



Faculty Biography Form
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BO THAO-URABE

Bo Thao-Urabe is a leader who focuses on creating community-centered, asset-based solutions and transforming practices so that there are meaningful changes for those most impacted by systemic inequities. Currently, she serves as executive and network director of the Coalition of Asian American Leaders (CAAL) and a Senior Strategist for the AAPI Civic Engagement Fund. Bo's lived experiences at the intersections of war, poverty, immigration, gender, culture and race continuously shape how she builds and contributes to ensuring communities can fully participate in creating systemic and cultural solutions to build a more just, equitable and joyful world. Her extensive leadership experiences include building and leading local, national, and global efforts. She's has been recognized for her impact and leadership locally and nationally and is one of the few people with a day named after her in the City of Saint Paul and the state of Minnesota.