

## **EMERGE Networking Series Hosted by PODER Hispanic Announces Next Stop: Chicago on August 16**

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*What:* Over 200 Chicago Hispanic young professionals, entrepreneurs, business and civic leaders are expected to attend the August 16 EMERGE Chicago event. The EMERGE Series in Chicago, hosted by PODER magazine, will feature a panel discussion with:

- *Salvador Mendoza*, Vice President Global Diversity & Inclusion, Hyatt Hotels Corporation.
- *Annette Martinez*, Vice President Operations-Human Resources, State Farm.
- *Lynda Gonzales-Chavez*, Vice President Diversity & Inclusion, YMCA of the USA.

*Registration is complimentary and open to the public:* <http://tiny.cc/EmergeCHI>

Event Sponsors include State Farm, Prudential, Yum! Brands and Hennessy V.S. and is supported by LATISM, Las Comadres, NCLR and Marketwire as the official newswire sponsor.

*When:* Thursday, August 16, 2012 from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. Registration will start at 6:00 p.m. followed by a panel discussion from 7:00-8:00 p.m. and a cocktail networking reception from 8:00-10:00 p.m. Hennessy V.S. will also host an exclusive tasting for all attendees during the cocktail reception.

*Where:* W Chicago Lakeshore located at 644 N. Lake Shore Drive in Chicago, Illinois

*Who:* Top executives of PODER Hispanic magazine and Televisa Publishing + Digital and over 200 emerging Hispanic professionals, corporate CEOs, civic leaders, Hispanic media and entertainers.

### *About the EMERGE Networking Series:*

EMERGE is a national Hispanic networking series for emerging young professionals that breaks down the traditional barriers of similar events and provides an aggressive and interactive approach to networking by featuring an empowering selection of Latino leaders from across the country to share their experience and roadmap to success. EMERGE is hosted by *PODER Hispanic* magazine and published by *Televisa Publishing + Digital*, a division of *Grupo Televisa*, the largest Spanish-language media company in the world. For more information visit: <http://emerge.poder360.com/> or connect via social media:

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### *About PODER Hispanic:*

*PODER Hispanic* magazine is a bi-monthly publication for Latinos in power -- and for those who aspire to be. The magazine was conceived as a vehicle to provide the Hispanic corporate and entrepreneurial communities with valuable and reliable information. As a leading business and lifestyle magazine, *PODER Hispanic* is written for a global audience of influential senior business executives, political decision-makers and entrepreneurs interested in current events. For more information visit: <http://www.poder360.com> or connect via social media:

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