

SCHEDULE of Events

Thursday, June 24th

- 7:00 AM - 8:30 AM **Río Mar Country Club**
Golf Tournament: Breakfast & Registration
- 8:30 AM - 1:00 PM **Río Mar Country Club**
Golf Tournament: "Shot Gun"
- 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM **Río Mar Ballroom I-IV**
Golf Tournament:
Lunch, Awards & Raffle
- 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM **Main Lobby**
Convention Registration
- 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM **Yunque Foyer**
Opening Ceremony
MC: Sr. Ramón A. Pabón
- 3:30 PM - 6:00 PM
Visit to Exhibitors
- 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM **Morro I & II Rooms**
Puerto Rico's Global Competitiveness
MC: Sr. Ramón A. Pabón
Speakers:
 - Dr. Manuel "Coco" Morales
Chairman
Intelligence Forecasting Corp.
 - Mr. Manuel Maldonado
President & CEO
Intelligence Forecasting Corp.
- 7:00 PM **Río Mar Ballroom**
Opening Reception: "Asian/Oriental Night"
MC: Joey Hernández
Music:
 - Viento de Agua
 - Vertigo-The U2 Tribute*Suggested Dress Code: Informal*

Friday, June 25th

- 7:00 AM - 10:00 AM **Marbella Restaurant**
Breakfast
- 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM
Visit to Exhibitors
Exhibitors Showcase: 10am & 3pm
- 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM **Main Lobby**
Convention Registration
- 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM **Caribbean Ballroom I**
WIA's Federal Funds to Develop your Business
Guest Speakers:
 - Hon. José Pérez-Riera, Secretary
Dept. of Economic Development and
Commerce of Puerto Rico
 - Hon. Miguel Romero Lugo, Secretary
Dept. of Labor and Human Resources
 - Mr. Aurelio González Cubero, Executive
Director, Consejo de Desarrollo
Ocupacional y Recursos Humanos
 - Mr. Nicolás Muñoz Muñoz
President, WIA State Board
 - Ms. Eva Cordero, Technical Advisor
Juntas Locales
 - Ing. Vicente Nazario, Operations Director
Honeywell
- 10:00 AM - 12:00 M/D **Parrot & Canary Rooms**
Business Center (by appointment only)
- 12:00 M/d - 2:00 PM **Río Mar Ballroom**
**Luncheon with the Governor of the
Commonwealth of Puerto Rico**
 - Hon. Luis G. Fortuño Buset
Special Awards Ceremony: Teodoro
Moscoco, Sam Walton and
Awards by Business Sector
MC: Normando Valentín

- 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM **Río Mar Ballroom I**
**Third Sector Conference - "Quality is
Measured with Action: Transform your Life"**
Moderator: Mrs. Lucé Vela, Esq., First Lady
of Puerto Rico
MC: Prof. María de Lourdes López
Panelists:
 - Mr. Sam Santiago, Director of
Workforce Giving Volunteering
and Vice President of America Giving
Employee Charitable Fund, Inc.
 - American Airlines Corporation
 - Mr. Héctor Berrios Figueroa
Communications & Public Relations
Manager, Best Buy Stores of Puerto Rico
 - Ms. Elena Lampaya, Marketing Director
Communications and Community
Strategies, United Funds of Puerto Rico
- 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM **Morro II Room**
**Elections: Candidates for President Elect
and Directors of the Governing Board**
Puerto Rico Chamber of Commerce
- 2:30 PM - 4:30 PM **Caribbean Ballroom I**
Economic Forum
MC: Mr. Edgardo Bigas Valladares
Executive Vicepresident, PRCC
Moderator: Mr. Cesar A. Montilla, Jr.
President, Spectrum Financial
Panelists:
 - Dr. Phillip Swan, Chief Economist
IBM Corporation
 - Mr. Jorge Silva Puras, Esq.
Regional Administrator- Region II
U.S. Small Business Administration
 - Mr. Javier Vázquez Morales, Esq.
Executive Director, Puerto Rico
Industrial Development Company
(PRIDCO)
- 3:30 PM - 5:30 PM **Río Mar Ballroom 5 y 6**
Unstoppable Success
Keynote Speaker:
Mrs. Cynthia Kersey, President
Unstoppable Enterprises, Inc.
Panelists:
 - Hon. Jennifer González, President
House of Representatives of PR
 - Mr. Nicolás Muñoz Muñoz, President
WIA State Board
 - Mr. Esteban Pérez Ubieta
Administrator, ADSEF
- 7:30 PM **Río Mar Ballroom**
Friday Night Party: "African Night"
MC: Joey Hernández
Music:
 - Cultura Profética
 - Majestad Negra
 - Banda Toca de To 102.5 FM
 - Limi-T21*Suggested Dress Code: Informal*

