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Panel Overview

Panel 2.1: APLP Through the Ages

Since the program's creation and implementation in 2000, hundreds of students have completed the APLP. As we welcome the 15th generation of the Asia Pacific Leadership Program to the East West Center in the Fall of 2015, we are able to see what an evolution this program has gone through. This panel will highlight major turning points in the program's history and showcase pivotal student experiences during the program in 15 generations. This panel will also touch upon how APLP has impacted the lives of participants as well as staff and provide an update as to where participants are, post-program. Lastly, we hope to contribute to the discussion as to the legacy of the program both tangible, such as the Nainoa Thompson Scholarship Fund and the Mentor Program, as well as the intangible, such as fostering a global professional network and lasting cross-cultural friendships.