

**Stanford** | Asian Staff Forum

# STAFF CONNECTIONS- ASF AT STANFORD





## OUR MISSION

Asian Staff Forum (ASF) is a group of Stanford University and SLAC employees who identify as members of the Asian/Pacific/Indian Sub-Continent community or are interested in Asian culture. Formed in 1986, ASF seeks to represent, support, and promote the interests of these employees. These goals are accomplished by sponsoring and funding activities that support the organization's mission, representing members' concerns to appropriate university offices, and promulgating appropriate action. ASF strives to develop a supportive network of Asian Americans and their allies in the Stanford community and contribute to a more inclusive Stanford.

## FOUNDING OF STAFF GROUPS



But that vision has since weakened,  
and the vigorous convictions that spurred  
change have dissipated.

Stanford, among dozens of other  
universities, has determined to  
understand and respond to this troubled  
state of race relations on campus.

- Significant underrepresentation of minorities in senior-level management positions;
- Widespread awkwardness in cross-cultural relationships both among peers and between supervisors and supervisees; and
- Little value placed on the perspectives and contributions of minority staff in general.

## **STAFF GROUPS AT STANFORD**

**American Indian Staff Group (AISF)**  
**Asian Staff Forum (ASF)**  
**Black Staff Alliance (BSA)**  
**Disability Staff Forum (DSF)**  
**Filipino American Community at Stanford (FACS)**  
**La Raza Staff Association**  
**QUEST (Queer University Employees at Stanford)**  
**Stanford Staffers**



Employees who identify as Asian make up 24% of the Stanford staff population (Stanford Ideal Dashboard, Academic Year 22-23)

## WHY JOIN ASF?

900+

mailing list members

1000+

slack members

25+

Board members

30+

years in existence

## WHAT WE DO

### GET TO KNOW EACH OTHER

Happy hours, speed networking, book clubs, mental health discussions, brown bag lunch events, and more!

### GET TO KNOW OUR LEADERS

Hear from university leaders, faculty and staff about the work they do and projects they want to share.

### GET TO KNOW OUR CAMPUS/COMMUNITY

Tour new exhibits at our museums, new buildings on campus, and other facilities available to Stanford Staff.







A conversation with ABC7's Dion Lim and Fremont Mayor Lily Mei

# THE OPPORTUNITY

- 1 Meeting people across campus.
- 2 Potential leadership and growth opportunities.
- 3 Learn and celebrate the many different cultures we have here at Stanford.

3A Eat and drink well!

1ST

2ND

3RD



**ASF Leadership Opportunities =  
Leading from where you are**

**Networking and Mentorship =  
Growing from where you are**



## UPCOMING EVENTS

### AAPI HERITAGE MONTH LUNCH

Late May 2023, on historic and SRWC campuses, with possible opportunity to listen to the speaker via zoom.

### AAPI MENTAL HEALTH COMMUNITY SESSIONS

First session held in March 2023. Additional sessions to be hosted per quarter with discussion topics

### BOOK CLUB

Our book club will return! We are currently selecting our next book.

## CONTACT US

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