AAFSA

Spring Meeting April 18, 2025@1:00PM 102M Edmon Low Library and Zoom Option

Present:

Babu Fathepure, Atanu Hadler, Joyce Crawford, Neo Zhang, Dale Li, Soojin Yoon & Hui-Fen Chang (President)

Agenda

- 1. Welcome and introductions
 - a. President welcomed new Web Chair Neo Zhang
 - b. Introductions of current officers and board members.
 - c. President acknowledged the past Web Chair Ferry Suryadi for his long service and contributions to AAFSA.
- 2. Treasurer Report
 - a. AAFSA account balance (as of April 2025): \$540.39
 - b. Expenditure: \$502.83 (mostly for the 2024 fall picnic)
 - i. Treasurer working on getting reimbursements for these expenses for members
 - c. Membership fee revenue: \$120.00
 - d. Foundation fund: \$4882.83
- 3. Membership Activities
 - a. Briefly discussed the 2025 AAFSA fall annual picnic to be held in September/October
 - b. Discussed the possibility of conducting a membership survey to better understand how AAFSA can better serve its members
 - c. Discussed ways to encourage Asian faculty and staff to know about / join AAFSA
 - i. Obtaining new OSU faculty list and invite them to participate AAFSA events such as the fall picnic
 - ii. Reaching out to colleges and departments to share information about AAFSA to their faculty and staff
 - d. Discussed membership fees
 - i. Membership fee retains to be \$10.00. Discussed the possibility of a \$20.00 membership with an AAFSA t-shirt
- 4. New business
 - a. Election Will call for nominations or self-nomination for the VP position
- 5. Adjournment at 1:45PM