



The Margie Snively Future Women Leaders Conference Saturday, April 6, 2019

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Agenda

8:30 – 8:50	Registration / Light Snacks
9:00 – 9:20	Opening Ceremonies / Introductions
9:20 – 10:00	Keynote Address by Divya Gopisetty
10:15 – 11:00	Workshops A
11:15 – 12:00	Workshops B
12:00 – 1:15	Lunch Activities / Entertainment
1:15 – 2:00	Workshops C
2:00 – 3:00	Closing Activities



Welcome & Keynote Address (9:00 - 10:00 El Toro Room)

◆ Opening Ceremonies

◆ Keynote Speaker: Divya Gopisetty

Divya graduated from Stanford with a degree in Human Biology with a focus on pediatric public health. She is an associate with the diaTribe Foundation, a non-profit focusing on improving lives of people with diabetes. Divya moonlights as a professional dancer in an Indian and West African dance troupe in San Francisco.



Workshops A (10:15 - 11:00)

◆ Tackling Your Fear of Public Speaking (Machado)

Madeline Guyette and Marie-Nicole Jeffroy-Meynard

We will also break down what qualifies as a good speech and how to implement these characteristics into our own speeches. We will practice through a variety of public speaking exercises, learning how to build an elevator pitch, what makes a good first impression, how to give the perfect handshake, and more!

◆ Conflict Skills for Today's Leaders (Madrone)

Dr. Kathleen Rose, Gavilan College President

This workshop will provide an overview of the types of conflict, commonly confronted in life and in professional environment. Strategies for approaching conflict differently will be experienced and participants will have the opportunity to identify conflict resolution skills that can be applied in future situations.

◆ Who you are is YOUR super POWER! Defying Deficit Notions of Women of Color! (Mira Monte) - Karla Lomeli

This session will explore notions of marginalization on diverse communities and how to flip the script on social norms and expectations of young women of color. A special focus on how to embrace where we come from, who we are, our experiences, our narratives, and finding ways in which such experiences can strengthen and maximize our representation in any sphere of leadership.

◆ Your Leadership Toolkit: Passion, Purpose and Power (Diana Murphy) - Mary Patterson

Through games and group discussions, participants will identify leadership traits they possess and how to acquire others they wish to have.

◆ There is no Planet "B" (Poppy Jasper)

Tanya Carothers and Katie Graves with student leaders Diya Kandra and Gelasia Tiwans

Participants will work with environmental experts to come up with possible solutions to climate change issues.

Workshops B (11:15 - 12:00)

♦ **Tackling Your Fear of Public Speaking** (Machado)

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♦ **Wait For It - Got Consent? Understanding Consent / Healthy Relationships** (Madrone) - Protima Pandey

This presentation will discuss the how, what, and when of consent and healthy relationships.

♦ **Money Patterns: How to be SMART with your FINANCES**

(Mira Monte) - Peggy Martin

Come to this interactive session to understand the importance of financial independence and that YOU are your most valuable asset. You will explore the importance of girls and women learning about financial literacy and the impact that education can have on your finances.

♦ **Women in Politics** (Diana Murphy)

Panel discussion (Caitlin Robinett, Wendy Sullivan, Yvonne Martinez Belltran, Laura Perry, Heather Orosco), with moderators Maureen Tobin and student leader Hana McElroy

This will be an interactive panel discussion with past and present elected women officials that will center around the challenges, fears and joys that go along with getting involved in the politics. Panelists will discuss leadership styles, campaign strategies, realistic goals and why they got involved in the first place.

♦ **Breaking Down Barriers to Gender Equality** (Poppy Jasper)

Hannah Tool with student leaders Diya Kandra and Gelasia Tiwans

Participants will work in a group setting to develop workable discussion points to take back to their community and keep the conversation going.

**Lunch,
Entertainment,
Networking
(12:00 - 1:15)**



Workshops C (1:15 - 2:00)

- ◆ **Doing Good: The Ripple Effect of Philanthropy** (Michado)
Barbara Otto

Much like a stone thrown in water, a philanthropic action creates a wave. Should you be the stone? Can you be the stone? Why is being the stone important? In this session, we will examine many facets and benefits of philanthropy and most importantly, why philanthropy is necessary not only to our communities, but to ourselves as individuals.

- ◆ **From Film to Feminism: Women In Media Panel** (Madrone)
Jenene Austen Daulton and Ana Zavala with student leaders Darice Wong and Sruchi Patel.

We all know the big names; Oprah, Priyanka, Constance. Learn how women like them have managed to use multimedia as a platform for social change and representation. This workshop will begin with an activity led by Darice Wong and Sruchi Patel and conclude with a Q & A with two Bay Area women who work in the film industry and use filmmaking for that much needed social change.

- ◆ **Building Confidence: There Are No Safe Spaces** (Mira Monte)
Laura Perry

Use visualization to "see yourself" as how you want to be and practice makes perfect. Control the fear and learn to not be afraid of what others think of you.

- ◆ **Poised and Powerful: Tools for Self-Empowerment: Mindfulness Meditation** (Diana Murphy) - Sunanda Gadagottu

Learning to develop powerful communication and presence, and to manage emotions need not be a complex or long process. Using the breath, a resource that is innate and easily accessible, one can achieve strength and confidence.

- ◆ **Breaking Down Barriers to Racial Equality** (Poppy Jasper)
Hannah Tool with student leaders Diya Kandra and Gelasia Tiwans

Participants will work in a group setting to come up with workable discussions points to take back to their community and keep the conversation going.

Wrap Up (2:00 - 3:00 El Toro Room)

- ◆ The Senior "RAP" with Lindsey Hillesland, Sruchi Patel, and Darice Wong
- ◆ Wall of Inspiration
- ◆ Postcards to my future self
- ◆ Evaluations
- ◆ Prize drawings
- ◆ Hugs and good byes

