2nd Annual Workshop for Asian American and Pacific Islander (AAPI) and Middle Eastern and North African (MENA) Women in the Legal Academy

All sessions to be held at:
UC Davis School of Law, King Hall
400 Mrak Hall Drive
Davis, CA 95616

September 9/16, 2022: Workshop Day 1

11:15-11:45 a.m.  Check-In and Coffee/Tea

11:45 a.m. - Noon  Workshop Welcome and Introduction – Afra Afsharipour (University of California, Davis School of Law)

Noon - 12:30 p.m.  Dedication and Honoring of Professor Pat Chew (University of Pittsburgh School of Law), with remarks from Professor Lisa Ikemoto (University of California, Davis School of Law) – Sponsored by the Law School Admission Council (LSAC)

12:30 - 2:00 p.m.  Lunch & Networking

2:00 - 3:00 p.m.  General Session: Panel – Strategies for Addressing Hostile Responses to Scholarship, Identity, and Teaching
Moderator: Lisa Ikemoto (University of California, Davis School of Law)
Karima Bennoune (University of California, Davis School of Law)
Bijal Shah (Boston College Law School)
Sunaina Maira (University of California, Davis, Cultural Studies – Invited)

3:05 - 4:05 p.m.  General Session on Wellness with Dr. Margaret Lee – Wellness walk in the UC Davis arboretum, mindfulness, dealing with anxiety and stress

4:05-4:20 p.m.  Coffee/Tea Break

4:20-5:20 p.m.  Incubator Concurrent Sessions

5:25 – 6:25 p.m.  Law Student Academic Success and Launching Your Legal Career
Moderator: Suzanne Kim (Rutgers Law School)
Monika Ehrman (Southern Methodist University, Dedman School of Law)
Catherine Kim (Brooklyn Law School)
Tanya Pierce (Texas A&M University School of Law)
Preyal Shah (South Texas College of Law Houston)
Shoba Sivaprasad Wadhia (Penn State Law School)
6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Dinner at King Hall - Sponsored by Texas A&M University School of Law

September 10/17, 2022: Workshop Day 2

9:30 - 9:40 a.m. Welcome and Overview (5–10 min)

9:40 - 10:55 a.m. General Session: Professional development and Building your Professional Identity - Maximizing your scholarly impact:
Moderator: Seema Mohapatra (Southern Methodist University, Dedman School of Law)
Colleen Chien (Santa Clara University School of Law)
Maryam Jamshidi (University of Florida, Levin College of Law)
Seema Mohapatra (Southern Methodist University, Dedman School of Law)
Madhavi Sunder (Georgetown Law)

10:55 - 11:15 a.m. Coffee/tea break (20 min)

11:15 - 12:30 p.m. Concurrent Sessions (Option 1 and Option 2):

Option 1: Deciding to Enter Administration
- Moderator: Shoba Sivaprasad Wadhia (Penn State Law)
- Afra Afsharipour (University of California, Davis School of Law)
- Rose Cuisin-Villazor (Rutgers Law School)
- Jennifer Fan (University of Washington School of Law)
- Kathleen Kim (LMU Loyola Law School)

Option 2: The Next Stage of Your Scholarly Agenda
- Moderator: Suzanne Kim (Rutgers Law School)
- Elizabeth Joh (University of California, Davis School of Law)
- Sung Hui Kim (University of California, Los Angeles School of Law)
- Maya Manian (American University, Washington College of Law)

12:30-2:00 p.m. Lunch & Celebrations
Celebrating successes of community members

2:00 – 3:30 p.m. Works in Progress (WIP) Concurrent Sessions

3:35-4:00 p.m. Business & Closing