

Fellows Virtual Meeting, APRIL 15, 2024

11:00 AM Los Angeles PDT/12:00 PM Salt Lake City MDT/1:00 PM New Orleans
CDT/2:00 PM New York EST/9:00 PM Saudi Arabia AST

FELLOWS VIRTUAL MEETING MINUTES

Attendance: Too many on the call to “capture” a full attendance list.

Action Items

1. Meeting Welcome – LHB
2. New Fellows Recognition – LHB
 - a. André Bernard
 - b. Cynthia Murphy-Ortega
 - c. Nimir Elbashir
3. Leadership Reports and Q&A
 - a. 2024 AIChE President: Alan Nelson – Presidential Update
 - b. AIChE CEO & Executive Director: Darlene Schuster – Highlights of Current Initiatives
 - c. 2024 AIChE President-Elect: Joseph Smith – A look towards 2025
4. AIChE Foundation - Fellow’s Endowment – “Creating a Buzz with the Bee a ChemE STEM Ambassador Program”
 - a. Who:
 1. Fellows
 2. Student Chapter Members
 - b. What:
 1. Fellows Endowment – target is \$50K.
 - c. How:
 1. Endowment earnings of up to 4% are ~\$2K.
 - d. Why:
 1. To excite a diverse audience of young students about science and STEM careers.
 2. Change perceptions about ChEs and showcase the cool and impactful work we do.
5. Fellows Announcements
 - a. Fellows Newsletter - are you getting your newsletter?

- b. Consider nominating a peer for AIChE Fellow – see the Fellows website for more information.
 - c. Fellows Engagement
 - 1. Student Chapters – FellowswithStudents@aiche.org
 - 2. Fellows and Science History Institute sponsoring a session on Energy Transitions at 2024 annual meeting
 - d. Fellows Survey – Q3 2023
 - e. “Save the Books” – Donate to small village in Nigeria.
6. Fellows Council Leadership – Email: fellowscouncil@aiche.org
- a. Lori McDowell, Past Chair
 - b. Linda H. Bergeron, Chair
 - c. Ahmed S. Khogeer, Vice Chair
 - d. Anthony Fregosi, Secretary
7. Open Networking!

Submitted by: Anthony Fregosi, 2024 Fellows Council Secretary