2020 SFS Council Meeting Minutes

May 12, June 3, and June 10, 2020
Meeting Location: Virtual

Part 1: Council Members, Executive Editors, Oxford University Press
In attendance: Officers/Council: Laura Starks, Josef Zechner, Craig Holden, Renee Adams, Alon Brav, Allaudeen Hameed, Kai Li, Tarun Ramadorai (from 11:30-11:45), Karin Thorburn, Raman Uppal; Executive Editors: Andrew Ellul, Itay Goldstein, Jeffrey Pontiff; OUP: Rebecca Lane, Kelly Cook; SFS: Jaclyn Einstein

- Presentation of OUP Publisher’s Report by Rebecca Lane (Publisher) and Kelly Cook (Marketing)

Part 2: Council and Executive Editors
In attendance: Officers/Council: Laura Starks, Josef Zechner, Craig Holden, Renee Adams, Alon Brav, Allaudeen Hameed, Kai Li, Tarun Ramadorai (from 11:30-11:45), Karin Thorburn, Raman Uppal; Executive Editors: Andrew Ellul, Itay Goldstein, Jeffrey Pontiff; SFS: Jaclyn Einstein

-Presentation by Itay Goldstein, RFS
  a. Retiring Editors: Phil Strahan, Stijn Van Nieuwerburgh; Wei Jiang retired in December
  Renewing Editor: Lauren Cohen
  Retiring AEs: Henrik Cronqvist, Ran Duchin, Isil Erel, Dirk Hackbart, Lalitha Naveen, Paolo Pasquariello
  Incoming AEs: Tobias Berg (Frankfurt), Anna Cieslak (Duke), Andra Ghent (UNC), Arthur Korteweg (USC), Juhani Linnainmaa (Dartmouth), Justin Murfin (Cornell), Giorgia Piacentino (Columbia), David Solomon (Boston College)
  b. RFS is moving forward with the Code Sharing Policy.

-Presentation by Andrew Ellul, RCFS
  a. RCFS has moved to 3 issues per year.
  b. Incoming AEs: Jonathan Cohn (University of Texas at Austin), Elena Loutskina (University of Virginia Darden), Andrey Malenko (Boston College), Paige Oiumet (University of North Carolina), Giorgia Piacentino (Columbia), Adriano Rampini (Duke), Martin Schmalz (University of Oxford).
  c. RCFS will be offering a prior review process later in May and a registered report process later this year.
  d. Andrew started a blog for RCFS.

-Presentation by Jeffrey Pontiff, RAPS
  a. 183 submissions and 6% acceptance rate year-to-date
  b. RAPS will publish more than 12 papers this year
  c. Renewing AEs: Dimitri Vayanos, Clemens Sialm
     Retiring AEs: Pietro Veronesi
d. RAPS moved to 3 issues a year and is considering moving to 4 issues a year as soon as 2021.
e. RAPS is working on a COVID-19 special issue.

Part 3: Meeting with Incoming President and Vice President
In attendance: Officers/Council: Laura Starks, Craig Holden, Raman Uppal, Antoinette Schoar, Wei Jiang; Executive Editors Andrew Ellul, Jeffrey Pontiff, Itay Goldstein; SFS: Jaclyn Einstein

-Executive Editors filled in the incoming president and vice president on the statuses of the journals.

Part 4: Council
In attendance: Officers/Council: Laura Starks, Josef Zechner, Craig Holden, Renee Adams, Alon Brav, Allaudeen Hameed, Kai Li, Tarun Ramadorai, Karin Thorburn, Raman Uppal; Incoming Officers/Council: Antoinette Schoar, Wei Jiang, Liyang Yang; SFS: Jaclyn Einstein

-The council discussed code sharing policies.
-Votes:
  b. Add Liyan Yang to Council: Approved.
-Report on SFS finances by Craig Holden
-Journal award amounts
-Statement on racial injustice
-SFS Code of Conduct
-Activities of Executive Committee May 2019-June 2020
  a. Approval of Editorial appointments for RFS for Tarun Ramadorai, Gregor Matvos, and Stefano Giglio
  b. Approval of dual submission conferences:
  c. Appointment of Nominating Committees for 2020-2021

-Council Current Terms (beginning July 1, 2020)

Officers
President: Antoinette Schoar, (2020-2023)
Vice President: Wei Jiang (2020-2023)
Secretary/Treasurer: Craig W. Holden (2012 – 2023)

Chair of Outside Council: Raman Uppal (2019-2021)

Outside Council:
Renee Adams (2017 – 2021)
Alon Brav (2018-2021)
Allaudeen Hameed (2017– 2023)
Kai Li (2018-2021)
Karin Thorburn (2017– 2022)
Liyang Yang (2020-2023)
Executive Editors
Itay Goldstein University of Pennsylvania (2018-2021)
Jeffrey Pontiff (2018-2021)
Andrew Ellul (2018-2021)

Part 5: Council and Cavalcade Chairs
In attendance: Officers/Council: Laura Starks, Josef Zechner, Craig Holden, Alon Brav, Kai Li, Tarun Ramadorai, Karin Thorburn, Raman Uppal; Cavalcade: Monika Piazzesi, Ulrike Malmendier, Andrea Eisfeldt; SFS: Jaclyn Einstein

-Presentation by Monika Piazzesi