December 10, 2012

Dear Friend:

The National Queer Asian Pacific Islander Alliance (NQAPIA) is excited to announce our next national leadership Summit on July 25 to 28, 2013 in Honolulu, HI and Community Catalyst awards celebration on Saturday, July 27.

NQAPIA is a federation of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender (LGBT) Asian American, South Asian, Southeast Asian, and Pacific Islander (AAPI) organizations. According to Census data, AAPIs are the fastest growing minority group in the nation and are an emerging sector of the LGBT community.

Every year NQAPIA brings leaders from throughout the United States together to network, educate, develop leadership, and build capacity of the nation’s LGBT AAPI community. We are writing to ask if you would be willing to:

• **Be a Summit Sponsor**
  Sponsorship rates range from $500 to $10,000. Your support will help local leaders from throughout the country partake in the Summit. As a sponsor, your company or organization’s name will be added to the event’s publicity materials (flyers, email announcements and website). NQAPIA’s membership list includes over 3,600 individuals, and the aggregated list serves of all the groups in NQAPIA’s federation reach nearly 12,000 subscribers.

• **Take out an advertisement in our Community Catalyst event program book.**
  On Saturday evening, we will have a special reception honoring the recipients of NQAPIA’s annual Community Catalyst Awards. The honorees will be announced soon.
  Ads for the reception’s program book range from $50 for a quarter page ad to $250 for a full page. Proceeds benefit local LGBT AAPI groups in Hawaii.

The Summit provides a unique opportunity for visibility among the leading LGBTQ and AAPI community leaders and professionals. All fees and artwork due by April 30, 2013.

Details are listed on the following pages. We hope can you can support us. If you have any questions, please contact me at 917-439-3158 or email glenn_magpantay@nqapia.org.

Sincerely,

Glenn D. Magpantay      Ben de Guzman
Co-Director for Development            Co-Director for Programs
**National LGBT AAPI Summit 2013**  
Sponsored by the National Queer Asian & Pacific Islander Alliance  
NQAPIA is a not-for-profit, a tax-exempt 501(c)3 organization.

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### SUMMIT SPONSORSHIP/ PROGRAM BOOK AD RATES

*Please identify the sponsorship level / ad size you would like:*

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**Catalyst Awards Program**

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Contact Person: ____________________________________________________________

Address (street): __________________________________________________________

City/state/Zip: ____________________________________________________________

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Checks should be made payable to “NQAPIA.” Mail to:  
NQAPIA  
233 Fifth Avenue, Suite 4A  
New York, NY  10016

Credit card: [https://org2.democracyinaction.org/o/7100/donate_page/sponsors](https://org2.democracyinaction.org/o/7100/donate_page/sponsors)  
All donations are fully tax-deductible.

Email this completed form to glenn_magpantay@nqapia.org  
Email artwork to nqapia@gmail.com and write “Summit Artwork” in the subject.
**NQAPIA Mission and Goals**  
The National Queer Asian Pacific Islander Alliance (NQAPIA) is a federation of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender (LGBT) Asian American, South Asian, Southeast Asian, and Pacific Islander (AAPI) organizations. We seek to build the organizational capacity of local LGBT AAPI groups, develop leadership, promote visibility, educate our community, enhance grassroots organizing, expand collaborations, and challenge homophobia and racism. NQAPIA is a project of the Tides Center in San Francisco, CA.

**NQAPIA Current Programs**

**Annual Summit: Training and Issue Briefing for Leaders of LGBT AAPI organizations**  
This weekend long summit focuses on networking, learning about current issues, sharing strategies, building local organizational infrastructure, and building national collaborative programs. Prior convenings were held in San Jose in 2011, Chicago in 2010, Denver in 2008 and Oakland, CA in 2005. Our next training will be held in Honolulu in 2013.

**National Conference**  
This conference brings together grassroots LGBT AAPI activists from across the nation. Prior national conferences were in Washington, DC (350 attendees), Seattle in 2009 (250 attendees) and New York in 2004 (400 attendees).

**LGBT Immigrants’ Rights**  
In collaboration with local LGBT AAPI groups, we are spearheading an educational and advocacy campaign on immigrants’ rights that includes local community forums and press conferences featuring immigration advocates and immigrants and a national postcard campaign.

**Multilingual Visibility Campaign**  
NQAPIA aims to improve the visibility of LGBTs in the mainstream AAPI community and of AAPIs in the broader LGBT community. This multilingual education campaign includes outreach to the Asian ethnic media and educational pieces translated into several Asian languages.

**Capacity Building Resources, Workshops, and Trainings**  
Includes a descriptive directory of the nation’s LGBT AAPI groups, organizational tool kit with best practices & model documents, fiscal sponsorship, and special trainings/workshops.

**Participation in Current Issues**  
NQAPIA raises the LGBT AAPI voice in current issues and we promote LGBT AAPI engagement. NQAPIA is a member of the National Council of Asian Pacific Americans, the coalition of national AAPI advocacy organizations. Other examples of this work include NCAPA’s national statement in support of LGBT Equality and Justice, NQAPIA’s participation in the Equality March on Washington in 2009, the Immigrants’ Rights March on Washington in 2010, Census 2010, and an LGBT Youth Briefing with White House Initiative on AAPIs and Office of Public Engagement in 2011.
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