

NLBWA-LA 2019
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Dennise Mejia

Bio:

Dennise Mejia, is a self-made serial entrepreneur and owner of various companies. In 2003, Dennise became the Founding CEO of California Physician Network LLC. A Medical Billing and a worker's compensation litigation service to Medical providers and in 2010, she also became Co-Owner of Donaly Express Inc. A local trucking freight service company that caters to Southern California. dedicated civic leader in her local community and was appointed as a State Delegate for the Democratic State Committee where she serves as part of the Electoral College. She is a past founder of the Chicano Latino Immigrant Democratic Club of Los Angeles County. She is a current member of Kiwanis International Board Member with the multiple Chambers of commerce Such the California Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Panorama City and Granada Hills chambers of Commerce. She prides herself on developing meaningful working relationships to help build her communities. She has passion to Mentor and Empower Leadership in her communities and any opportunity with Millennial's. She is a life learner and believes in always seeking personal growth at every stage of life.

Nury Gomez

Bio:

Nury Gomez, MBA is the founder of Accounting Breeze and a part-time Accounting Professor at Pepperdine University Business School of Management. Through a combination of her dedication for entrepreneurs and successful businesses, her own eagerness to succeed, and educational background, she has a proven track record in providing businesses with strategic operational and financial management so they can provide top-notch quality service to their customers. With 20 years of career business experience, Nury helps shed clarity on the business objectives from both a business and financial perspective. She creates strategic alliances with organization leaders to effectively align with and support key business initiatives.

Eve Carmona

Bio:

Eve Carmona is sought out as a trusted advisor for her expertise in small business management, entrepreneurial advisory, career development, and nonprofit strategic management. She has an extensive background in planning and managing cross-functional business operations and human resources development. She is an analytical and conceptual thinker who effectively partners with small business owners, entrepreneurs, career professionals, and philanthropist to asses opportunities, strategic decisions, and successful action planning. She also enjoys consulting early-stage ventures and non-profit organizations. Eve founded Eve Co. Consulting in 2015. Prior to starting her own small business, she managed her parents' small business and worked as a human resources analyst for the public and private sector. She holds a BS degree from the California State University Dominguez Hills, serves as the VP of Communications for Parent Teacher Association, and is a member of Society for Human Resources Management, Professional Association of Resume Writers, National Notary Association, and National Bookkeeper Association.

Sylvia Paz

Bio:

Sylvia Paz is a High Level performance Coach who empowers women to scale, grow and accelerate their fitness and results in life. Initially the creator of Fit and Fierce Academy and a US Army Veteran who served a tour in Iraq, Sylvia has created a community of women who are devoted to long term personal growth and Fitness success. As a high High Level performance coach, in the last year Sylvia has taken her business from 0-6 figures while also being a stay at home mom to her now 2 1/2 year old son, Bastian. After creating a successful career helping women reach their fitness goals, Sylvia now coaches clients on how to maximize results and outcomes according to their goals. Utilizing the tools Sylvia acquired during her years in the military you can count on high levels of accountability, leadership and empathy. These days you can find Sylvia at a local playground with her son Bastian or at a local coffee shop listening to her favorite podcast or scheming up her next business idea with one of her entrepreneur friends.

Irma Vazquez

Bio:

Irma Vazquez is a native Spanish-bilingual teacher raised by Puerto Rican parents with over 29 years of classroom teaching experience. A graduate of Loyola Marymount University (LMU '91,'95) Irma has a B.A. in Liberal Studies, a California bilingual teaching credential (BCLAD-Grades K-8) and a Master's in Bilingual / Multicultural Education. Irma taught in the Lennox School District for over 15 years and Co-Founded My Escuelita: Spanish for Kids in 2006. Irma has taught and mentored Bilingual and General Education student teachers at LMU since 2006 and is currently the director of My Escuelita, Spanish for Kids LLC in Redondo Beach, California. In 2012 Irma helped launch the first Southern California (South Bay) Dual Language Program at Washington School in the Redondo Beach Unified School District as a Kindergarten teacher. She is an advisor and early childhood consultant for Little Ripples Preschool. Irma is the creator of My Mochila: Spanish on the Go!. The first and only Multicultural Spanish language subscription box for kids! Irma is a mother to three children ages 13, 15, 17.