

FORWARD

Women Advancing Hospitality

Program as of October 3, 2018

Additional Sessions to be added as confirmed.

Wednesday, November 14

- 1:00 pm Welcome Remarks: Katherine Lugar, President & CEO, American Hotel & Lodging Association
- Opening Keynote: Reshma Saujani, Founder & CEO, Girls Who Code and Author
- Interview with Sarah Kauss, Founder & CEO, S'well
- Interviewed by: Andrea Foster, SVP Development, Marcus Hotels & Resorts
- Panel discussion: Lodging CEOs Leading the Way to Support Female Employees
- *Participant names coming soon.*
- Conversation with Tina Tchen, Time's Up Legal Defense Fund
- Advocacy & Communications Panel
- Panelists:
- Nadeen Ayala, Senior Vice President, Global Communications, Wyndham Hotels & Resorts
 - Melissa Froelich Flood, Vice President, Social Impact & Public Affairs, Marriott International
 - *Additional participant names coming soon.*
- 5:00 – 6:30 pm Networking Reception

Thursday, November 15

- 8:00 am Breakfast
- 8:30 am Day 2 Welcome
- HR Panel: Utilizing Human Resources
- Moderator: Karen DiFulgo, Chief People Officer, Benchmark Hospitality and Chair, AHLA Women in Lodging Executive Committee
- Panelists:
- Ann Christenson, Senior Vice President, Human Resources, Aimbridge Hospitality
 - Laura Fuentes, Senior Vice President, Talent, Rewards and People Analytics, Hilton Worldwide
 - Malaika Myers, Chief HR Officer, Hyatt Hotels Corporation
 - Joy Rothschild, Chief HR Officer, Omni Hotels & Resorts
- Educational tracks:
1. Senior leaders – Preparing for Board Service
 2. Emerging leaders – Advancing to Senior Management
- Educational tracks:
1. Idea Exchange: Diversity and Leadership Best Practices
 2. Women and Public Speaking
- 12:30 – 2:00 pm Closing Luncheon: *Keynote speaker coming soon.*