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C O M M E N C E M E N T

Friday, May 17, 2024

2:00 PM

The Greek Theatre

WELCOME

Ann E. Harrison, Bank of America Dean, Haas School of Business

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Monica Stevens, Executive Search Consultant, Financial Services and Boards,
Spencer Stuart

EVENING & WEEKEND MBA PROGRAM

DEFINING LEADERSHIP PRINCIPLES AWARD WINNERS

EVENING & WEEKEND MBA PROGRAM SPEAKER

Katherine Zepeda Arreola

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

FULL-TIME MBA PROGRAM

DEFINING LEADERSHIP PRINCIPLES AWARD WINNERS

FULL-TIME MBA PROGRAM SPEAKER

Xavier Jefferson

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

RECOGNITION OF BERKELEY HAAS BEYOND YOURSELF FELLOWS

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CLOSING MESSAGE

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MONICA STEVENS



**MBA 96
EXECUTIVE SEARCH CONSULTANT, FINANCIAL
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Monica Stevens is a member of Spencer Stuart's Financial Services and Boards practices based in the San Francisco office. She focuses on executive search, leadership advisory, and succession planning work for C-suites and boards across corporate and commercial banking, payments, real estate, and risk.

A seasoned banker and nonprofit board member with more than 25 years of results-driven experience in general management, customer relationship development, talent acquisition, and learning and professional development, Monica is passionate about leveling the playing field in business and education as a committed champion of diversity and inclusion in business and in her community.

Before joining Spencer Stuart, Monica spent 25 years at Wells Fargo, where she held multiple sales, credit, and leadership roles in commercial real estate, capital markets, and global banking. Most recently, Monica was senior vice president and chief credit and risk officer in the Wells Fargo Merchant Services division.

Monica is passionate about helping firms go beyond themselves. At Wells Fargo, she co-founded the company's first Black/African American employee resource group, and more recently she served as co-chair of the Wells Fargo Merchant Services group's Diversity Council. She also cares deeply about talent development; she ran, repositioned, and doubled a firm development program and recruited talent at various levels who have made, and continue to make, significant contributions to the firm.

A proud veteran, Monica is a graduate of the United States Naval Academy, where she earned a bachelor's degree in political science. She started her career as an officer in the U.S. Navy.

Monica received an MBA with a concentration in real estate finance from the Haas School of Business at the University of California, Berkeley. She is currently a trustee on Haas's Advisory Board, and she was awarded the school's Raymond A. Miles Service Award in 2017 for her contributions in supporting and enhancing DE&I initiatives. She was also previously a trustee for the Redwood Day School in Oakland, where she led the Diversity Committee.

