



ALICE PAUL INSTITUTE

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Community

Partners Update

Honoring her legacy Preserving her home Developing future leaders

Resources and Opportunities: API Programs Serving the Community in Many Ways

API's Women's Heritage Program has received a record number of research requests as students prepare for National History Day. Since September, we have received approximately fifty phone, email and written requests for information about Alice Paul, suffrage, and the Equal Rights Amendment. Alice Paul is listed as a New Jersey topic suggestion;



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a perfect fit for this year's theme, "The Individual in History: Actions and Legacies." The API website, www.alicepaul.org, provides numerous resources for teachers and students including a biography, bibliography, archives, articles

and links. New Jersey's History Day will be held at William Patterson University on May 2.



There are also many ways to get involved with API, and one way is through a panel and workshop titled *Alice Paul Leadership Program's Looking At Careers: Where do I go from here?* This program supports an important component of API's mission, developing future leaders. The *Alice Paul Leadership Program* introduces adolescent girls to women leaders and to the skills they need to develop in order

to become leaders themselves. Aimed at high school-aged students, *Looking at Careers* features a panel of women leaders from various professions and offers opportunities for mentoring and on-the-job exposure. API partners with local high schools to offer the program to their students. *Looking at Careers* provides a rewarding way to share your own knowledge and career struggles with students embarking on their own career paths. If you or a colleague is interested in serving as a panelist, please contact Director of Leadership Programs, Dana Dabek-Milstein at ddmilstein@alicepaul.org. **To learn more about API's programs visit www.alicepaul.org. To sponsor an API program, inquire at info@alicepaul.org.**

Save the Date!

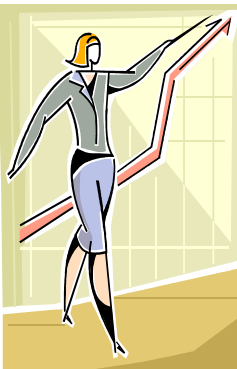
API Hosts Professional Development Opportunity for Business and Professional Women

PRESENTATION SKILLS FOR BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN

Tuesday, April 21, 2009, 8:30 –10:00 a.m.

Paulsdale, 128 Hooton Rd., Mt. Laurel, NJ 08054

REGISTRATION FEE: \$10.00



Strong presentational skills are a must for women to compete and succeed in business and the professions. This workshop is designed to provide guidance and practice in the physical and intellectual activities necessary for strong, authoritative presentations. The goal for participants is to achieve a higher level of confidence and effectiveness as speakers. Everyone participates, so you may bring a prepared one-minute speech or use a reading provided by the instructor. Our instructor, Dr. Gordon A. Jacoby, is a specialist in speech, voice and movement who teaches presentation skills to executives, lawyers, scientists and other professionals. Space is limited; register by April 14, 2009. **To register for this workshop, please contact API.**

Women Wine Makers of the Napa Valley Friday, May 29, 2009

On Friday, May 29, 2009, we will celebrate women winemakers and raise funds for API's programs for girls and women at a gala Wine Tasting from 6-8 p.m. at *Paulsdale*. Our evening will include an educational presentation and tasting of wonderful wines produced from women wine makers from the Napa Valley region. We will offer a variety of gourmet appetizers and desserts to complement our wine selection, while we enjoy the opportunity to join friends and support the mission of the Alice Paul Institute.

Our wine educator, Mary Cammarata has been studying wines for over 20 years, and has a passion for learning about various wines and wine makers. She is a recurring



student of the Wine School of Philadelphia, offers weekly wine education sessions for her clientele, and regularly travels to the Napa Valley to enhance her wine tasting knowledge. She is the owner/manager of the liquor store Hops and Grapes, in Glassboro, NJ, as well as two family restaurants (Terra Nova and The Landmark).

The cost of this event is \$50.00/person. Please register by May 20, 2009 on API's secure registration page at www.alicepaul.org, by email at info@alicepaul.org, or by phone at 856-231-1885. Sponsorships for this event are available at the following levels: Wine Tasting Host - \$2,000, Benefactor - \$1,000, Patron - \$500, Connoisseur - \$250. **For more information about sponsoring this event please email Rhonda DiMascio, API President, at rdimascio@alicepaul.org.**



Spotlight on API Corporate Sponsor— Cozen O'Connor

The law firm of Cozen O'Connor is proud to be a long time supporter of API. Cozen O'Connor is a full service national law firm headquartered in Philadelphia. Located in Cherry Hill, the firm's South Jersey office provides New Jersey clients with a broad range of legal services, as well as representation in a broad spectrum of litigation matters in state, federal and appellate courts.

The Cozen O'Connor Women's Initiative is dedicated to the development and enhancement of professional relationships among the firm's female attorneys, focusing on creating a positive environment for the

hiring, retention and promotion of female attorneys within the firm.

Cozen O'Connor's commitment to advancing women to leadership roles in the firm and the legal community is perfectly matched by API's leadership program for girls. Working together with API, the firm believes that it can provide important financial support to allow API to encourage today's girls to become tomorrow's leaders of the legal community.

For more information on Cozen O'Connor and the Cozen O'Connor Women's Initiative, please contact the Cherry Hill Managing Partner, Thomas McKay, III at (856) 910-5000 or visit www.cozen.com.

Alice Paul Institute Welcomes New Board Member

The Alice Paul Institute welcomes its newest Board member, Janet Ziegler. A Chartered Retirement Planning Counselor at Merrill Lynch, Ziegler focuses on analyzing client needs, business retirement plans and education planning. Ziegler joined Merrill Lynch after a 20 year career in the specialty chemicals industry and has served more than 15 years in Fortune 500 management. She resides in Mt. Laurel, New Jersey, and serves as a Board member for the Big Brothers Big Sisters of Burlington County. **The Alice Paul Institute is seeking candidates with a variety of skills and backgrounds. If you, or someone you know is interested in serving on the board, please send a letter of interest and a resume to the president, Rhonda DiMascio at rdimascio@alicepaul.org**

Celebrate your next event at historic *Paulsdale*!

Looking for new ideas, historical surroundings and unique possibilities for your next meeting or special event? *Paulsdale* is available seven days a week for corporate events, wedding receptions, dinners, holiday parties, and afternoon teas. One local company recently held their employee party at *Paulsdale* and said that it was "a great success. The house is beautiful, as well as historically significant so it felt special celebrating there. The staff was helpful, enthusiastic and worked well with our caterer." For more information on site rentals, call API at 856-231-1885 or email rdimascio@alicepaul.org

For information about program or event sponsorship please contact :

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