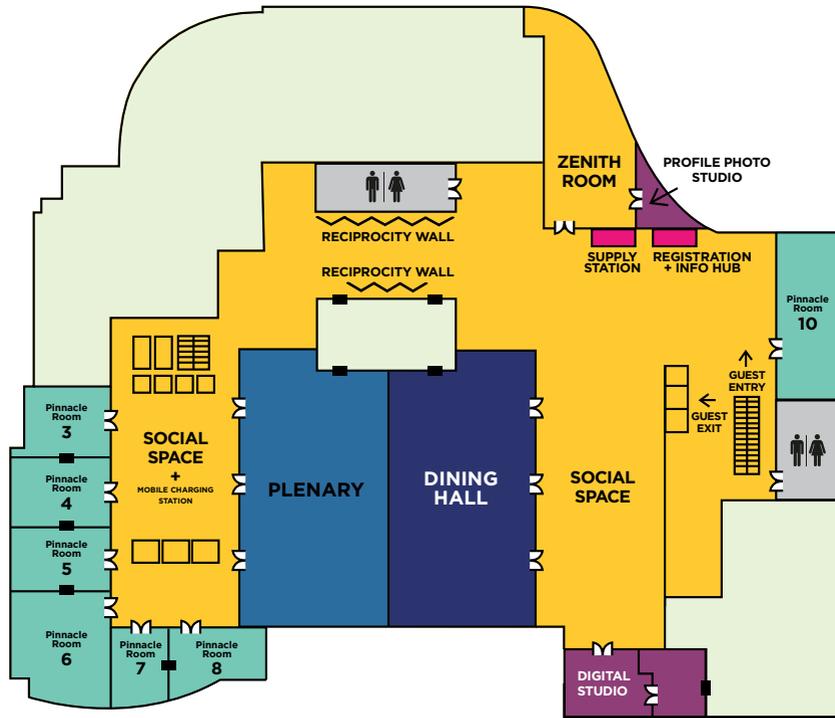
During the Leadership Through Reciprocity session, you will share with one another what you hope to contribute to the Leaders: Asia-Pacific community over the next year and beyond, and what you need to advance your own initiatives. The content you create during this session will be displayed in the Social Spaces by Thursday, December 12th. Be sure to visit this area to continue contributing!



Should you require medical care, please visit the Information Desk or call your Insurance Provider. If you do not have insurance of your own please visit the Information Desk or contact Obama Foundation Staff. A nearby clinic is located at Cengild G.I. Medical Centre (CGI), Unit 2-3 & 4, Level 2, Nexus @ Bangsar South, No 7, Jalan Kerinchi, 59200 Kuala Lumpur. In an emergency, please contact Malaysia's emergency number: 999.



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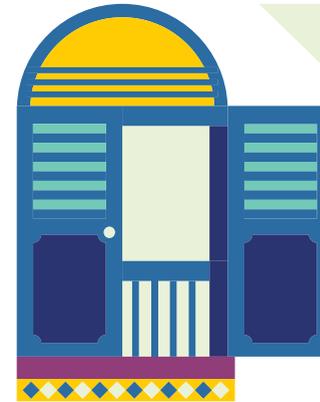


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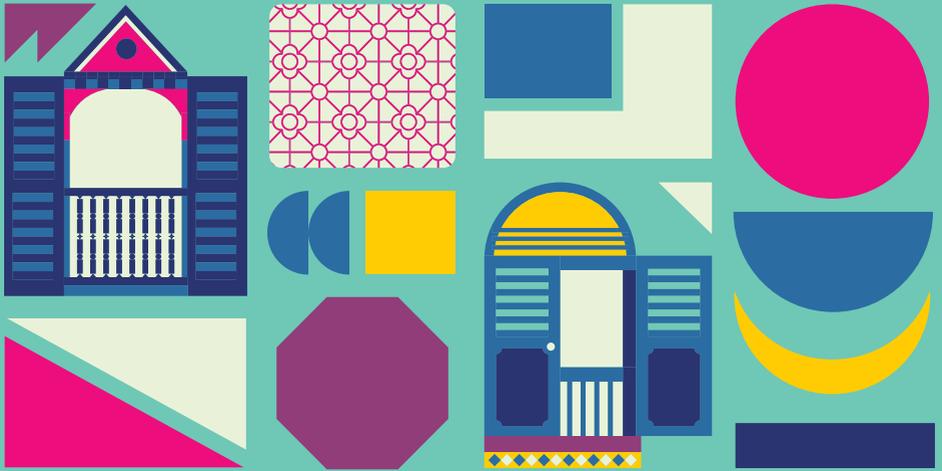
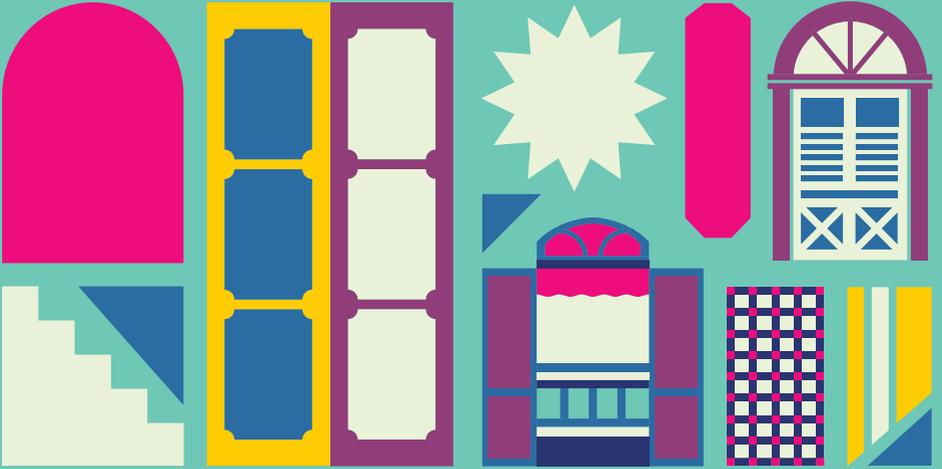
## DESIGN

