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The 42nd Korean-American Cultural Experience



(The 41st LAPD Workshop / May 2nd, 2019)

- ▶ Title: The 42nd Korean-American Cultural Experience
- ▶ Date: November 7th, 2019
- ▶ Time: 08:30 AM-04:30PM
- ▶ Place: Korean Cultural Center Los Angeles, 3rd floor, Ari Hall
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The Korean Cultural Center, LA(Wijin Park, Director) and Goodwill Cooperation Society International, LA(Andrew Lee, President) are jointly presenting the 42nd workshop for law enforcement personnel. The session is scheduled for November 7th 2019, from 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM, on the 3rd 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, Wilshire, Pacific, West Traffic, West LA, Olympic, Office West Bureau, and etc. will be participating in the 2019 42nd Workshop. Especially Captain Ahmad Zarekani 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 41st workshop held in 2019, with total of 1,764 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: Chan-Hie Kim
10:00 – 10:10	Coffee Breaks
10:10 – 11:30	“Korean American Community in Southern California” Instructor: Ann Y. Kim
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 Behavior” Instructor: Ann Y. Kim
14:45 – 15:00	Coffee Break
15:00 – 16:15	“Korean-American Immigrant Families” Leader: Connie Chung Joe
16:15 – 16:25	Wrapping-up the Workshop Moderator: Chan-Hie Kim
16:25 – 16:30	Presentation of Certificate and Picture Taking

Instructors:

Chan-Hie Kim, Ph.D., Professor Emeritus, Claremont School of Theology
Ann Y. Kim, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Cal State U, Long Beach
Connie Chung Joe, JD, Executive Director, Korean American Family Services

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