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## The 38th Korean-American Cultural Experience



(LAPD Workshop / May 3<sup>rd</sup> , 2018)

- ▶ **Title: The 38th Korean-American Cultural Experience**
- ▶ **Date: September 6th , 2018**
- ▶ **Time: 08:30 AM-04:30PM**
- ▶ **Place: Korean Cultural Center Los Angeles, 3rd floor, Ari Hall  
5505 Wilshire Blvd. L.A., CA. 90036**
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The Korean Cultural Center and Goodwill Cooperation Society International are jointly presenting the 38<sup>th</sup> workshop for law enforcement personnel. The session is scheduled for September 6<sup>th</sup> 2018, from 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM, on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor of the Korean Cultural Center.

The workshop consisted of various programs to experience the Korean culture by learning the history of immigration of the Koreans, Korean food, Understanding of Korean culture and Koreans, Basic Korean language and manners, and issues / changes with Korean American families. This workshop is finding its place as a representative workshop held by the Korean Cultural Center to help increase understanding of the Korean culture and immigrant community among Law Enforcement Officers in LA counties to reduce disadvantages Korean Americans might receive due to cultural differences

Approximately 40 Police Officers from Hollywood, Pacific, West Traffic, West LA, Olympic, Office West Bureau, and etc. will be participating in the 2018 38<sup>th</sup> Workshop. Especially, Commander Blake H. Chow from West Bureau will also be joining to encourage Police Officers.

Workshop for LAPD (Los Angeles Police Department) started in 2008 and has continued with 37<sup>th</sup> workshop held in 2018, with total of 1,649 Police Officers participating to date. Besides workshop for LAPD, Korean Cultural Center has been holding workshop on Korean history and culture for Sheriffs in LA county from July 2011.

## ■ Schedule

08:30 – 08:55	Continental Breakfast
08:55 – 09:00	Greetings & Introduction of the Workshop
09:00 – 10:00	“Korea and Koreans” Lecturer: Namhie Lee
10:00 – 10:10	Coffee Breaks
10:10 – 11:30	“Korean American Community in Southern California” Instructor: Ruth Chung
11:30 – 12:00	Taekwondo Demonstration (Xplore Taekwondo Demonstration Team)
12:00 – 12:45	Lunch (Video Show: “Korea: Past & Present”)
12:45 – 13:30	Tour of the Korean Cultural Center
13:30 – 14:45	“Distinctive Korean Cultural Values and Life Styles” Instructor: Ann Y. Kim
14:45 – 15:00	Coffee Break
15:00 – 16:15	“Korean-American Immigrant Families” Leader: Sunhee Kim
16:15 – 16:25	Wrapping-up the Workshop
16:25 – 16:30	Presentation of Certificate and Picture Taking

### Lecturers:

Namhie Lee, Professor Cal. State University, Los Angeles

Ruth Chung, Ph.D., Asso. Professor of Clinical Education, USC

Sunny Kim, Domestic Violence program Manager, Korean American Family Services

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