Valen Lim Chong Chin is a graphic designer and illustrator from George Town, Penang. He dabbles in a variety of fields, such as brand identity, print graphics, typography and illustration. His works are heavily influenced by local heritage, yet emboldened by a modernist flair.

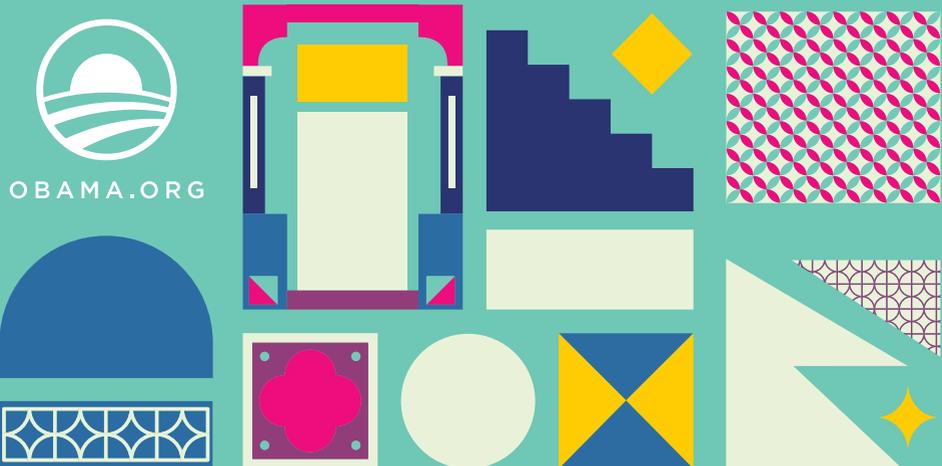


The graphic pattern Valen created for this event is inspired by the Malaysian tradition of the Open House (Rumah Terbuka): the concept of inviting family, friends, and strangers into one's home to celebrate festivals and other meaningful occasions. The graphic representations of doors and windows are coupled with abstract representations of motifs, colors, and patterns found around Kuala Lumpur homes to emphasize the hospitality and warmth that is a cornerstone of Malaysian culture and of other cultures across the Asia-Pacific region.





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# WELCOME OBAMA FOUNDATION LEADERS

Dear Leaders,

It is with great pleasure that we welcome you to this inaugural gathering of the Obama Foundation Leaders: Asia-Pacific Program.

This region has played a significant role in our lives. We've both witnessed its beauty in Indonesia and Hawai'i, while learning about its diverse cultures and complex history. And during our time in the White House, we traveled throughout the region, visiting Jakarta, sitting down to bún chả in Hanoi, and encouraging the vital work of supporting adolescent girls' education. We engaged with leaders of nearly every nation to discuss the incredible potential of the Asia Pacific—a potential rooted in abundant resources, growing economies, and strategic relevance.

But it was in meetings with emerging leaders, including members of the Young Southeast Asian Leaders Initiative, where we saw the region's greatest promise—a new generation, ready to build a brighter future.

With Leaders: Asia-Pacific, we are thrilled to build and expand on that promise, creating a program at the Obama Foundation that welcomes young leaders from throughout this varied region. Following in the footsteps of our Leaders: Africa program, this year-long opportunity will connect and empower 200 people just like you—optimistic, rooted in shared values, and willing to work for the future you want.

From the thousands who applied to this program, each of you have been selected because we believe in you. You have an important role to play in building a stronger, more prosperous, more inclusive region, even amidst challenges that are global in scale. We have no doubt that you are the change that the Asia Pacific has been waiting for. We're proud of you.

