

# 55<sup>th</sup> C.A.C.A. BIENNIAL NATIONAL CONVENTION

Boston, Massachusetts

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	Tuesday, July 2	DAY 1 Wednesday, July 3	DAY 2 Thursday, July 4	DAY 3 Friday, July 5	DAY 4 Saturday, July 6	Sunday, July 7
		<i>Achieve</i>	<i>Celebrate</i>	<i>Advance</i>	<i>Contribute</i>	
8 am	Pre-Convention Activities	<b>Breakfast Registration</b>	<b>Breakfast Registration</b>	<b>Breakfast</b>	<b>Breakfast</b>	Post Convention Activities
9 am		#1 - Opening Plenary Session at Hotel	#6 - Morning Plenary Session at Hotel	#11 - Morning Plenary Session at Hotel	#16 - Morning Plenary Session at Hotel	<b>Breakfast</b>
10 am	Hotel Check In	#2 - Opening Plenary Session at Hotel	#7 – Morning Plenary Session at Hotel	#12 - 2020 U.S. Census Presentation at Hotel	#17 - C.A.C.A. National Election at Hotel	Chinese American National Town Hall  “Political Empowerment and Engagement”
11 am	Hotel Check In	#3 - Opening Plenary Session at Hotel	#8 – Morning Plenary Session at Hotel	#13 - 2020 U.S. Census Presentation at Hotel	#18 - C.A.C.A. National Election at Hotel	Chinese American National Town Hall  “Breaking Through the Bamboo and Glass Ceilings”
12 noon	<b>Ground Breaking Archeological Dig 6 Hudson Street, Chinatown</b>	<i>Hot Pot Buffet Restaurant Hosted by AARP</i>	<i>Legal Seafood</i>	<i>Picnic Lunch at Boston Public Garden</i>	<i>Dim Sum Brunch Hei La Moon Restaurant</i>	<i>Lunch Break</i>
1:00 pm	<i>Lunch at Golden Gate Restaurant</i>	<i>Hot Pot Buffet Restaurant Hosted by AARP</i>	<i>Legal Seafood</i>	#14 - 2020 U.S. Census Presentation at Hotel	<i>Dim Sum Brunch Hei La Moon Restaurant</i>	Chinese American National Town Hall  “U.S. China Relation and Trade War - Effects on Chinese Americans”
2:00 pm	<b>Tours of the Freedom Trail®: “Enemies to this Country”</b>	#4 - Afternoon Plenary Session at the Boston Park Plaza Hotel	#9 - Afternoon Plenary Session at Avenue 34	#15 - 2020 U.S. Census Presentation at Hotel	“Breaking Through the Bamboo/ Glass Ceilings” by <i>Buck Gee, Chair, Angel Island Immigration Station Foundation, Ascend &amp; C-100 at Sackler Auditorium, Tufts</i>	Chinese American National Town Hall  “Building Bridges: Chinese Americans Standing Up and Speaking Out”

3:00 pm	<b>Boston City Hall Guided Tour by Boston City Councilor Ed Flynn</b>	<b>#5 - AARP Presentation Session at Hotel</b>	<b>#10 - Afternoon Plenary Session at Hotel</b>	<b>“Civil Right Advocacy during the Era of the Chinese Exclusion Laws”</b>  <i>by Philanthropist, Chinese American Historian, Scholar and Community Leader David Lei</i>	<b>“Chinese Americans and the Future of Civil Rights” Professor Frank Wu, Former Dean U.C. Hastings College of Law and President of C-100 at Sackler Auditorium</b>	<b>Norman Mineta and his Legacy: An American Story</b>
4:00 pm	<b>Massachusetts State House Guided Tour by State Representative Kevin Honan</b>	<b>Museum of Fine Arts</b>	<b>“OoO by CRW &amp; CAWW2” by Major General William S. Chen, (First Chinese American 2 Stars General in the U.S. Army, Retired)</b>	<b>“Our Chinatown” Documentary Screening by Kenneth Eng at the Boston Park Plaza Hotel</b>	<b>Finds from Chinese Railroad Worker Camps in Utah by Amateur Archeologist James Martin at Sackler Auditorium, Tufts Medical School</b>	<b>Questions and Answers U.S. Transportation and U.S. Commerce Secretary Norman Y. Mineta moderated by Floyd Mori</b>
5:00 pm	<b>Group Picture on Washington St., Millennium Tower</b>	<b>Museum of Fine Arts</b>		<b>Chinese Railroad Worker Pioneer Buffet Dinner at Tufts University</b>	<b>“Our Chinatown” Documentary Screening by Kenneth Eng at Tufts University</b>	
6:00 pm	<b>New England Clambake at Tufts University</b>	<b>Group Picture in front of the Museum of Fine Arts wearing purple convention polo shirt</b>	<b>C.A.C.A. 55<sup>th</sup> Biennial National Convention Opening Banquet at the Empire Garden Restaurant</b>	<b>Chinese Railroad Worker Pioneer Buffet Dinner at Tufts University</b>	<b>“Spirit of America” Award Cocktail Reception at the Boston Park Plaza Avenue 34 Ballroom</b>	<b>Chinese American Heritage Foundation Award Banquet at Hei La Moon Restaurant</b>
7:00 pm	<b>New England Clambake at Tufts University</b>	<b>Boston Harbor Sunset Cruise</b>  <i>with Light Dinner and snacks</i>	<b>C.A.C.A. 55<sup>th</sup> Biennial National Convention Opening Banquet at the Empire Garden Restaurant</b>	<b>“Chinese Railroad Workers in American History: A Record of Extraordinary Accomplishment” &amp; Update on C.A.C.A. Archive at Stanford University by Professor Gordon H. Chang</b>	<b>“Spirit of America” Award Dinner Gala at the Boston Park Plaza Avenue 34 Ballroom</b>	<b>Chinese American Heritage Foundation Award Banquet at Hei La Moon Restaurant</b>
8:00 pm	<b>“Mayor Ed Lee” Documentary Screening at Tufts University</b>	<b>Boston Harbor Sunset Cruise</b>  <i>Light Dinner and Snacks</i>	<b>C.A.C.A. 55<sup>th</sup> Biennial National Convention Opening Banquet at the Empire Garden Restaurant</b>	<b>“The Chinese and the Iron Road” and “Ghosts of Gold Mountain” Book Talk by Stanford University Professor Gordon H. Chang</b>	<b>“Spirit of America” Award Dinner Gala at the Boston Park Plaza Avenue 34 Ballroom</b>	<b>Chinese American Heritage Foundation Award Banquet at Hei La Moon Restaurant</b>
9:00 pm			<b>Group Picture at Empire Garden Restaurant</b>		<b>Group Picture at the Boston Park Plaza Avenue 34 Ballroom</b>	<b>Group Picture at Hei La Moon Restaurant</b>
10:30 pm			<b>Fireworks on the Charles River</b>			