

Debra Nelson Speaks at Governor's Conference on Tourism

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MGM MIRAGE Vice President of Corporate Diversity, Communications and Community Affairs Debra Nelson will speak today at the Nevada Governor's Conference on Tourism in Reno, Nevada. The conference is an annual event that brings together prominent business leaders to address trends in the tourism industry and discuss ideas for improvement. Nelson's presentation is entitled "Beyond Affirmative Action -- The Scope of Diversity in the 21st Century."

Nelson is a founding board member of the newly formed Chief Diversity Officers Roundtable at Cornell University. The roundtable is comprised of senior diversity officers representing America's Fortune 500 companies. The group is charged with helping advance diversity within corporate America and with using practical experiences to help drive academic research relative to diversity.

In Nevada, she is the founder of the Diversity Professionals Network. Comprised of diversity officers, the group meets quarterly to network, share best practices, and to explore ways to enhance the reputation of the diversity profession.

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