But we're also counting on you. We expect you to serve, not just as leaders, but as caretakers, supporting each other as you work to improve your societies. Advocating for change can be difficult work, and you're sure to face setbacks along the way. But you can learn from each other, you can lift each other up, and together, you can accomplish far more than you can alone.

We encourage you to use the next few days—and the coming year—to build lasting relationships with each other and the Obama Foundation. And we hope you leave this gathering with a renewed sense of purpose and commitment to serving others.

Good luck.



BARACK OBAMA



MICHELLE OBAMA



# SCHEDULE

## DAY 1 DECEMBER 10 (TUESDAY)

TIME	LOCATION	SESSION TITLE	SESSION DESCRIPTION
8:30 AM	Level 1 UG	<b>Security Processing</b>	*Please arrive by 8:30 AM to allow time for security processing for access to the event space.
9:30 - 10:30 AM	Lobby	<b>Registration</b>	Pick up your credential and program materials. Then stop by our Supply Station to pick up your swag.
10:30 - 11:30 AM	Summit 2	<b>Welcome &amp; Orientation</b>	
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM	Summit 2	<b>Plenary</b>	We Are the Future: Progress and Possibility in the Asia Pacific
12:30 - 1:30 PM	Summit 1	<b>Lunch</b>	
1:30 - 3:00 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Workshops</b>	Your assigned session and room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet. More information about each session and respective speakers can be found on pages 11-26.
3:00 - 3:30 PM	Break		
3:30 - 5:00 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Workshops</b>	Your assigned session and room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet. More information about each session and respective speakers can be found on pages 11-26.
5:00 - 5:45 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>1:1 Connection Break</b>	Check your schedule card to see the person you are assigned to meet and the room where you should meet them. Spend 10-15 minutes of your break getting to know one another. Use the following questions as a guide to start a discussion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What's your favorite time of day, and why?</li> <li>• What is one interesting thing you've learned from your earlier sessions?</li> <li>• What's one career you wish you could have that is completely different from what you do now?</li> </ul>
5:45 - 7:15 PM	Summit 2	<b>Community Connect</b>	Please gather at Summit 2 to await instructions on where to proceed with your Community Group.
7:15 - 8:15 PM	Summit 1	<b>Dinner</b>	Theme: Where I Come From * Please bring one item that you feel represents you or your background, such as a small personal item or a photo from home.

## DAY 2 DECEMBER 11 (WEDNESDAY)

TIME	LOCATION	SESSION TITLE	SESSION DESCRIPTION
8:30 AM	Level 1 UG	<b>Security Processing</b>	*Please arrive by 8:30 AM to allow time for security processing for access to the event space.
9:30 - 10:30 AM	Summit 2	<b>Plenary</b>	Entrepreneurship: Working with Purpose
10:30 - 11:00 AM	Break		
11:00 AM - 12:30 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Workshops</b>	Your assigned session and room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet. More information about each session and respective speakers can be found on pages 11-26.
12:30 - 1:30 PM	Lunch		
1:30 - 3:00 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Workshops</b>	Your assigned session and room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet. More information about each session and respective speakers can be found on pages 11-26.
3:00 - 3:30 PM	Break		
3:30 - 5:00 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Workshops</b>	Your assigned session and room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet. More information about each session and respective speakers can be found on pages 11-26.
5:00 - 5:45 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>1:1 Connection Break</b>	Check your schedule card to see the person you are assigned to meet and the room where you should meet them. Spend 10-15 minutes of your break getting to know one another. Use the following questions as a guide to start a discussion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Do you have a nickname? How did it become your nickname?</li> <li>• What is your biggest takeaway from today's plenary and workshop sessions?</li> <li>• How have you changed in the last few years?</li> </ul>
5:45 - 7:15 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Fireside Chats</b>	Your assigned room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet.
7:15 - 8:15 PM	Summit 1	<b>Dinner</b>	Community Service Project Briefing Dinner



### DAY 3 DECEMBER 12 (THURSDAY)

TIME	LOCATION	SESSION TITLE	SESSION DESCRIPTION
8:00 AM	Level 1 UG	<b>Security Processing</b>	*Please arrive by 8:00 AM to allow time for security processing for access to the event space.  **Please start the day in the attire you will wear to the Community Service Project, including your Obama Foundation t-shirt, closed toe shoes, and a rain jacket.
9:00 - 10:30 AM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Workshops</b>	Your assigned session and room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet. More information about each session and respective speakers can be found on pages 11-26.
10:30 - 10:45 AM	Break		*Please find a seat in Summit 2 for the following plenary by no later than 10:45AM. Seating will be first come, first serve. Late arrivals will not be accommodated.
11:00 AM - 12:15 PM	Summit 2	<b>Plenary</b>	Michelle Obama and Julia Roberts in Conversation with Deborah Henry
12:15 - 12:45 PM	Pick up your grab-and-go lunch as you depart the venue to load buses to depart for the Community Service Project.		
12:45 - 5:00 PM	<b>Lunch + Community Service Project</b>		
5:00 - 6:00 PM	Break		*You will be dropped off at VE Hotel. Please return back to the venue for your Community Connection session between 5:30 and 6:00 PM to allow time for security processing for access to the event space.
6:00 - 7:30 PM	Summit 2	<b>Community Connect - Empathy Box</b>	Please gather at Summit 2 to await instructions on where to proceed with your Community Group.
7:30 - 9:00 PM	Summit 1	<b>Dinner</b>	Theme: Recipes From Home *Please bring a (food) recipe from home for a dish that means something to you.

