# AGENDA ASIAN ART COMMISSION

# Thursday, September 26, 2024, 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm Asian Art Museum, 200 Larkin Street, Koret Education Center

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## Fred M. Levin, Chair

Call to Order and Welcoming Remarks

Approval of Minutes from June 18, 2024

# Fred M. Levin, Chair

- 1. Call to Order and welcoming remarks
- 2. Approval of minutes from June 18, 2024
- 3. Introduction of Chair-elect Salle Yoo and call for approval of consideration and possible action items to elect proposed new slates of officers
  - Foundation appreciation of slate of officers whose terms expire in 2024 and election of slate of officers for a term ending in 2026
  - Commission appreciation of slate of officers whose terms expire in 2024 and election of slate of officers for a term ending in 2026

## Salle Yoo, Chair

- 4. Special tribute and resolution of appreciation to Fred M. Levin for his terms as chair of the Commission and Foundation from 2020 to 2024
- 5. Staff Report
  - Director's Report, Jay Xu
  - Upcoming Exhibition Pipeline Emiko Usui, Deputy Director/Chief Experience Officer
  - Development Update Nada Perrone, Chief Impact Officer
- 6. Committee Reports
  - Budget & Finance Committee Report Chair Kenneth P. Wilcox; Sara Lee, CFO
  - Acquisitions Committee Report Chair Marsha Handley; Robert Mintz, Chief Curatorial Director
  - Foundation ad Hoc Search Committee for the Director Chair Nanci Nishimura
- 7. Consideration and Action Items for the Commission
  - a. Condolences to the Families of Cornelia Calhoun, Pam Rorke Levy, Dr. Ta-lin Hsu, Donald

- R. Meyer, Maura B. Morey, Jo Anne Erickson, and Vyolet Chu
- b. Reelection of Commissioners for an additional three-year term ending in 2027: Yogen Dalal, Virginia M. Foo, Michael Hormel, Nanci Nishimura, Merrill Randol, France Viana
- c. Approval of Executive Committee Members
- d. Objects Recommended for Deaccession from City Collection: Four objects in the collection of the City and County of San Francisco, namely, (i) The bodhisattva Avalokiteshvara, approx. 675-725; Thailand, Plai Bat Hill, Buriram province; Bronze with silver inlay, H. 27 1/2 in x W. 11 1/2 in x D. 5 3/4 in, H. 69.9 cm x W. 29.2 cm x D. 14.6 cm; *The Avery Brundage Collection*; B65B57; (ii) Standing Buddha, approx. 750-850; Thailand, Plai Bat Hill, Buriram province; Bronze; H. 8 1/2 in x W. 3 1/8 in x D. 1 3/4 in, H. 21.6 cm x W. 7.9 cm x D. 4.4 cm; *The Avery Brundage Collection*; B65B70; (iii) The bodhisattva Avalokiteshvara, approx. 750-850; Thailand, Plai Bat Hill, Buriram province; Bronze, H. 37 in × W. 13 in × D. 10 in, H. 94 cm × W. 33 cm × D. 25.4 cm; *The Avery Brundage Collection*; B66B14; (iv) Bodhisattva, approx. 600700; Thailand, Plai Bat Hill, Buriram province; Bronze; H. 10 in × W. 2 3/4 in × D. 1 1/2 in, H. 25.4 cm × W. 7 cm × D. 3.8 cm; *Museum purchase*; B68S9
- e. Object to be Purchased for the City Collection
- f. Object Purchased for the City Collection using Discretionary Spending Authority
- g. Gifts Recommended to be Accessioned into the City Collection
- h. Objects Currently in the Foundation Collection Recommended for the City Collection
- i. Approval of Loan No.: OL2024.8.1 to the Museum of Fine Arts Houston
- j. Approval of 2025 Meeting Schedule
- 8. Public Comment. Members of the public may address the Commission on items not on the agenda that are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Asian Art Commission. Members of the public may address the Commission for up to three minutes. The Chair may limit total comment to thirty minutes.
- 9. Adjournment

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# ASIAN ART COMMISSION and/or Special Executive Committee Thursday, September 26, 2024, 4:00 — 5:00pm Asian Art Museum, Koret Education Center, 1st Floor, 200 Larkin Street, San Francisco, CA 94102

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