EVENING & WEEKEND PROGRAM

Zachary David Ackerman	Li-Shuan Chen **	Anup Badarinath Goutham
John Alexander Adams	Zixuan Chen	Priya Govindaraj
Max Adams	Kevin Yi Cheng	Annie Marie Gray
Nicole Natsumi Adams	Michael Cheng	Izzy Marlea Greer **
Aradhya Agarwal **§	Steven Pangilinan Chua	Kevin Grossman
Anmol Aggarwal	Joshua Pierre Clerc	Raymond Guan
Pulkit Agrawal	Ashlie Cloudt-Barrall	Joshua Guggenheim
Arjun Ajjampur	Carolyn Diane Collins	Priyanka Guha
Halit Akar	Chanele Brittany Cook	Asriel Han
Michael Dean Akiyama	Brian Alexander Council	Michelle Handipranata
Tugi Aldar	Bogdan Cristei	William Hayward
Roza Zare Alon	Khoa Dang Dao §	Henry Hercock
Calvin Alunkal	Venkat Rajesh Dayala	David Hollady
Rogelio Alvarez	Christopher Dekmezian **	Steven Hsieh
Haider Aly Reza	Alexis Del Toro	Yuzhou Hu
Asha Ambike	Anastasia Maria Demetriou	Yifei Huang
Conor Sean Anderson *	Vesh V Deshmukh	Kaz Ichimori
Nicholas Anderson	Samuel Aaron DeWitt	Bo Young In
Taylor Elaina Aston-Nielsen	Jeffrey Dinh	Sanyukta Rajendra Inamdar
Joselyn Michelle Baety	Adilene Dominguez	Addison Yukio Iwanaga
Sugam Bahl	Julio Cesar Dominguez	Nebo Iwenofu
Robert Bajorski	Harsh Doshi	Aditi Iyer
Zeya Bakhtyar	Navya Dwarakanath **	Aly Jackson
Brianna Lehua Beighle	John Wayne Eppolito	John Robert Jacobs
Lily Beirami	Kira Rain Anneliese Erickson	Vikram Java **
Abhilasha Bhardwaj	Sasha Nicole Farina	Sreejith Jayan
Kaushal Biligiri	Lizi Feng **	Shyamali Jayashankar
Marisa Katherine Blanke	Elizabeth Elizabeth Flower	Akshay Jetli
Eric Boyd **	Leland Kwong Franklin	Spencer Jia **
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Jonathan Kenji Brown **	Peter Geng	Kelsey Kathleen Johnson
Paul Christopher Bryzek	Katie Rose Ginsburg	Ryan Johnson
Roman Bulgakov	Cam Hilaire Giroux	Rajit Johri **
Thomas Bush	Yash Suresh Gogte **	Raj Reddy Kalluri
Desiree Torrano Caballero	Paola Gonzalez-Maldonado	Bhavya Kashyap
Jonathan Paul Calkins	Stephanie Kate Goodman	Ritu Kaur
Danielle Marie Carattini	Debra Goodson *	Juned Kazi
Lisa Chan	Anirudh Gopal Gopal	Gwynne Keathley
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Ricky Chea	Ashwin Gopalan	Rehab Khan **
Dong Chen	Victoria Jane Gorman	Arsal Khanani

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April Kim	Yunzhi Lu	Sangram Ashok Patil
Jessica Kim	Robert J Lusk	Prateek Patni
Mah Kadidia Konate	Justin Keith Lutsch	Oana Pavunev
Kesh Mandayam Kope	Marissa Maliwanag	Cao Fernandes Peluffo
Aditya Kotwal	Gopal Mannava	Eduardo Perez Benavides
Divya Krishnakumar	Colin T Mark-Griffin	Yanmei Piao
Cynthia Kuan	Hasan Masud	Mike Andrew Pitt **
Pavan Kumar Kunchala	Annie Bascomb Matusiewicz	Keely Anne Pollock
Dominik Kundel **	Stephen Thomas McCarthy **	Pavan Pothuri
Laura Michelle Kurt **	Elaine McChesney	Caitlin Prendes
Kristine Ing Kushner **	Nicholas Robert McLachlan	Ameya Purandare **
Daniel Kai-ming Kwan	Paras Mehra	Crystal Qin
Cherie Kwok	Prachi Mehta **	Ellyn Louise Quigg
Nicholas Paul Landgraf *	Kate Lynn Mellon	Rosana Victoria Rabines
Westin Smith Leavitt	Zachary Maxwell Mirman **	Sumesh Raghavan
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Kenneth Lee	Elizabeth Morley	Janani Ramakrishnan **
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Rachel Leong	Keith Myers	Steven Paul Reilly **§
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Vivian Li	Rohit Nair	Tara Sheida Rezvani
Yanjia Li	Mohammad Hasan Naqvi	Katie Ann Ricciardi
Yingying Li	Naren Narayana Babu	Shannon Marie Roberto
Zia Li	Kunal Narsinghani	Aidan Rogers
Charlotte Liang	Ajit Singh Narwal	Sterling Seabury Root
Katie Liang	Neel Sheetal Natekar	Kaustav Saha
Mia Liang	Vikas Prabhakar Nelamangala	Vineet Sahni
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David Meng Liu **	Paul Noe	Thomas Robert Schwei
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Jibin Liu	Uchechukwu Omegara **	Nikit Kirit Shah
Mingda Liu	Ilana Ostrov	Payal Manojkumar Shah
Pinhsi Liu	Shu Jun Ou	Kunjay Shah
Rui Liu	Elliott Edward Owensby	Ross Shanken
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Kc Keng Chai Loy	Seema Patel	