### DAY 4 DECEMBER 13 (FRIDAY)

TIME	LOCATION	SESSION TITLE	SESSION DESCRIPTION
8:30 AM	Level 1 UG	<b>Security Processing</b>	*Please arrive by 8:30 AM to allow time for security processing for access to the event space.
9:30 - 11:00 AM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Workshops</b>	Your assigned session and room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet. More information about each session and respective speakers can be found on pages 11-26.
11:00 - 11:15 AM	Break		*Please take your seats by no later than 11:15AM. Seating for the following plenary will be first come, first serve. Late arrivals will not be accommodated.
11:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Summit 2	<b>Plenary</b>	How the Asia Pacific Shaped Us: President Obama and Maya Soetoro-Ng
1:00 - 2:30 PM	Summit 1	<b>Lunch</b>	Theme: Dive into Values
2:30 - 4:00 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Workshops</b>	Your assigned session and room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet. More information about each session and respective speakers can be found on pages 11-26.
4:00 - 4:45 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>1:1 Connection Break</b>	Check your schedule card to see the person you are assigned to meet and the room where you should meet them. Spend 10-15 minutes of your break getting to know one another. Use the following questions as a guide to start a discussion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What is your biggest takeaway from this convening so far?</li> <li>• What is the best conversation that you've had during this convening?</li> <li>• What is the funniest thing you did as a child that your friends or family still talk about?</li> </ul>
4:45 - 6:15 PM	Summit 2	<b>Community Connect</b>	Please gather at Summit 2 to await instructions on where to proceed with your Community Group.
6:15 - 6:45 PM	Break		
6:45 PM	Level 1 UG	<b>Security Processing</b>	*Please return back to the venue by 6:45 PM to allow time for security processing for access to the event space.
7:00 - 9:00 PM	Summit 1	<b>Formal Reception</b>	Theme: Pasar Malam (Night Market) *Note that the optional dress code for this evening is your national attire or an outfit that represents your cultural heritage. Professional attire is fine as well.



**DAY 5** DECEMBER 14 (SATURDAY)

TIME	LOCATION	SESSION TITLE	SESSION DESCRIPTION
8:30 AM	Level 1 UG	<b>Security Processing</b>	Please arrive by 8:30 AM to allow time for security processing for access to the event space.
9:30 - 10:30 AM	Summit 2	<b>Plenary</b>	Ethical Leadership: Values and the Obama Legacy
10:30 - 11:00 AM	Break		
11:00 AM - 12:30 PM	Check schedule card in your credential	<b>Workshops</b>	Your assigned session and room can be found on the schedule card in your credential packet. More information about each session and respective speakers can be found on pages 11-26.
12:30 - 1:30 PM	Summit 1	<b>Lunch</b>	
1:30 - 5:00 PM		<b>Coaching</b>	Leadership Through Shared Wisdom
5:00 - 5:30 PM	Break		
5:30 - 6:45 PM	Summit 1	<b>Community Connect</b>	Please gather at Summit 1 (dining hall) to await instructions on where to proceed with your Community Group.
6:45 - 7:00 PM	Break		
7:00 - 9:00 PM	Summit 1	<b>Closing Dinner</b>	Theme: Gratitude

# SESSION DESCRIPTIONS

## PLENARIES

### DEC 10 WE ARE THE FUTURE: PROGRESS AND POSSIBILITY IN THE ASIA PACIFIC

The Asia-Pacific region is alive with possibility, promise, and progress. Leading changemakers will talk about the opportunities and challenges in the region—and how to take on issues together.

- Arthur Huang
- Aaron Maniam
- Oyun Saanjasuren
- Hannah Yeoh

Location: Summit 2

### DEC 11 ENTREPRENEURSHIP: WORKING WITH PURPOSE

Entrepreneurs from vastly different industries share what it means to practice values-based leadership—and what drives them to pursue their path. Hear the purpose behind their work and what it took to grow their organizations from the ground up.

- Tim Brown
- Pat Dwyer
- Helianti Hilman
- Tony Fernandes

Location: Summit 2

### DEC 12 MICHELLE OBAMA AND JULIA ROBERTS IN CONVERSATION WITH DEBORAH HENRY

Michelle Obama and Julia Roberts reflect on their trip to Vietnam with the Girls Opportunity Alliance—and share stories from their own journeys in leadership.

