PACIFIC ASIA TRAVEL ASSOCIATION

YOUTH SYMPOSIUM 2016

“Weaving Our Islands’ Tourism Future Together: Managing change, enhancing quality of life, and generating an environmentally friendly island experience.”

MAY 18, 2016 | Time: 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

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Sign up today for the PATA Youth Symposium 2016, a half-day educational forum offered as part of the Pacific Asia Travel Association Annual Summit (PAS 2016) events on Guam from May 18-21, 2016. The PAS 2016 aims to attract over 400 delegates from over 30 countries bringing together leaders, industry shapers, and senior decision-makers who are engaged in the travel and tourism growth in the Asia Pacific Region. The PATA Youth symposium is part of the overall program of the PAS 2016 which is offered to students and young professionals to engage with industry professionals in plenary talks and round table discussions. Participate in the symposium and share and discuss your ideas on topics important to you and the visitor industry. Free for all students!

The PATA Youth Symposium is organized by the PATA Human Capital Development Committee, Guam Visitors Bureau, PATA Micronesia Chapter, the University of Guam School of Business and Public Administration, and the UOG Tourism Awareness Group (TAG). We look forward to your participation to network with industry members and show your island hospitality and enjoy in the free Merienda to conclude the symposium.

Sign up today! This is your opportunity to meet and learn from industry experts from our region and around the world.

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VENUE:
University of Guam | Jesus and Eugenia Leon Guerrero School of Business and Public Administration | 303 University Drive
UOG Station, Mangilao, Guam

Room:
IT&E Lecture Hall | Room 131 & Anthony Leon Guerrero Multi-Purpose | Room 129

SIGN UP AND SECURE YOUR SEAT TODAY!
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0900 Introduction and Welcome by Jonalen Manalo and Dora Ferris

0910-0920 Opening remarks by Dr. Annette Taijeron Santos, Dean, School of Business and Public Administration, University of Guam

0920-0930 Opening remarks by Dr. Robert Underwood, President, University of Guam

0930-0935 Introduction of the PATA CEO by Pilar Laguana, Director of Global Marketing, Guam Visitors Bureau and Chairwoman, PATA Micronesia Chapter.

0935-0940 Opening remarks by Mr Mario Hardy, CEO, Pacific Asia Travel Association (PATA)

0940-1000 Introduction to the PATA Youth Symposium
Dr Chris Bottrill, Capilano University, Chairman of PATA Human Capital Development Committee and Dean of the Faculty of Global and Community Studies, Capilano University, Canada

1000-1020 Opening Plenary Talk (PATA)
Topic: The climate change challenge for tourism in Guam and other Pacific Island Nations
TBA

1030-1050 Round Table Session 1:
(students, lecturer and one PATA representatives)
Topic: How can Guam and other Pacific Island Nations influence global warming?
Round Table Round-up (Table Representatives – Facilitators, Dr Chris Bottrill)

1050-1110 Second Plenary Talk
Topic: Climate change technologies: Adapting to change and reducing impacts
Mr Stewart Moore, Chairman, PATA Sustainability Committee and CEO, EarthCheck, Australia

1110-1130 Break

1130-1150 Third Plenary Talk
Topic: Access and experience: Enabling travel, managing growth
TBA

1150-1220 Round Table Session 2:
(students, lecturer and one PATA representative)
Topic: Is more tourism possible? How can we protect the place we love?
Round Table Round-up (Table Representatives – Facilitator, Dr Chris Bottrill)

1220-1230 Round Table and Symposium Wrap Up
Dr Chris Bottrill

1230 Merienda and Cultural Performance
hosted by Guam Visitors Bureau