

# Cal-IPGCA CHANGE CHALLENGE FORUMS VIRTUAL TRAINING

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**Thursday, January 21, 2021**

8:00 AM - 11:00 AM (Panel Only) **VIRTUAL TRAINING**

## ACCELERATING GOVERNMENT INNOVATION THROUGH A CULTURE OF CHANGE LEADERSHIP

The only constant of life is change; it is rapid, relentless and unyielding. Change is inevitable and resisting it is futile. Way too often what we fear more than failure is change itself. But change is the only path we're on when we begin our work each day. Our ability to adapt to change defines our ability to flow or not to flow with the ceaseless, ever-present change in the world around us. Paradoxically, Coronavirus, might be the great impetus for government transformation and change. Change that might have taken decades, or would not have happened at all, is now occurring at an exponential rate. Tele-working is but one example of an immediate shift in the workforce of government and society.

Technologically, we live in a real-time world that moves, morphs, and changes 24/7. Social media continuously creates headlines from yesterday's obscurities. Every enterprise-wide challenge faced by business and government is a product of change, and best outcomes must integrate agility as a cornerstone in whatever is built.

As "makers of change" in government and state service, this Moonshot panel is here to help us facilitate HOW WE CHANGE GOVERNMENT! Whether COVID 19 or systemic racism, global pandemics require global responses as cause and effect is immediate. Our call to action is NOW!

### Panel



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