Location: Summit 2



**DEC 13****HOW THE ASIA PACIFIC SHAPED US**  
PRESIDENT OBAMA AND MAYA SOETORO-NG

President Obama takes the stage with his sister, Maya Soetoro-Ng, for a conversation about values-based leadership and growing up in Indonesia and Hawai'i.

Location: Summit 2

**DEC 14****ETHICAL LEADERSHIP**  
VALUES AND THE OBAMA LEGACY

Leaders will always face tough choices—how they approach them makes all the difference. In this conversation, Obama Administration alumni Bernadette Meehan and Ben Rhodes explore the idea of tackling tough challenges through ethical decision-making and share stories from their own leadership journeys.

- Ben Rhodes
- Bernadette Meehan
- Vanessa Paranjothy

Location: Summit 2

**WORKSHOPS**  
**DEC 10 - 11****LEADERSHIP AND AUTHENTIC ENGAGEMENT**  
MICHELLE ANN IKING

When a leader is authentically engaged, they are more energized and more connected, leading to better outcomes. Through the basics of coaching, Leaders will become aware of any gaps between their exterior persona and their interior reality—identifying if their desire to impact their community is in congruence with their own life's journey.

Location: Pinnacle 6

**LEADERSHIP AND SHARED VALUES**

JOHN SUNG

An integral part of creating a sustainable and high-functioning organization is to develop a set of values that upholds your vision and mission. In this three-part discussion, Leaders will discover why core values matter, identify their own, and learn how to apply them in real-life—creating stronger, more impactful organizations as a result.

Location: Pinnacle 3

**LEADERSHIP AND STORYTELLING**

GABRIELLE DOLAN

In this interactive session, Leaders will explore the power of storytelling and why it's so important for communicating your mission and purpose. Participants will learn the four types of storytelling in business, what makes a good story, and how to avoid common storytelling mistakes.

Location: Pinnacle 4

**LEADERSHIP AND TIME: MANAGING THE FUTURE**

AARON MANIAM

Time is a great equalizer—you can't buy it, and you can't sell it. But if you can learn to understand it better, the possibilities could be endless. Through a series of immersive experiential learning activities, Leaders will learn how to harness time as a leadership tool and not merely treat it as an external factor over which they have no control.

Location: Pinnacle 5

**LEADERSHIP THROUGH RECIPROCITY**

EMILY CUSHMAN

Leadership is equal parts doing the work and asking for help. In this session, Leaders work on building deep, authentic connections with fellow participants before engaging in an exercise to share individual strengths and identities. By sharing what they hope to contribute to the Leaders: Asia-Pacific community over the next year and beyond, and what they need to advance their own initiatives, the goal is to develop connections that last far beyond the last day of our convening.





# SPEAKERS



**TIM BROWN**  
NEW ZEALAND

Tim Brown is a former professional football player and the creative visionary behind Allbirds, a certified B Corporation built on the premise of creating environmentally-friendly and sustainable shoes. His experience as a World Cup football player for New Zealand led him to think about things on a grand scale, whether crafting shoes or running a business. Tim has an eye for all things design, and he's constantly driven by the desire to do things better. For Tim, it's not about the specific product or sport, it's about the meaning and intention behind it.



**GABRIELLE DOLAN**  
AUSTRALIA

Gabrielle Dolan is an international keynote speaker and bestselling author of five books on real communication and business storytelling, including her newest book, *Real Communication: How to Be You and Lead True*. Gabrielle has worked with thousands of high-profile leaders from around the world, while also helping Australia's top 50 companies and multinationals to humanize their communications. Gabrielle is also the founder of [www.jargonfreefridays.com](http://www.jargonfreefridays.com), a platform she uses to raise awareness in a fun way about a serious communication problem.



**DR. MAXINE BURKETT**  
HAWAI'I

Maxine Burkett is a Professor of Law at the William S. Richardson School of Law at the University of Hawai'i and a Global Fellow at the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars. She is also Co-Founder and Executive Director of the non-profit Institute for Climate and Peace. Maxine is an expert in the law and policy of climate change, with a specific focus on climate justice, climate-induced migration, and climate change, peace, and conflict. From 2009 to 2012, Maxine served as the inaugural director of the Center for Island Climate Adaptation and Policy. She serves on the boards of Blue Planet Foundation, The Climate Museum, ELAW, and Global Greengrants Fund and is a member of the Independent Advisory Committee on Applied Climate Assessment.



