

## Who We Are:

**The Public Affairs Alliance of Iranian Americans**, PAAIA, is a nonprofit, nonpartisan, nonsectarian organization serving the interests of Iranian Americans and representing the community before U.S. policymakers and the American public at large.

**IA-100** is the active national leadership network of PAAIA and conducts a variety of initiatives that benefit the Iranian American community and U.S. society at large.

**The Iranian American Political Action Committee**, IAPAC, is the registered bipartisan connected PAC of PAAIA.

PAAIA and its affiliated entities work together to protect and advance the interests of the Iranian American community.

#### Mission:

- Foster a greater understanding of Iranian Americans and their culture.
- Build an influential voice for the Iranian American community through networking, electioneering, and public advocacy.
- Position the next generation of Iranian Americans for success by supporting them with opportunities for advancement, mentorship, and continued learning.
- Give back to America as it has given to us.

## **Educate**

The leading source of credible information about the Iranian American community, PAAIA serves to educate U.S. policymakers and the American public by portraying an accurate image of the Iranian American community through articles, surveys, congressional briefings, & informational campaigns.

# **Advocate**

PAAIA fosters the active participation of Iranian Americans in the American civic process. The organization works to develop, maintain, and strengthen relations with policymakers in both the executive and legislative branches of government.

#### Lead

PAAIA aims to empower the next generation of Iranian Americans by encouraging participation in public service. Our various programs seek to create a more civically engaged community by providing a rewarding experience that helps participants learn about the importance of giving back to America.

