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Public invited to Suicide Prevention Forum

In support of Suicide Prevention Month, the University of Guam's *I Pinangon* Campus Suicide Prevention Program will be hosting its annual Suicide Prevention Forum to educate the community on the topics of suicide and suicide prevention. The forum will be held from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 30, via Zoom. The forum is free for the public to tune into.

Under the theme “Diversity, Social Justice, and Suicide Prevention,” the forum will provide a unique perspective on how diversity and social justice are connected to suicide and suicide prevention in Guam and the Micronesian region.

The agenda includes:

- **Keynote Speaker:** The Honorable Sen. Amanda Shelton
- **Guest Speakers:**
 - **Thomas W. Krise**, President of UOG
 - **Lawrence Camacho**, Dean of Enrollment Management and Student Success, UOG
 - **KristiAnna Whitman**, Project Director of Guam Focus on Life, Guam Behavioral Health & Wellness Center
 - **Dr. Annette David**, Chair of the State Epidemiological Outcomes Workgroup
 - **Lola Q. Bautista**, Associate Professor at University of Hawai'i at Mānoa
 - **Tim de La Cruz**, Executive Director of Guam's Alternative Lifestyle Association
 - **Josealyn “Jojo” Eria**, UOG Alumna

- **Edward Leon Guerrero**, UOG Alumnus
- **Samuel Ilesugam**, Executive Director of Guma' Mami
- **Nedine Songeni**, Program Coordinator for Humanities Guåhan
- **Special Performance:** "You Will Be Found" acapella cover by the UOG Latte Tones choir

Those interested in tuning into the forum via Zoom can register at <https://url.uog.edu/suicide-prevention>. For more information, call (671) 735-2883 or email ipinangon@triton.uog.edu.

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