**PAT DWYER**  
PHILIPPINES/HONG KONG

Pat is the Founder and Director of The Purpose Business, a network of sustainability experts that work with businesses in Asia to embed sustainability and purpose into their operations. She has over 20 years of leadership in sustainability and also served as the first head of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) for Ayala Land. Serving as the first Global Head of CSR & Sustainability for Shangri-La Hotels, Pat drove a full strategy addressing key environmental issues such as waste management, pursuing sustainable seafood policies including a ban on serving shark's fin and launching a food traceability program. She is a World Economic Forum Young Global Leader and has served on WEF's Economic Forum Council on Future of Environment & Natural Resource Security. Pat is a fellow of the Asia Society and the Royal Society of Arts and serves on the board of Enrich as well as the board of Ignite Impact.





### TAN SRI DR. TONY FERNANDES MALAYSIA

Tony Fernandes, one of Asia's most recognizable entrepreneurs, is best known for co-founding AirAsia, the region's first low-cost airline. AirAsia has grown into Asia's largest low-cost carrier by passengers carried. Named the World's Best Low-Cost Airline at the annual Skytrax World Airline Awards 11 times in a row from 2009 to 2019, AirAsia was also awarded World's Leading Low-Cost Airline for the sixth consecutive year at the 2018 World Travel Awards, where it also won the World's Leading Low-Cost Airline Cabin Crew award for a second straight year. In 2010, Tony was named Businessman of the Year by *Forbes Asia*—the first person from an ASEAN country to receive the honor—for democratizing air travel and transforming AirAsia into a successful global brand. *TIME Magazine* included Tony in the 2015 TIME 100 list. In 2016, Tony was recognized by the US-ASEAN Business Council with the Fourth Pillar Award for his extraordinary contribution towards the growth of ASEAN.



### DR. PATRICIA HALAGAO HAWAI'I

Patricia Espiritu Halagao is Professor and Chair of Curriculum Studies at the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa's College of Education. As a Filipina American scholar and former elementary school teacher, Patricia is committed to equity and social justice in education. She received University of Hawai'i's highest Medal for Excellence in Teaching and Filipina Women's Network 100 Most Influential Filipina Women in the World Award. Appointed to the Hawai'i State Board of Education, Patricia spearheaded the adoption of two policies: The Seal of Biliteracy and Multilingualism for Equitable Education.



### DEBORAH HENRY MALAYSIA

Deborah Henry is a TV host, former Miss World Malaysia, and former Miss University Malaysia, who champions the rights of children and refugees and their right to education. After meeting a refugee family that changed her life, Deborah co-founded Fugee School, a school for refugee children in Malaysia. Deborah's philanthropic efforts have grown organically, and she also currently runs a nonprofit organization, Fugee.org, and a social enterprise, Fugeelah. Deborah was awarded the Golden Heart Award by the Queen of Malaysia and was listed as one of *Forbes Asia's* notable philanthropists.



### HELIANTI HILMAN INDONESIA

Helianti Hilman is the forefront promoter of Indonesia's food biodiversity. In 2008, Helianti founded JAVARA, a value-driven sustainable food company that turns heritage into organic artisanal gourmet food products. Under her leadership, JAVARA works with tens-of-thousands farmers and food artisans, introducing over 600 products, exporting to 24 countries. To create inclusive business opportunities in rural and remote Indonesia that further enhance the mission of keeping alive Indonesia's food biodiversity, in 2017 Helianti founded Sekolah Seniman Pangan, an action-based school and business ecosystem to promote food entrepreneurship among rural youth. Helianti was named Indonesia's Social Entrepreneur of the Year in 2013 and the Schwab Foundation's Social Entrepreneur of 2015.





## ARTHUR HUANG TAIWAN

Arthur Huang is a structural engineer, architect, and pioneer of loop economy building material solutions, specializing in post-consumer trash recycling applications that help shift mass consumption to a close-loop model. In 2005, he established MINIWIZ, a company dedicated to upcycling, turning consumer trash and industrial waste into innovative products. Under Arthur's leadership, MINIWIZ has pushed boundaries beyond all expectations, winning the company the *Financial Times*' Earth Award in 2010 and The *Wall Street Journal's* Asian Innovation Award in 2011. In 2015, MINIWIZ received the Technology Pioneers title by the World Economic Forum, recognizing the potential of the emerging industry that MINIWIZ is leading and the positive impact its innovative efforts have made on altering and adapting global consumption patterns.



## MICHELLE ANN IKING MALAYSIA

Michelle Ann Iking is a talent and organizational development professional whose mission is to empower people with the desire to be the best versions of themselves today, and realize their visions for a better tomorrow. Highly adaptable, she has helmed leadership roles across the telecommunications, financial services, and hospitality and travel industries and derives meaning from first facilitating dialogues that help people discover their purpose, then co-creating ecosystems to nurture and harness that purpose. She specializes in designing leadership programs that help emerging leaders clarify their vision and amplify their impact, in tangible, measurable ways. Michelle is also a passionate advocate for gender diversity issues, an industry mentor for Lean In Malaysia, and a believer in the creation of safe spaces for people to tap into the power of vulnerability, ultimately enabling individuals to be their best selves, in their workplaces as well as for their families and their communities.



