



AITP-LA Virtual Wine and Cheese – January 20th

Navigating the New Year/ New Economy

AITP-LA's celebrated Virtual Wine and Cheese / TechChat event kicking off 2022, is coming on Thursday, January 20th. Lively conversation / sharing of ideas about technology, the economy, and our Post-Covid lifestyles. And of course great networking.

So adjust your headphones, get comfortable, and be ready to entertain and be entertained.... while enjoying your favorite wine, cheese or other preferred sustenance.

DATE: Thursday January 20, 2022

TIME: 5:30 PM to 7:00 PM (Pacific time) -- Virtual Wine and Cheese Networking

PLACE: Virtual via ZOOM wherever your connection is good.

COST: FREE for MEMBERS AND NON-MEMBERS with advance registration

FORMAT: Networking Introductions, then we'll cycle through discussion of topics.

Vivek Tauh, an active member of AITP-LA's leadership team, will be initiating the discussion. During the introductions if you choose, you'll have an opportunity to give a one minute elevator pitch about yourself and also to share your ideas.

TOPICS FOR DISCUSSION

We'll have stimulating topics using simple guidelines:

New Year Resolutions -- Goals that matter for 2022. What will you be doing differently?

The Economy -- What will happen to prices in 2022? Housing and stock markets. Bubble or the new normal? Share your thoughts on future directions.

Blockchain Applications -- Are superior business solutions appearing? Which apps will go mainstream in 2022? Decentralized Finance? NFTs?

Technology Innovations – 3D printers, photos, videos, cameras, and software -- do you have any great insights to share? Preferred environment for working virtually? What's next?

UNSTRUCTURED DISCUSSION

During the event you'll have the option of enjoying structured discussion in a Breakout room OR exiting to an unstructured Open Session.

GROUND RULES: Keep it positive and professional. Avoid political topics. Nerdy is fine and earth-changing is okay -- the goal is stimulating, interesting discussion.

REGISTER HERE

NOTE: the Registration Confirmation page will provide a link to ADD TO CALENDAR --

Click that link to add reminders from your personal calendar -- Outlook, Google, etc.

NOTE 2: you will also receive a confirmation email which displays the actual Zoom meeting link.

COMING EVENTS

February 24th -- Trends in the Marketplace -- a Panel of IT Hiring Professionals share leading-edge insights on employment trends/ hiring challenges in today's Post-Covid marketplace.

With Virtual Networking from 5:30 PM to 6:15 PM.

March 24th – TBD

With Virtual Networking from 5:30 PM to 6:15 PM.

April 28th -- TBD

With Virtual Networking from 5:30 PM to 6:15 PM.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

AITP San Diego Virtual Chapter Meetings, <https://aitpsd.org/>

AITP Akron Virtual Chapter Meetings, <https://akron-aitp.org/>

AITP Chicago Virtual Chapter Meetings, <https://www.aitpchicago.com/>

Special Virus Announcement:

In keeping with the State of California guidelines, AITP-LA is suspending in-person events until the mandates change, and will be using Zoom video/teleconference options in the meantime. These events will be posted as usual on our website and announced to all those in our email distribution.