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# **The Bold & Passionate Gala**

*Keynote Speaker and Global Achievement Award Recipient*

**Farouk Shami**  
of Farouk Systems, Inc.

*Also honoring 6 of the most Bold & Passionate individuals for achieving success in their Business, Professional & Community Involvement*

*Thursday, May 19, 2011*

*6:30 PM Social hour • 7:30 PM Program  
The Westin Houston Memorial City Hotel  
945 Gessner Road, Houston, Texas 77024*

*Bold & Elegant Fashion Entertainment By  
Nha Khanh and Farouk Systems, Inc.*

*Master of Ceremony  
Andy Cerota, Channel 13/KTRK*

*2011 Gala Honorees  
The Honorable Congressman Al Green, District 9  
The Honorable Annise Parker, Mayor of the City of Houston  
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*The 2011 Annual Asian Chamber of Commerce Award Recipients*

*Outstanding Entrepreneur  
Thuy Mai  
DiCentral*

*Outstanding Academia  
Dr. Mary Spangler, Ed.D.  
The Chancellor of HCC*

*Outstanding Young Entrepreneur  
Stephen Le, Jr.  
SCL Realty Investment, Inc.*

*Outstanding Business  
Banyan Foods  
Carol Chiu and Gary Chiu*

*Outstanding Professional  
Dr. Shelena "Shel" Lalji  
Dr. Shel Wellness and Medical Spa*

*Outstanding Humanitarian  
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