Saturday, May 20

8:00AM - 4:00PM
Day of Learning
With National Arts Strategies
Location: Benaroya Hall, Founders Room

Registration Opens
Room: Cabinet, Assembly Row

4:30PM
Visit to the Tacoma Art Museum
Bus will depart from the Fairmont Hotel lobby

8:00PM
Free for Dinner

Sunday, May 21

8:00AM - 9:30AM
Continental Breakfast
Room: Spanish Foyer, Upper Level

New Member Orientation
Open to AAMD members attending their first meeting only
Room: Parliament, Assembly Row

9:30AM - 10:45AM
College & University Museum Directors Meeting
Room: Congress, Assembly Row

Task Force on Archaeological Material and Ancient Art Meeting (closed)
Room: Senate, Assembly Row

Spouse/Companion Breakfast
Room: Council, Assembly Row
11:00AM

**Opening Welcome**
Room: Spanish Ballroom, Upper Level

Welcome by Chris Anagnos, AAMD Executive Director; and Brian Ferriso, AAMD President

11:15AM - 12:30PM

**Different Voices: A Social, Cultural, and Historical Framework for Change in the American Art Museum: 25 Years Later**
Room: Spanish Ballroom, Upper Level

Moderated by Chon A. Noriega, UCLA Department of Film, Television, and Digital Media
Presented by Carol Becker, Columbia University School of Arts; Madeleine Grynsztejn, MCA Chicago; Sandra Jackson-Dumont, Metropolitan Museum of Art; and Amalia Mesa-Bains, psychologist, curator, author, artist.

In June 1990 and February 1991, AAMD presented a two-part program, “Different Voices,” focused on the current ideas and processes in art historical scholarship as well as options for institutional engagement in a clearly more ethnically and racially diverse and culturally challenging age. More than 25 years later, some of those same issues still remain relevant and questions remain unanswered. This session invites back some of the original authors of “Different Voices”, and current thinkers to debate and discuss how museums have evolved and the issues that they currently face today.

1:00PM - 2:15PM

**Committee Meetings**
Lunch boxes will be provided to bring into the committee meetings.

- **Education & Community Issues Committee Meeting**
  Room: Congress, Assembly Row

- **Professional Issues Committee Meeting**
  Room: Parliament, Assembly Row

- **Membership Committee Meeting (closed)**
  Room: Senate, Assembly Row

2:30PM - 4:00PM

**Philanthropy in a Changing America**
Location: Gates Foundation
Bus will depart from the Fairmont Hotel lobby at 2:30pm

Moderated by Janet Brown, Grantmakers in the Arts
Presented by Huong Vu, The Boeing Company; and David Wertheimer, Gates Foundation

Arts and culture philanthropy have evolved significantly in recent years. This conversation will address the changing nature of giving from capital to endowment to programming.
4:00PM - 4:30PM
Tour of the Gates Foundation Visitor Center

4:30PM - 5:45PM
Visit to the Olympic Sculpture Park
Bus will depart from the Gates Foundation

5:45PM - 7:30PM
Cocktail Reception at the Henry Art Gallery
Bus will depart from the Olympic Sculpture Park

7:30PM
Dinner at the Seattle Art Museum
Bus will depart from the Henry Art Gallery

Monday, May 22

7:00AM - 8:00AM
Yoga
Room: Council, Assembly Row

8:00AM - 9:00AM
Continental Breakfast
Room: Spanish Foyer, Upper Level

Board of Trustees Meeting (closed)
Room: Parliament, Assembly Row

9:30AM - 10:45AM
Contemporary Art Museum Directors Meeting
Room: Congress, Assembly Row

Art Issues/Government Affairs Briefing
Room: Spanish Ballroom, Upper Level

11:00AM - 12:15PM
Directors’ Dialogue
Room: Spanish Ballroom, Upper Level

Brian Ferr iso, AAMD President, will moderate a conversation with Glenn Lowry, MoMA; Kimerly Rorschach, Seattle Art Museum; and Susan Taylor, New Orleans Museum of Art, on the most pressing issues facing the field.
12:30PM - 1:45PM

**Business Session Luncheon**
Room: Spanish Ballroom, Upper Level

2:00PM - 3:15PM

**Crisis Management**
Room: Spanish Ballroom, Upper Level

Presented by Ron Hartwig, J. Paul Getty Trust

In every museum, a crisis can come completely unexpectedly like a bolt from the blue. Sometimes you may know beforehand that a problem or a threat is building, and sometimes you will not know anything before the crisis breaks out. In some cases, you may even have the chance to break the bad news yourself, at least on some platforms. But more often than not, you will not have a clue what will happen - or when.

3:30PM - 4:45PM

**Budget Size Affinity Group Meetings**

- **$5 Million and Under** | Room: Congress, Assembly Row
- **$5 - $10 Million** | Room: Metropole, Lower Level
- **$10 - $20 Million** | Room: Parliament, Assembly Row
- **$20 Million and Up** | Room: Senate, Assembly Row

5:30PM - 6:45PM

**Women & Leadership: A Spotlight on Current Perspectives**
Location: Benaroya Hall, Illsley Ball Nordstrom Recital Hall
Option to walk (5 minutes) or take the bus from the Fairmont Hotel lobby

Moderated by Laurie Nash, Russell Reynolds Associates
Presented by Phyllis Campbell, JP Morgan Chase & Co; Kathryn Kolbert, Athena Center for Leadership Studies at Barnard College; Sheila Edwards Lange, Seattle Central College; Kimerly Rorschach, Seattle Art Museum; and Sylvia Wolf, Henry Art Gallery.

Women in positions of power continue to operate within a paradox - positioned and looked upon to mentor and empower other women, all the while dealing with inherent workplace biases and unrealistic expectations of performance and work/life balance. This panel hopes to examine the causes of women's underrepresentation in leadership roles in business, politics, and arts, as well as suggest what we can do to change the status quo.

6:45PM

**Cocktails and Light Hors D’oeuvres at the Frye Art Museum**
Bus will depart from Benaroya Hall