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 Meng Shi
 Hung Yuan Shih
 Anup Shivakumar **
 Natasha Sihota
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 Ankita Singh
 Kavi Hardevsingh Solanki
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 Anqi Song
 Sandy Chandrashekar
 Taylor Stern
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 Charles Su
 Yan Sun
 Matt Sun
 Yifan Sun
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 Pragalath Sundararajan
 Vinodh Kumar Sunkara
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 May Takino
 Aakrati Talati
 Keita Dennis Tanaka
 Sylvia C. Tang **
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 Arjun Tejaswi
 Varun Theja Thammineni
 Denzil Delane Thies
 Tyler George Tokarsky
 Bill Tomlinson
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 Francisco Julio Torres
 Lauren Marie Trusheim **
 Shelly Tuo
 Emeka Godswill Ugwu **
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Jacqueline Leehsin Van
 Akshar Ved
 Mrudula Vemuri
 Rohan Venkatesh
 Raji Advaiti Venugopalan
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 James Le Wang
 Tong Wang
 Na Wang
 Elizabeth Warner Watson **
 Sam Crawford Wear
 Libo Weng
 Trevor Wiessler
 Dominic Deshawn Williams
 Natalie Rose Wilson
 Mark Robert Wintermute **
 Jack King Woodruff
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 Lexing Yang **
 Yao Yang
 Renee Jun Yao
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 Gloria Yi Kim
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 Katherine Zepeda Arreola
 Beier Zhang **
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FULL-TIME PROGRAM

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 Parakh Agarwal **
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 Scott Myrvang Ario
 Ryan Armanda
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 Esmanur Atasoy
 Dalia Badih
 Sudeshna Barman
 Akanksha Bawa
 Rosario Bennett
 W. R. Alex Berry
 Santiago Betancur Henao
 Erik Better

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Alana Bhatla *✿	Nick Do	Emani Holyfield
Ananjan Bhattacharyya	Angelina Donhoff	Lucas Huang
Mehmet Bilginsoy ✿	Alex Drakos ✿	Brian Hum
Daniel Nadurata Billostas †	Patrick Drown	PJ Hummelt **
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Kerisha Burke	Jake Elzinga	Carter O'Brien Jacobsen **§
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Nikhita Chawla ✿	Nick Goomer	Jules Kentgens **
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Mei (Shuoming) Chen	Alison Greer *✿	Amariss Kim
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Kyle Burditt Dickey	Hillary Hoffstein	Mick Mathis

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Rosario Molina	Chris Rea	Sanjay Velappan §
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Jackson Rice Moore	Bhavin Rishi Harsh Sangani	Angela Wang
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Jose Roberto Perez Chavez §	Korawat (Gear) Techaphulphol	
Yannic Calvin Peters	Anupama Tej	
Jack Pollock	Kaya Leigh Ten-Pow	
DJ Prahladka	Christian Toledo	
Didi Pritakinari	Tatsuya Toyoda	
Jack Pruitt **	Fiona Truong ✨	

AWARDS AND HONORS

EVENING & WEEKEND MBA PROGRAM AWARDS

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Rajit Johri

Defining Leadership Principles Awards

QUESTION THE STATUS QUO

Joselyn Michelle Baety

CONFIDENCE WITHOUT ATTITUDE

Emeka Godswill Ugwu

STUDENTS ALWAYS

Anmol Aggarwal

BEYOND YOURSELF

Marissa Maliwanag

THE BERKELEY LEADER AWARD

Khoa Dang Dao

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Albert Deng

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Kelsie Smithson

STUDENTS ALWAYS

Whitner Chase

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Caroline Patricia Jimenez

THE BERKELEY LEADER AWARD

Anupama Tej

TEACHING AWARDS

EARL F. CHEIT AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING

Solène Delecourt, Full-time

Wichinpong "Park" Sinchaisri, Evening

Flavio Feferman, Weekend

OUTSTANDING GRADUATE STUDENT INSTRUCTOR AWARD

Auyon Chakrabarti, Full-time

Patrick Drown, Evening & Weekend

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