

Consensus on the Activities of Fudan University Alumni Association in Southern California as a Non-profit Organization

By the Board of Directors

In order to strengthen cultural and educational activities of the Fudan University Alumni Association of Southern California, the Board of Directors reached a consensus on the activity guidelines as a nonprofit organization.

1. The Association adheres to and abides by the basic rights conferred by the Constitution such as freedom of speech, and resolutely opposes racism and illegal speech and behavior that discriminates based on gender, sexual orientation, age, and disability.
2. The Association strictly abides by the following commitments stipulated on the Articles of Incorporation of a Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation issued by the Secretary of State of California:
 - a. This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for the purposes set forth in Article 4 [i.e., Public Benefit] hereof within the meaning of Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(3).
 - b. No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and this corporation shall not participate or intervene in any political campaign (including the publishing or distribution of statements) on behalf of any candidate for public office.
 - c. The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to the purposes in Article 4 [i.e., Public Benefit] hereof and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or to the benefit of any private person.
 - d. Upon the dissolution or winding up of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational and/or religious purposes and which has established its tax-exempt status under Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(3).
3. As an independent non-profit organization which is not affiliated to any institutions, universities, organizations or governments, the Association shall not accept political donations, nor foreign government funding, and, according to the law, shall not involve in domestic and international political activities. The Association admires members' political participation and enthusiasm as individual legal voters, but discourages political debates on the official social media of the Association, and oppose personal attack.
4. The Association shall not carry out commercial activities for profit-making, and its resources shall not benefit profit-making organizations, companies, or individuals.
5. The Association's website, social media and other communication channels shall comply with the above consensus.
6. This consensus is only for the legal and regulatory requirements that a non-profit organization needs to cope, with no intention to regulate the speech and activity of the alumni.

南加州复旦大学校友会理事会关于非营利组织活动的共识

为加强开展南加州复旦大学校友会的文化教育活动和联谊交流，理事会就作为非营利组织的活动准则达成共识。

1. 本校友会坚持和遵循言论自由等宪法赋予的基本权利，坚决反对种族主义及性别、性取向、年龄、残疾歧视的违法言论和行为。

2. 本校友会严格遵守加利福尼亚州务卿发布的《成立非营利性公益组织的条款》中的以下规定：

a. 该法人团体遵照国税局法规第 501(c)(3) 条的规定，完全在以公益的目标范围内组织经营。

b. 该法人团体的实质活动不涉及宣传或以其他方式影响立法，并且不得代表谋求公职的任何候选人参加或干预任何政治竞选活动（包括发表或分发声明）。

c. 该法人团体的财产不可逆转地专用于公共利益的目的，净收入或资产的任何部分均不得用于任何董事、高级管理人员或成员的利益，或谋取任何私人的利益。

d. 该法人团体解散或结后，在偿还所有债务和责任后剩余的资产应提供给专门为慈善、教育组织和运营的非营利性的、遵照国税局法规第 501(c)(3) 条规定建立免税地位的基金、基金会或法人团体。

3. 作为不隶属于任何机构、学校、组织或政府的独立的非营利组织，本校友会不接受政治捐赠，不接受外国政府的资助，并依法不介入国内政治和国际政治。校友会赞赏成员中的合法选民参政议政、提高华人的参政热情和话语权，但不鼓励在校友会正式的社交媒体上进行政治辩论，反对人身攻击。

4. 本校友会不进行营利目的的商业活动，校友会资源不得用于营利机构、公司或个人。

5. 本校友会的网站、社交媒体及其他交流媒介均应遵循以上共识。

6. 本共识仅针对非营利组织所需要做到的法律法规要求而言，无意图规范校友的言行。

The above consensus was approved by a majority of the Board of Directors of Fudan University Alumni Association in Southern California (10 Yea, 1 Nay, 0 Abstention) on June 28, 2020