Every April the University of Maryland community celebrates Asian Pacific American Heritage Month by reflecting on the experiences and acknowledging the contributions of Americans of Asian or Pacific Islander descent. Though May is the officially recognized APA Heritage Month, our campus celebrates it in April so that the entire community can fully participate in the month's events.

This year, the APA Heritage Month Committee has selected Pride. Power. Politics: New Contributions for a New Century as the theme. In an attempt to acknowledge the strides Asian Pacific Americans have made in "non-traditional" fields, the committee, campus departments, and student organizations have worked hard to organize an array of lectures, performances, films, and discussions. We invite you to participate in the dynamic programs organized for both your entertainment and education. The APA Heritage Month and College Democrats are excited to welcome California Congressman Mike Honda as the keynote speaker on April 24th. Please click here to view the full calendar of events.