

San Diego Refugee Forum

Agenda

Tuesday, November 15, 2011, 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Springfield College, 5348 University Ave. Suite 110, San Diego, CA 92105

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Time	Topic	Presenter(s)
10:30	Welcome	Ralph Achenbach, Chair
10:35	Introductions & Announcements	All
10:40	New Members Welcome	Elizabeth Lou, Treasurer
10:45	Task Force Updates	
	<i>Event Planning Task Force</i>	Richele Swagler, <i>County of San Diego</i>
	<i>Health Task Force</i>	Bonnie Copland, <i>County of San Diego</i> Samantha Hurst, PhD, <i>UCSD</i>
	<i>Asylees/Asylum Seekers Task Force</i>	Ayan Mohamed, <i>Somali Family Service</i> Carmen Chavez, <i>Casa Cornelia Law Center</i>
	<i>Employment Task Force</i>	Thuba Nguyen, <i>International Rescue Committee</i> Heidi Van Denburgh, <i>Jewish Family Service</i>
	<i>Transportation Task Force</i>	Nadine Pedusseau, <i>Catholic Charities</i> Hong Tran, <i>International Rescue Committee</i>
11:00	Other Updates	
	<i>Reception & Placement</i>	VOLAGs
	<i>Community</i>	ECBOs/MAAs
	<i>County</i>	Richele Swagler, <i>County Refugee Coordinator</i>
	<i>By-laws</i>	Tim Slade, Secretary
11:15	ELECTION	Dr Mike McKay, <i>Catholic Charities</i> <i>Chair of the Nominations & Election Task Force</i>
12:00	Adjournment	Incoming chair

Next Meeting: Tuesday, January 17, 2012, 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Deepening collaboration around employment services:
CREW (Chicago Refugee Employment Workforce)