



**Rising Together: Mobilizing 9 Million on the Path to Citizenship**  
**NAC National Naturalization Practitioners' Conference**  
**Houston, TX**  
**October 12-14, 2023**

**PLEASE NOTE: THIS AGENDA OUTLINE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

**Thursday, October 12, 2023**

8:00-9:00 am	<b>Conference Registration, Breakfast, and Networking</b>
9:00-10:15 am	<b>Conference Welcome and Kickoff</b>
10:15-10:30 am	<b>Break</b>
10:30-12:00 pm	<b>Breakout sessions:</b>  <b>Introduction to the New Americans Campaign</b>  <b>Naturalization Working Group</b>  <b>Best Practices in Working with Volunteers</b>
12:00-1:00 pm	<b>Lunch - Informal Networking Time</b> <i>Partners funded by the NAC for civic engagement will meet during lunch.</i>
1:00-1:30 pm	<b>Highlights of NAC Resources and Opportunities</b>
1:30-3:00 pm	<b>Breakout sessions:</b>  <b>Fundraising Strategies to Support Naturalization</b>  <b>DOJ Recognition and Accreditation</b>  <b>Legal Training: Crimes and Naturalization</b> <i>Please note that this is the first half of a three-hour training.</i>
3:00-3:15 pm	<b>Break and Snack</b>
3:15-4:45 pm	<b>Breakout sessions:</b>  <b>Legal Training: Crimes and Naturalization (continued)</b> <i>Please note that this is the second half of a three-hour training.</i>

	<b>Civic Engagement Panel</b> <b>Confronting Misinformation Through Naturalization Outreach and Services</b>
4:45-5:15 pm	<b>Closing</b>
6:00-8:00 pm	<b>Dinner at Pacha Nikkei</b> 10001 Westheimer Rd., Suite 5, Houston, TX 77042 <i>All conference attendees are welcome to join us for dinner and conversation at a nearby restaurant. Note: The dinner is for conference attendees only. Please do not bring spouses, children, or friends.</i>

**Friday, October 13, 2023**

8:00-9:00 am	<b>Conference Registration, Breakfast, and Networking</b>
9:00-10:30 am	<b>All-NAC Session: Inspiring LPRs to Apply &amp; Strategies to Tackle High Demand for Naturalization Services</b>
10:30-10:45 am	<b>Break</b>
10:45-12:15 pm	<b>Breakout sessions:</b>  <b>Innovative and Effective Practices in Naturalization Test Preparation</b>  <b>Legal Training: Absences</b>  <b>Best Practices in Naturalization Workshops</b>
12:15-1:15 pm	<b>Lunch with Table Discussions</b>
1:15-2:45 pm	<b>Breakout sessions:</b>  <b>Saturday Workshop Volunteer Orientation</b> <i>This session is required for those attending the Saturday workshop.</i>  <b>Collaborating with Community Partners for Outreach and Services</b>
2:45-3:00 pm	<b>Break and Snack</b>
3:00-4:00 pm	<b>Breakout sessions:</b>  <b>Strategies for Engaging with USCIS Offices</b>  <b>Technology and Innovations Showcase</b>
4:00-4:45 pm	<b>NAC Site/Regional Meetings</b>
4:45-5:15 pm	<b>Evaluations, Closing, and Thanks</b>

**Saturday, October 14, 2023**

**Naturalization Workshop  
Chinese Community Center  
9800 Town Park Drive, Houston, TX 77036**

7:00-7:15 am	<b>Buses depart from Houston Marriott Westchase</b>
7:30 am	<b>Volunteer arrival time</b>
8:00 am	<b>Workshop start time</b>
3:00 pm	<b>Workshop end time</b> <i>Note: Travel to the hotel, airport, etc. after the workshop is on your own</i>