



ASIAN INDUSTRY B2B

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FOUNDER'S MESSAGE

DEAR AIB SUPPORTERS,

Many of you, about 200 of you, attended our March Chinese History Celebration Mixer. So many of you RSVPed to hear the dynamic Betty Tom Chu and Eugene Moy. We had so many people that two days before, we had to move to a new location to accommodate the crowd.

Thank you to Wells Fargo for taking care of AIB and a HUGE thank you to Fred Sevilla of Califuze for feeding our bellies with delicious fusion food. Yummy. We gracefully accommodated to the new normal because of our strong working relationships and trust. Ultimately delivering a great evening to our 200 guests.

Our organization has experienced tremendous growth because we take the time to communicate and take care of those who support us. We hope to be an example of the proper way to do business.

I am also proud to unleash an Events Calendar available on Aib2b.org/events, where you can see our partner nonprofits' events, and charitable opportunities. Please submit all events directly to me: marc@mangusfinance.com. This is our love letter to our partner organizations: we are here for you.

Stay tuned as we continue to up our game by continuing to provide white glove service to our contributing businesses, making fun-filled programs for our events, and continuing to attract the best and most accomplished professionals in the private sector.

MARC ANG
AIB FOUNDER



OUR MONTHLY EVENT WAS A SUCCESS!

EVENT RECAP:

Two days before the event, we were at 150 RSVPs, and we could not accommodate all our guests at the spacious Wells Fargo Industry branch. Thankfully, we made the right executive decision to: do we turn people away or move to accommodate? I wanted to give a huge shoutout to Russell Reneau and Michael Nguyen, who care so much about people and doing the right thing. They handled securing the Industry Hills Expo Center venue, and I called, texted or emailed every single RSVP to ensure everyone knew on a personal basis, that there was a venue change.

The event was amazing. We had the huge pavillion room at the Expo Center. The great AIB team, Russell and his awesome team, and our good friend Cindy Yee, got to the event early and set up VIP tables to accommodate our community leaders, and general seating.

AIB opened up with Marc Ang, Carmela Giliberto, Michael Lew and Chi Ni talking about our committee activities. Wells Fargo, our sponsor, through Juan Mora, spoke about their programs for their

community. Then Betty Tom Chu lit up the room with her amazing speech about her accomplishments, founding the First Chinese Savings and Loan bank, founding East West Bank and her calls to unite as Asian Americans.

Eugene Moy talked about the great work of the Chinese Historical Society of Southern California. You know it's a great event when people stuck around two hours after, to network.

We had a huge list of VIPs, and were featured on Los Angeles Post and International Daily News.



COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS:

March 3rd: Chinese American Museum
Lantern Festival. AIB volunteers.



March 3rd: Vineyard of Harvest Church
Lunar New Year Festival



March 6th: Chi Ni featured on The Money
Lab Radio Show

March 10th: Tammy Fox and Marc Ang
worked with local psychologists to start
addressing the issue of mental illness in
API Committee.



March 15th: Michael Lew, Christine Callender
and Marc Ang met with White House
API Initiative Director Holly Ham and other
API community leaders in an intimate
dinner.



COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS:

March 16th: Michael Lew and Marc Ang supported "Face of a Nation", a film by Mina Chow.



March 25th: Marc Ang presented government office certificates to the 100+ years of Bing Kong Tong association in downtown LA and Monterey Park.



March 18th: Sophie Wong and Marc Ang supported Janet Chin of Senator Ed Hernandez's office in an event that honors San Gabriel women.



March 25th: Wenli Jen and Marc Ang supported ambassador William Hung's keynote speech at a Pasadena toastmasters open house.



COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS:

March 25th: Marc Ang supported sponsor Pasadena Service Federal Credit Union's car show in Arcadia.



March 29th: Marc Ang and Sophie Wong supported Mandy Yeh's award, along with many others, at CCBA's Youth Leadership Awards dinner.



March 29th: Lany Indrawati and Marc Ang supported Shirley Chen and AREAA's event featuring Gov Hutchinson and Anthony Hutchinson's real estate update in Diamond Bar.



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POLITICAL:

This month, Marc Ang launched Pass The Beacon to mentor college students on the right side of free speech to 120 people in Orange, CA. It also served as a call to keep political parties accountable, recognizing that they are using the community for votes, but not really making an impact. This message was so well received that almost everyone at the event committed to becoming a volunteer. It was a beautiful thing to behold.

CHARITABLE EVENT:

On March 16th, Marc Ang and Lany Indrawati joined the Asian American Resource Center led by Christina Tran to volunteer for Santa Claus Inc / Youth Enrichment Services. Our group organized some huge shipments of back to school items, such as notebooks, pencils, pens, crayons, binders and other supplies. We also had a shipment of clothes such as sport bras that the girls, and Marc, organized into different piles based on size. We took some silly pictures while we were at it.



There were some great synergies as the AARC received 550 fleece blankets which AIB was able to facilitate the donation of these blankets to the needy. One box was directed to Bing Kong Tong, and others to Words of Comfort Hope and Promise. In addition, Sandy Lourenco from YES/Santa Claus donated hygiene packs to Bing Kong Tong. Terry Fitch also donated a volleyball court.

🌸 CALL TO ACTION 🌸

CULTURAL

UCLA Bear Wear thought it was enough to appease us by including an Asian male in the catalog on the winter apparel catalog but reverted to excluding us in Spring. Please voice your dissatisfaction. Join Michael and myself to fight this battle which we will highlight at our next meeting. If you feel as strongly about this as we do, send an email to marc@mangusfinance.com.

CHARITABLE

We did a beach cleanup in Surfside beach (Huntington Beach) through Pete Amundson. Let's do another one. I need some leaders who care for this cause. Email me.

Everyone interested in helping out our charities, which are featured on our website, should reach out to marc@mangusfinance.com. There are opportunities to help Santa Claus Inc, Words of Comfort Hope and Promise, Boy Scouts, Talk About Curing Autism and other charities with a lot of year round programs.

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MONTHLY MIXER

every 2nd Wednesday



APRIL 11, 6PM-8PM

301 E Rowland St,
Covina, CA 91723

**Celebrating Youth Education
with Special Guest Speakers:**



Ling Ling Chang

Former Assemblywoman



Andy Tien

Pasadena Service
Federal Credit Union

No-Mandatory Cost Dinner & Beverages

Free Light Dinner Provided

**RSVP
REQUIRED
TO ATTEND!**

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AIB Founder

