



### **AAHOA Teams with Hyatt Hotels Corp. for Young Professionals Development Day**

ATLANTA, June 22, 2017 - Young professional hoteliers from the Asian American Hotel Owners Association (AAHOA) are teaming up with Hyatt Hotels Corporation for a day devoted to helping young professional hoteliers develop Hyatt properties.

Hyatt SVP of Real Estate & Development Julianne Smith will lead a team of top executives who will explore every aspect of developing a Hyatt property, including multiple education sessions on Hyatt's history, culture, operation, and design.

"AAHOA is dedicated to offering the best possible resources for today's young professionals," said AAHOA President & CEO Chip Rogers. "Hyatt is a long-time partner of AAHOA and we value their commitment to the next generation of hotel owners."

The development day for young professionals, sponsored by Hyatt Hotels Corp., is Friday, June 23 at the Hyatt Center in Chicago.

*AAHOA is the largest hotel owners association in the world. The more than 16,000 AAHOA members own almost 1 in every 2 hotels in the United States. With billions of dollars in property assets and hundreds of thousands of employees, AAHOA members are core economic contributors in virtually every community in the United States. As an association, AAHOA is a proud defender of free enterprise and the foremost current-day example of realizing the American Dream.*