Chinese Finance Association of America cordially invites you to join us for a feature presentation

"Achieve Success Through Stronger Soft Skills"

Featuring

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The recent development in the financial market has provided great opportunities. As this field attracts more and more Chinese professionals with financial and technology expertise, the opportunities as well as competition have proven tremendous. While many fresh graduates are anxious about landing a programming-based position in this sector as a starter, many seasoned employees ask "where to go from here". Stereotypical assumptions about Chinese professionals as a group may be detrimental to our career progress, but how we handle our individual careers also plays a critical role. This seminar discusses the opportunities and obstacles for Chinese professionals, focusing in particular on how to optimize career success through soft skill development, an area needing more attention from many Chinese American professionals.

Thursday, August 18, 2011

5:15 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

The Union League Club of Chicago Tudor Room 700, 7th Floor 65 West Jackson Blvd Chicago, Illinois

Agenda: 5:15 – 5:30pm Registration

5:30 – 6:00pm Networking

6:00 - 6:40pm Ms. Hu's speech

6:40 - 7:00pm Q&A

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Speaker's Bio:

Dr. Diana Y. Hu is currently the General Manager of Geotrans Learning Center (www.geotranslearning.com), an online based training company. The company offers a five month long weekly training course that allows foreign-born professionals to enhance their American English language skills, communication capability and understanding of the American culture in both business and social context. Her prior work experiences include management consulting at PricewaterhouseCoopers and Deloitte Consulting, and marketing and corporate finance positions at Allstate Insurance Company. Diana has a MBA degree from University of Chicago and a Ph.D. in biophysics from Baylor College of Medicine.

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