## AARON MANIAM SINGAPORE

Aaron Maniam is a member of the Singapore Administrative Service, the government's leadership corps. As the founding Head of the Singapore Centre for Strategic Futures, which analyzes the implications of long-term trends, Aaron directs "Leadership in a Complex World," a multi-disciplinary module at the National University of Singapore's Scholars Program. A Young Global Leader of the World Economic Forum and Fellow of the Royal Society for the encouragement of the Arts, Manufactures, and Commerce, Aaron received the Singapore Youth Award from the Prime Minister in 2012.



## BERNADETTE MEEHAN UNITED STATES

Bernadette Meehan is the Chief International Officer at the Obama Foundation. Previously a State Department Foreign Service Officer, she served at the White House National Security Council (NSC) as Special Assistant to the President and NSC Spokesperson; as Special Assistant to the Secretary of State; and in diplomatic assignments in Baghdad, Dubai, and Bogota. Bernadette serves on the Advisory Board of Hostage U.S. and Georgetown University's Institute for the Study of Diplomacy, where she was also an Adjunct Professor and resident Fellow. Bernadette was previously Vice President of Private Banking at J.P. Morgan and Vice President of Asset Management at Lehman Brothers.





### VANESSA PARANJOTHY SINGAPORE

Vanessa Paranjothy is the Co-Founder of Freedom Cups and a promoter of reproductive health rights and gender justice. Freedom Cups operates in 11 countries across Asia and Africa, providing women reusable menstrual products under the “buy one, give one” model. For every cup sold, one is donated to a woman from an underserved community. Vanessa has been featured on the *Forbes* 30 under 30 Asia list and awarded the Commonwealth Youth Award for Excellence in Development Work representing Asia. Vanessa was also a member of the inaugural cohort of the Obama Foundation Scholars Program at Columbia University.



### JULIA ROBERTS UNITED STATES

Julia Roberts is an Academy Award winner who has worked with the industry’s most esteemed directors on films that have grossed more than \$3 billion worldwide. She has received multiple Academy Award® nominations -- including a win for *Erin Brockovich* in 2000 -- as well as nominations for a Golden Globe Award, an Emmy, and a Screen Actors Guild Award. Most recently, she starred in Amazon’s TV series *Homecoming*, in which she was nominated for a Golden Globe and Critics Choice Award.



### BEN RHODES UNITED STATES

Ben Rhodes is the author of *The New York Times* bestseller *The World As It Is*; a contributor for NBC News, MSNBC, and Crooked Media; the co-chair of National Security Action; and an advisor to former President Barack Obama. As a Deputy National Security Advisor to President Obama, Ben participated in nearly all of President Obama’s key decisions and oversaw the President’s national security communications, speechwriting, public diplomacy, and global engagement programming. He also led the secret negotiations with the Cuban government that resulted in the effort to normalize relations between the United States and Cuba and supported the negotiations to conclude the Joint Comprehensive Plan of Action with Iran. Prior to joining the Administration, Ben was a senior speechwriter and foreign policy advisor to the Obama campaign.



### DR. OYUN SANJAASUREN MONGOLIA

Oyun Sanjaasuren is the Director of External Affairs of the Green Climate Fund, the world’s largest dedicated fund dedicated to countering climate change. Oyun served as the first President of the United Nations Environment Assembly, the Governing Body of UN Environment, and has been an active advocate for sustainable development, climate change, and water security. She also served as Chair of the Global Water Partnership, a multi-stakeholder platform of institutional partners in more than 180 countries dedicated to improving water security. From 1999 to 2019, Oyun served five consecutive terms as a Member of Parliament in Mongolia, including the role of Minister of Environment and Minister of Foreign Affairs. She is the Founder of the Zorig Foundation, a leading Mongolian NGO that advances democracy and supports youth and is the Chair of Special Olympics Mongolia.





### DR. MAYA SOETORO-NG HAWAII

Maya Soetoro-Ng is a Consultant at the Obama Foundation, helping to develop programming in the Asia-Pacific region. Prior to her work at the Obama Foundation, she was the Director of the Matsunaga Institute for Peace at the University of Hawai'i where, in addition to leading outreach and development initiatives, she also taught Leadership for Social Change, Peace Movements, Peace Education, and Conflict Management. For many years, she worked at the University of Hawai'i's College of Education where she taught Multicultural Education, Social Studies Methods, and Peace Education at both the graduate and undergraduate levels. Maya sits on several voluntary boards and is the Co-Founder of the non-profit Ceeds of Peace as well as the Institute for Climate and Peace.



### JOHN SUNG SOUTH KOREA

John Sung is an Executive at Paul & Mark Consulting. John has developed leadership, communication, problem-solving, coaching, and vision-alignment programs for Fortune 500 multinational companies. He has trained executives from more than 80 countries on leadership and communication skills and is recognized as one of the leading design thinkers in Korea. John regularly consults organizations in designing their products, services, systems, and cultures through user-centric processes.



