



**Linnet Carty**

Linnet Carty has been at the PGA of America for over four years and has twelve years of experience in diversity, equity and inclusion. She heads up programming for the four PGA LEAD Cohorts, as well as creating and implementing inclusion strategies. Linnet is responsible for educating and training the 29,000 PGA Professionals across the nation and the staff of 300. She also works on Workforce Diversification, Supplier Inclusion and Community Engagement. She is also the author of the 'Inclusion Guidelines for Golf Facilities'.

Linnet has been an NBC – WVIT Television Talk Show Host & Producer, the Vice President of Marketing and Development for xmlElite, an Equity Educator for the Connecticut State Department of Education – SERC, an Elementary School Teacher, an Arts & Entertainment Newspaper Columnist for the Hartford Courant, a Senior Director for the Village for Families and Children and a Flight Attendant for Delta Airlines. She is a first generation CuMaican who hails from a Cuban mother and Jamaican father and is a member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. Linnet earned her B.A. from the University of Connecticut and MBA from Western New England University. In her spare-time she enjoys Emceeing events, television production, the beach, and multicultural cuisine. Her absolute zest in life is in making others laugh.