

SUNNYLANDS



Bringing together world leaders in order to promote world peace and facilitate international agreement.

About Sunnylands

Sunnylands is the historic, 200-acre former home of Walter and Leonore Annenberg. Today, under the direction of the Annenberg Trust, it is a nonpartisan, nonprofit institution dedicated to convening leaders and experts to promote world peace and support international agreement.



What We Do

Sunnylands convenes a full range of high-level meetings – including presidential summits, track two diplomacy retreats, and intimate policy roundtables – that support efforts to promote global cooperation and progress. The common thread through it all is that our retreats prize outcomes, innovation, and impact.





Sunnylands in Action

Sunnylands has hosted Presidential summits with heads of state from China, Jordan, and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN). In addition, we have convened the world's top leaders and experts across a range of topics, including:



- U.S.-India strategic cooperation;
- Current and future food security challenges;
- The future of U.S.-China relations;
- Public-private partnerships and a cure for HIV/AIDS;
- Media in the Arab world.



Strong Partnerships Lead to Strong Results

We are not a resort, talk shop, or venue for hire. Rather, Sunnylands is a full partner in every retreat – not by leveraging grants or funding, but by providing the expertise needed to drive the agenda and a setting that inspires.



Collaborating for Impact

Working side-by-side with a diverse range of convening partners, and drawing upon a wide network of outside experts, Sunnylands applies its own rigorous review process and knowhow to develop a robust agenda, carefully curated participant list, and set of expected outcomes.

Sunnylands Areas of Focus

Our retreats generally focus on three important areas of global policy:

- Global cooperation, with emphasis on the Asia Pacific & Latin America;
- Strengthening democratic institutions, both domestically and abroad;
- Global health and food security, with an emphasis on fragile states.



An Innovative Pathway to Solutions

Every Sunnylands retreat is uniquely crafted to the issue at hand. However, all of our retreats share key characteristics – unstructured dialogue, unmatched hospitality and discretion, a shared cultural experience, and time for recreation and reflection. Together, these elements foster an exchange of ideas that produces real outcomes with lasting impact.





A Unique, Beautiful Location

Located in Southern California's Coachella Valley, Sunnylands is just minutes from Palm Springs International Airport and a two-hour drive from Los Angeles and San Diego. Though easily accessible, Sunnylands remains a perfect sanctuary for leaders to pursue innovative, practical solutions to global challenges.





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