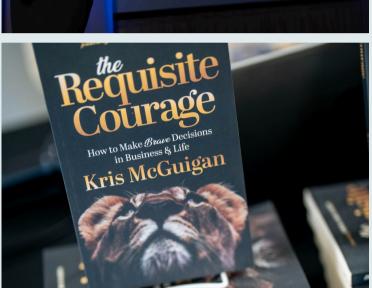
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# **OPENING SESSION**



# **KEYNOTE SPEAKER KRIS MCGIUGAN**

The conference started off strong with keynote speaker and author, Kris McGuigan. The session was titled, "Break Free From Fear—Making Brave Decisions in the Face of Disruption," and McGuigan spoke on lessons from her book, The Requisite Courage.

To watch a recorded Q&A session with Kris McGuigan and FLA President, Douglas Crane, click here.

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# **SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER JAENA RAE CABRERA**

Conference attendees also heard from Jaena Rae Cabrera, President of the Asian/Pacific American Librarians Association, (APALA), journalist, and Branch Manager at San Francisco Public Library.

Jaena discussed APALA's mission, core values, and recent accomplishments, along with the organization's programming and a call for members

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