



Regional Workforce Alliance (RWA) Q1

Monday, April 22nd, 2024

12:00 pm – 1:30 pm

In-Person: CA Endowment Center for Healthy Communities, 1000 N Alameda St, LA 90012 Remote: [ZOOM](#)

Meeting Objectives

1. **Enhancing Local Economies through Quality Jobs and Community Development**
2. **Explore the Role of Sustainability + Social Entrepreneurship at USC Marshall**
3. **The Importance of Advancing Digital Equity and Inclusion in LA County**
4. **E-Contractor Program Updates**

Consider arriving a little early--lunch will be available starting at 11:45am.

- 12:05 **Welcome / Opening Remarks**
Minh Le, General Manager
County of Los Angeles – ISD Energy and Environmental Services
- 12:10 **Kelly LoBianco, Director**
County of Los Angeles – Department of Economic Opportunity
- 12:25 **The Intersection of Sustainability + Social Entrepreneurship**
JJ Lee, Director of the Master of Science in Social Entrepreneurship (MSSE) Program
USC Marshall School of Business
Panelists:
Dr. Christopher Bresnahan, Associate Professor, Marshall School of Business
Mika Jain, MS E.D., Assistant Vice President, USC Net Impact
Florence Rivkin, USC MSSE Graduate Student
- 12:55 **Advancing Digital Equity and Inclusion**
Rebecca F. Kauma, Director of Digital Equity
County of Los Angeles – ISD
- 1:10 **E-Contractor Program Updates**
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- 1:25 **Closing Remarks**
Wendy Angel, Southern California Regional Director
Emerald Cities Collaborative