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JCCCNC and Ameriprise Financial presents College Costs are Rising! Are you Prepared?

SAN FRANCISCO (September 2, 2009) - The Japanese Cultural and Community Center of Northern California (JCCCNC) and Ameriprise Financial is pleased to announce a workshop on preparations for rising college costs with Kyle Kurahara and Brent Woolsey which will be held on Saturday, October 3, 2009 from 10:30 a.m., at the JCCCNC, 1840 Sutter Street, San Francisco.

Are you worried about how you are going to pay for your child's/children's college education or which college you can afford to send your child/children? Do you want to learn how to save for his/her future? With college tuition continuing to rise and the economy the way it is today, this workshop will give you tips on making informed investing decisions that can help you send your child to the college that they choose, plan for ever-increasing college tuition rates and understand college funding opportunities available to you.

This workshop is free and open to the public. For more information or reserve your space, please contact (415) 567-5505. Space is limited so call today.



Kyle Kurahara is a Financial Advisor for Ameriprise Financial Services, Inc., San Francisco and focuses on personal financial planning for retirement, investments and tax management strategies. He holds a B.S. degree in Managerial Economics from the University of California, Davis.

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About the JCCCNC

Envisioned by the Japanese American community, JCCCNC will be an everlasting foundation of our Japanese American ancestry, cultural heritage, histories and traditions. The JCCCNC strives to meet the evolving needs of the Japanese American community through programs, affordable services and administrative support and facilities for other local service organizations. The JCCCNC is a 501(c)(3) non-profit community center based in San Francisco.