



ABOUT ASIAN BUSINESS ASSOCIATION



Founded in 1990, Asian Business Association of San Diego (ABASD) represents the interests of over 30,000 Asian Pacific Islander (API) owned businesses throughout San Diego County. ABASD believes in building sustainable communities through inclusive economic development and a qualified diverse workforce.

As part of America's Small Business Development Center (SBDC) network, and one of the region's largest ethnic business associations, ABASD offers educational workshops, technical assistance, business mentorship, and access to capital to minority-owned small and disadvantaged businesses, entrepreneurs and start-ups -- in hard-to-reach communities. Its programming consistently grows a unique client base through its business advisors and support staff dedicated to one-on-one, low to no-cost consulting.

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COMMUNITY PARTNERS

- **San Diego & Imperial SBDC Network:**
 - North San Diego SBDC (MiraCosta College) in Carlsbad
 - East County SBDC (East County Economic Development Council) in El Cajon
 - South San Diego SBDC (Southwestern College) in National City
 - International Rescue Committee SBDC in City Heights
 - The Brink SBDC at the University of San Diego, a specialty SBDC for innovation-based companies
 - Export SBDC at the World Trade Center San Diego, a specialty SBDC for companies expanding to international markets
 - International Rescue Committee SBDC in City Heights
 - Connect SBDC, a specialty SBDC for innovation-based companies
 - Alliance SBDC (Asian Business Association of San Diego with the Central San Diego Black Chamber of Commerce and the San Diego County Hispanic Chamber of Commerce) in Kearny Mesa

COMMUNITY PARTNERS (continued)

- ConnectAll with Jacobs Center for Neighborhood Innovation
- Southeastern Diamond Business District
- Adams Avenue Business Association
- Barrio Logan Association
- City Heights Business Association
- Hillcrest Business Association
- Logan Heights CDC
- Logan Avenue Consortium
- Mira Mesa Chamber of Commerce
- North Park Main Street
- San Ysidro Chamber of Commerce
- La Vuelta
- Urban Corps
- San Diego Equality Business Association
- Made in Paradise Hills
- El Cajon Boulevard Business Improvement Association
- The Brink at USD
- International Rescue Committee
- RISE San Diego
- Rotary Club San Diego
- NAACP - San Diego
- Urban League of San Diego County
- Diamond BID
- BAPAC
- Black San Diego
- Adams Avenue Business Association
- AKA's
- Alphas
- BAPAC
- Barrio Logan Association
- Black Businesses of California
- Black Men & Women United
- Black Professionals
- Black San Diego
- Chaldean Chamber of Commerce
- Chicano Federation
- City Heights Business Association
- Community Events for Voice & Viewpoint Coverage
- Convoy District Partnership
- Earl B. Gilliam Bar Foundation
- East African Community Center
- Fit Black and Educated
- Indo-American Arts & Culture Society

COMMUNITY PARTNERS (continued)

- National Panhellenic Council
- NSBE- SDSU
- NSBE- UCSD
- Otay Mesa Chamber of Commerce
- Pastors on Point
- Paving Great Futures
- Power Referral Services
- Ques
- San Diego Black Business Network
- San Diego Urban League
- San Diego Regional Chamber of Commerce
- San Ysidro Chamber of Commerce
- SD Urban League Young Professionals
- SD Young Professionals
- Southeastern Business Development Center (SBDC -Diamond BID)
- Sudanese Community Center
- The Rock Church
- The Vine Black News Magazine
- UAAMAC
- Urban League of San Diego County
- Young Black and In Business
- San Diego Workforce Partnership
- San Diego Tourism Authority
- Downtown San Diego Partnership
- Access, Inc. (Linda Vista)
- Asian Pacific American Public Affairs, San Diego Chapter
- Korean American Coalition
- National Association of Asian American Professionals, San Diego
- Taiwanese American Professionals, San Diego
- Central San Diego Black Chamber of Commerce
- San Diego County Hispanic Chamber of Commerce

Outreach Programs & Experience

- Covered California
- San Diego Housing Commission
- County of San Diego- COVID-19 Relief Small Business Triage Center
- City of San Diego Economic Development Department- Specialized Outreach and Technical Assistance
- City of San Diego Economic Development Department- Outdoor Dining Outreach
- San Diego and Imperial Small Business Development Center Network
- AARP Protect Voters 50+ Get Out The Vote Program 2020
- Affordable Care Act, Covered California
- The SD Foundation- COVID-19 Community Response Fund Program
- Governor's COVID-19 Vaccine Task Force- "Vax for the Win" Education Program

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