Saturday, June 26th

- 7:00 AM - 10:00 AM **Marbella Restaurant**
Breakfast
- 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM **Morro II Room**
**Elections: Candidates for President Elect
and Directors of the Governing Board**
Puerto Rico Chamber of Commerce
- 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM
Visit to Exhibitors
Exhibitors Showcase: 10am, 3pm & 5pm
- 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM **Main Lobby**
Convention Registration
- 9:30 AM - 12:00 M/d **Caribbean Ballroom I**
Annual Assembly

- 10:00 AM - 12:00 M/d **Gazebo Cobitos**
Activity for Companions
Move your Body & Mind with "Bomba Aerobic"
- 12:00 M/d - 2:00 PM **Río Mar Ballroom I & II**
**Energy Forum: "Energy Federal Legislation,
Energy Sector in Puerto Rico, Aids and
Federal Programs Available for Puertorican
Entrepreneurs"**
MC y Moderator: Eng. Luis Torres, President
Water and Energy Affairs Committee, PRCC
Keynote Speaker:
 - Mr. Brandon Hurlbut, Sub-Director
Federal Energy Dept.
Panelists:
 - Eng. Miguel Cordero, Executive Director
Electric Energy Authority
 - Luis Bernal, Esq., Executive Director,
Energy Affairs Administration
 - Jorge San Miguel, Esq.
O'Neill & Borges, Law Offices
 - Professor Rafael Llompart, Economist
- 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM **Caribbean Ballroom I**
**Educational Conference: "Preventing
Antisocial Behavior in Youngsters: Our
Future Human Resource"**
MC: Ms. Magda Vargas
Keynote Speaker:
Dr. Enrique Gelpi Merheb, PhD
Clinical Psychologist
- 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM **Río Mar Ballroom IV**
**Business Strategies for an Uncertain
Economic Era**
MC: Mr. Ramón A. Pabón
 - Eng. Ramón L. Rivera
President & CEO, QBS, Inc.
 - Eng. Ulises Pabón, CCO & Director
Institute of Innovation, QBS, Inc.
 - Mr. Rafael Ríos, Executive
Vice President, QBS, Inc.
- 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM **Parrot Room**
University Alumni Chapter Meeting
Puerto Rico Chamber of Commerce
- 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM **Río Mar Ballroom III**
Financial Stress Test
MC: Ms. Dunia F. Mcgregor
 - Mr. Fernando Bearzi, Socio, F. Bearzi &
Asociados, Consultores en Finanzas, Argentina**San Cristobal Room**
- 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM
**Businesses taking intelligent decisions:
Who? How? and Why?**
MC: Mr. Ramón A. Pabón
 - Mr. José Sigurani, Business Intelligence
Account Manager de Fusionworks
- 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM **Morro I & II Rooms**
**First Meeting: Governing Board of the
Puerto Rico Chamber of Commerce**
- 7:30 PM **Río Mar Ballroom**
Gala Banquet: "European Night"
MC: Normando Valentín
Current and New Chairman Messages
Music: El Gran Combo
Suggested Dress Code:
Ladies: Formal dress
Men: Tuxedo
- 12:00 M/n **Yunque Foyer**
"Bohemia"

Sunday, June 27th

- 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM **Main Foyer**
Convention Registration
- 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM **Morro II**
Ecumenic Activity
- 9:00 AM - 12:00 M/D **Río Mar Ballroom**
Brunch "Fin de Fiesta" & Raffle
MC: Joey Hernández
Suggested Dress Code: Informal