



It has been a busy fall at Close the Gap CA, and we are just getting started! Register for upcoming events and enjoy highlights from recent ones:

2018 Post Midterm Election Webinar

Women, Progressives and the Resistance: what was at stake, what mattered and what's next.

Friday, November 9th, Noon-1:00pm

[Click to REGISTER HERE](#)

All eyes are on the 2018 midterm election, now less than two weeks away! Please join us for a post-election debrief from our panel experts who will analyze California and national results, and discuss how we prepare for 2020.



Post-Election Webinar

Tune in to hear experts slice and dice the Midterm outcomes!

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Register at tinyurl.com/y855nbrc



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Upcoming Events

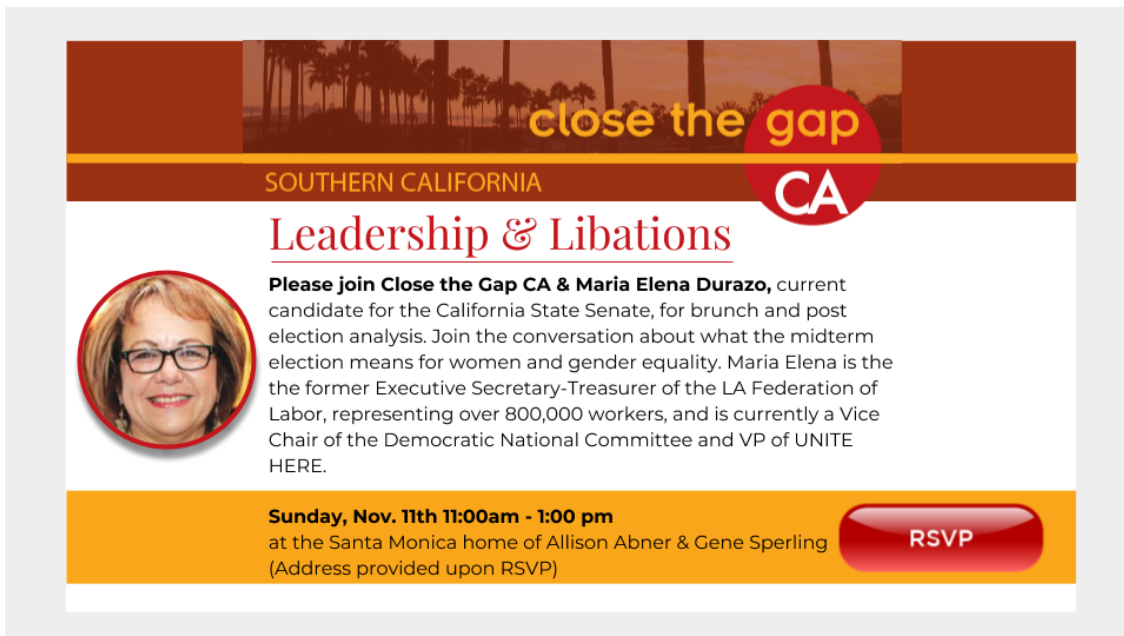


KQED Election Night Coverage with CTGCA Founder, Mary Hughes

November 6th on the Radio 88.5 FM

Tune in to KQED election night coverage after the polls close!
CTGCA founder Mary Hughes joins Scott Shafer and Marisa Lagos with
commentary and analysis of the night's results.

LA & SF Events - Join Us!



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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA **CA**

Leadership & Libations

Please join Close the Gap CA & Maria Elena Durazo, current candidate for the California State Senate, for brunch and post election analysis. Join the conversation about what the midterm election means for women and gender equality. Maria Elena is the former Executive Secretary-Treasurer of the LA Federation of Labor, representing over 800,000 workers, and is currently a Vice Chair of the Democratic National Committee and VP of UNITE HERE.

Sunday, Nov. 11th 11:00am - 1:00 pm
at the Santa Monica home of Allison Abner & Gene Sperling
(Address provided upon RSVP)

RSVP



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SAN FRANCISCO **CA**

Literature, Leadership & Libations

Blue Wave. Pink Wave. What now?
PLEASE JOIN US for the next installment in our "Literature, Leadership & Libations" series, where Former San Francisco Treasurer Susan Leal will moderate a conversation about the election with SF Supervisor Jane Kim and Jennifer Palmieri, former Communications Director for President Obama and Hillary Clinton's presidential campaign and author of the New York Times bestseller Dear Madam President: An Open Letter to Women Who Will Lead the World.



Hon. Susan Leal
Moderator



Jennifer Palmieri
Best-selling Author



Hon. Jane Kim
SF Supervisor

Wednesday, Nov. 14th 6:00 - 8:00 pm
at CoVo, 981 Mission Street, San Francisco

RSVP

A copy of Jennifer Palmieri's book is included in the ticket price.

CTGCA's Annual Sacramento Symposium

December 4th in Sacramento

A jam packed, real world, single day tutorial for prospective State Legislative candidates considering a run for 2020 or beyond. Keynote speakers share first-hand experience of the challenges and upsides of serving as a woman in the Legislature.

This is a closed event for prospective candidates for 2020 and beyond, please contact alice@closethegapca.org with questions. For sponsorships, contact cynthia@closethegapca.org.

We had fun!

CTGCA has been on the road this fall raising awareness about our mission, recruiting, bringing in much-needed funds, thanking loyal donors and getting everyone fired up for the elections ahead. Here are a few photos, including an event led by CTGCA recruit and Assemblymember Cecilia Aguiar-Curry. To learn about hosting an event in your area, please contact alice@closethepageca.org.



CTGCA recruit and Assemblymember Cecilia Aguiar-Curry joined us and Progressive Women of Napa Valley. Asm. Aguiar-Curry laid out just how much more the Legislature will be able to accomplish once more women join its ranks!



Founder Mary Hughes and ED Susannah Delano address a group of inspiring women in Portola Valley.

In Search of Volunteers! We need your help!

- Administrative Support in Palo Alto: Be our extra set of hands to help with miscellaneous tasks around the office during our year-end busy season in late November and early December.
- MailChimp/Website: A MailChimp and/or WordPress expert to help with emails, website updates and maintenance; this job can be done remotely.

- Event Support, in Sacramento: Help assure our Sacramento Symposium event runs smoothly; must be available in Sacramento on Dec 3rd or 4th.
- Event Photographer, in Sacramento: Photograph our Sacramento Symposium event on Dec 4th.
- Awareness Building, in SoCal: Host an outreach event in your SoCal area to help spread the word about our mission.

Please contact alice@closethepageca.org to learn more.

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