### YEE TONG SINGAPORE

Yee Tong is a social entrepreneur and civil society leader in Singapore. Having initially co-founded the School of Thought to promote innovation in character education and civic learning, he now leads The Thought Collective—one of the largest groups of social enterprises in Singapore. Largely reputed for their work in social capital and social infrastructure development, Yee often finds himself sought after as an inspiring and innovative thought leader who leads in all manner of community and organizational development. Yee's work spans across creating sustainable community spaces, experience design, curriculum design, narrative crafting and intervention, and organizational development. He currently sits on a number of national committees, serving as a Member of the National Youth Council, the ACCORD Council (Defense), the Families for Life Council, the Media Literacy Council, and is on the Advisory Committee for Youth Corps Singapore.



### YB HANNAH YEOH MALAYSIA

Hannah Yeoh is the Deputy Minister of Women, Family, and Community Development. She is also the current Member of Parliament for P117 Segambut, a parliamentary constituency in the Federal Territory of Kuala Lumpur. Hannah was the Speaker of the Selangor State Legislative Assembly from 2013-2018, making her the first woman Speaker and the youngest of any legislative body in Malaysia. Prior to her election into Parliament, Hannah served two terms in the Selangor State Legislative Assembly as the State Assemblyman for the constituency of N31 Subang Jaya (2008-2018).



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## COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT

The Leaders: Asia-Pacific Program is grounded in the Foundation's work to inspire, empower, and connect emerging leaders to make positive change in their community, their region, and the world.

Throughout this five-day convening, 200 Leaders from across the region will collectively take their first step toward creating a community of changemakers who are ready to learn and grow together, while diving into the many facets of values-based leadership. As Leaders journey together to create lasting change, both President and Mrs. Obama—and the Obama Foundation—hope that the spirit of serving others is at the core of everything they do.

To underscore the important relationship between service and leadership, the Obama Foundation Asia-Pacific Leaders will, as a group, roll up their sleeves and participate in a community service activity in an underserved community in Kuala Lumpur. This year, the Leaders: Asia-Pacific program is working with EPIC, a Malaysian organization that activates "Extraordinary People to Impact Communities" by inspiring, mobilizing, and empowering collaborative civic behavior through volunteer opportunities.

We hope each Leader will draw on the significance of this activity, and remember it as a call to action as they return to their home countries following the conclusion of the Leaders convening.



# FAST FACTS

## QUESTIONS?

If you have questions about the Obama Foundation, visit the Information Desk located in our Social Spaces.

## INTERNET

To access the internet, select **CCEC Vertical** as the network. A new window will appear, where you should click the box to read In House Guest and instead select **Access Code** from the drop down list. You will then need to submit the event passport: **leaders2019**

## SOCIAL MEDIA

When posting on your own social media channels, please: Use our hashtag **#ObamaLeaders** when posting. Take photos, share meaningful lessons, and tag us using **@ObamaFoundation!**

### Follow us here:

**@ObamaFoundation** on Twitter, Facebook, and Instagram

**@BarackObama** on Twitter, Facebook, and Instagram

**@MichelleObama** on Twitter, Facebook and Instagram

During your #ObamaLeaders Connect session, you'll also learn about additional ways to engage with us on social media.

## SOCIAL SPACES

During breaks and when you have free time, check out our Social Spaces to fuel up with snacks, coffee, tea, and water and to connect with fellow Leaders. Throughout these spaces, you will find the following experiences and exhibits:

### Supply Station

After registering, visit the Foundation's Supply Station to receive your Leaders: Asia-Pacific tote bag filled with items for use both during the convening and back home in your communities. Your tote bag will include a reusable water bottle, a t-shirt, a pen, a notebook, and more!

## Professional Profile Photos

During your #ObamaLeaders Connect session, you will be able to get your professional profile photo taken. Your photo can be used for your Leaders: Asia-Pacific Obama Connect page, LinkedIn, or any other social media or promotional channel. Digital files of photos will be shared after the convening. If you want to be ahead of the crowd, you can also visit the profile photo studio during break times on December 13 & 14 (Friday and Saturday), and get your photo taken on a first come, first served basis. Please note photo sessions are limited to one per person.

## Water, Coffee, and Tea

Stay hydrated with water and fuel up with coffee, tea, and snacks during breaks. Breaks are listed on the agenda pages of this program.

## LEADERSHIP RECIPROCITY POSTERS

During the Leadership Through Reciprocity session, you will share with one another what you hope to contribute to the Leaders: Asia-Pacific community over the next year and beyond, and what you need to advance your own initiatives. The content you create during this session will be displayed in the Social Spaces by Thursday, December 12th. Be sure to visit this area to continue contributing!



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