



Boulder Faculty Assembly

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO **BOULDER**

BFA Diversity Committee Notice of Motion
Resolution to Support Awareness of Anti-Asian Racism
BFA-R-1-031921

We, the Boulder Faculty Assembly Diversity Committee of the University of Colorado Boulder, believe that it is important for CU Boulder to reaffirm our commitment to diversity by ensuring the safety and security of all our students, faculty, staff, and communities.

We deplore the anti-Asian racism and recent horrific events that were also denounced by the Chancellor. We include the Chancellor's statement on anti-Asian racism and discrimination that was published March 17, 2021:

<https://www.colorado.edu/chancellor/newsletter/chancellor/statement-cu-boulder-chancellor-phil-distefano-anti-asian-racism-and>

We express public heartfelt support for the victims and their families and ask the university leadership to take the necessary steps to actively create and maintain an inclusive, welcoming, and safe place on our campus. In accordance with our commitments to Inclusive Excellence and CU Boulder's 2030 Strategic Goals, we must all act in support of the learning and growth of all students in our CU Boulder community.

We would like to call attention to the following resources:

- Professor Jennifer Ho, "To be an Asian woman in America."
 - <https://www.cnn.com/2021/03/17/opinions/to-be-an-asian-woman-in-america-ho/index.html>
 - <https://www.colorado.edu/today/2020/04/17/anti-asian-discrimination-amid-pandemic-spurs-jennifer-ho-action>
- An essay by Sally Greene about her students' experiences with anti-Chinese/Anti-Asian racism:
 - https://www.colorado.edu/cha/sites/default/files/attached-files/studying_abroad_in_the_u.s._in_the_time_of_covid.pdf
- A website where people can report anti-Asian racism:
 - <http://www.asianpacificpolicyandplanningcouncil.org/stop-aapi-hate/>
- CREE video, from Linds Roberts:
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JTYKUI5he1o&feature=youtu.be>
- Celebrate diversity meme:
 - <https://www.colorado.edu/bfa/2019/05/03/bfa-diversity-committee-announces-contest-winner>
- NameCoach is available through OIT in Canvas –
 - <https://oit.colorado.edu/services/teaching-learning-applications/canvas/enhancements-integrations/integrations/namecoach>
- Colorado AAPI Anti-Hate Community Resources –
 - https://docs.google.com/document/d/1LS7OyjilB55z8Er8MD_2n7xm9qNTW4oUz2afjblafDc/edit?fbclid=IwAR0CahR8P7P68bcM1aakCoqLy5F3uZhyVWNj0crZ6iGG0kgxPFM8E3iibP0
- Learning For Justice – Responding to Anti-Asian Violence and Georgia Shootings
 - <https://www.learningforjustice.org/magazine/responding-to-antiasian-violence-and-georgia-shootings>

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Approved by the BFA Executive Committee: March 22, 2021

Submitted to the BFA General Assembly: April 1, 2021

Bylaws were suspended and members voted unanimously to approve: April 1, 2021

CU Boulder Staff Council approved support of this resolution on March 24, 2021