



DEMOCRATS  
ABROAD  
China



Leadership Board Meeting 2020.02.07



**THANK YOU EVERYONE  
FOR THE  
INAUGURATION  
PARTIES!**





# DA CHINA

## Agenda + Best Practices

KIMBERLY WONG, DA CHINA CHAIR

PATRICK CRANLEY, DA CHINA VICE CHAIR



# Tone Setting + Best Practices

- We are all here for the same reason
- Be respectful and concise. No personal attacks.
- Wait until someone else finishes talking.
- We are here to take action and have fun!
- Follow Roberts Rules of Order as best you can
  
- \*\*Handup
- If someone has spoken once, and puts their handup again, usually we let newcomers speak first.




# 20.02.07 Agenda

TIME	SUBJECT
5 minutes	DA China Meeting Minutes Approval
15 minutes	DNC Update & How you can get involved
40 minutes	DACN Chapter Update
15 minutes	Motions + New Business Open Floor



# DEMOCRATS ABROAD CHINA

is the country committee serving  
United States Democrats  
living in China



# We help Americans abroad participate in U.S.A. domestic politics by providing:

- Voter registration support
- Voting resources
- Activism opportunities

- Conversations with leading activists & elected officials
- Opportunities to socialize with like-minded expats

# Connect with other DA members in:

- Beijing
- Shanghai
- Guangzhou
- Shenzhen
- Kunming
- Jiangnan
  - *Suzhou, Hangzhou, Wuxi etc.*



We chill af



# Or by Caucuses/Interests:

- Women's Caucus
- Black Caucus
- LGBT Caucus
- Progressive Caucus
- Book Club
- AAPI Caucus





# DNC UPDATE + HOW YOU CAN BE INVOLVED



APAC REGION'S DA DNC  
REP FOR 2020-2024



# Status Report

TIME	SUBJECT
40 mins	General Update – Kim/ Patrick Funds - Justin Membership Report + VFA Report - Elizabeth Comms - Elaine Motions + New Business



# Reminder of Code of Conduct



Code of Conduct  
(adopted Dec. 28, 2017)

## 5. An Environment Free of Harassment

The DPCA is committed to ensuring that all individuals contracted or employed by the DPCA, volunteers, and those attending DPCA events are treated with dignity and respect, and that they in turn treat others in the same way at meetings, events and in the course of volunteering for the DPCA. This Section 5, in addition to applying to all DPCA Officials, applies to attendees to global events such the Annual Global Meeting, DNC Delegation, Door Knocks, etc.

The DPCA is committed to ensuring that volunteers and attendees are able to meet and work in an environment which is free from any form of harassment and bullying.

The DPCA recognizes the right of all DA members to volunteer in an environment free of harassment and to attend events free of harassment.

The DPCA will consider behavior to be harassment when such conduct has the purpose or effect of unreasonably creating an intimidating, hostile, or offensive environment for DA members or volunteers, or interfering with a volunteer's performance. Harassment can include behavior or communications (verbal or non-verbal) and can include statements or actions that are offensive or objectionable to the recipient, cause the recipient humiliation, or interfere with the recipient's ability to participate in an event or activity. Sexual harassment occurs where the perpetrator engages in unwanted conduct of a sexual nature and that conduct has the purpose or effect referred to above.

Sexual harassment also occurs when a person engages in unwanted conduct of a sexual nature that has the purpose or effect referred to above and the recipient either rejects or submits to it and, because of that rejection or submission, that person treats the recipient less favorably as a result.

Conduct of a sexual nature can become sexual harassment if it continues once it has been made clear that it is regarded by the recipient as offensive or unwanted, although a single incident will amount to harassment if it is sufficiently serious. The clearly unwanted nature of the behavior distinguishes harassment from friendly behavior that is welcome and mutual.

**BLACK  
HISTORY  
MONTH**



**#STAND  
FOR  
ASIANS**



**WHAT'S NEXT FOR 2021?**



# Celebrate our WIN by Building back better for 2022

- FEB 2021:** Black History Month
- MAR 2021:** Women's History Month (Charisse)/  
Elections Committee Appointment
- APR 2021:** Recruit for DACN Positions
- MAY 2021:** AAPI History Month (Billy)  
+ DACN AGM & Elections
- JUNE 2021:** Pride / Juneteenth + DACN Handover  
DA GLOBAL ELECTIONS (TBD)



# DA CHINA FUNDS

DACN TREASURER, JUSTIN FISCHER



# DA China Funds at a Glance

Current Funds: **RMB 25,597.18**

Outstanding

Reimbursements: **RMB 5,122.50**

Remaining Funds: **RMB 20,474.68**





# DA CHINA MEMBERSHIP UPDATE

DACN SECRETARY, ELIZABETH JENKINS

Last updated February 3, 2021



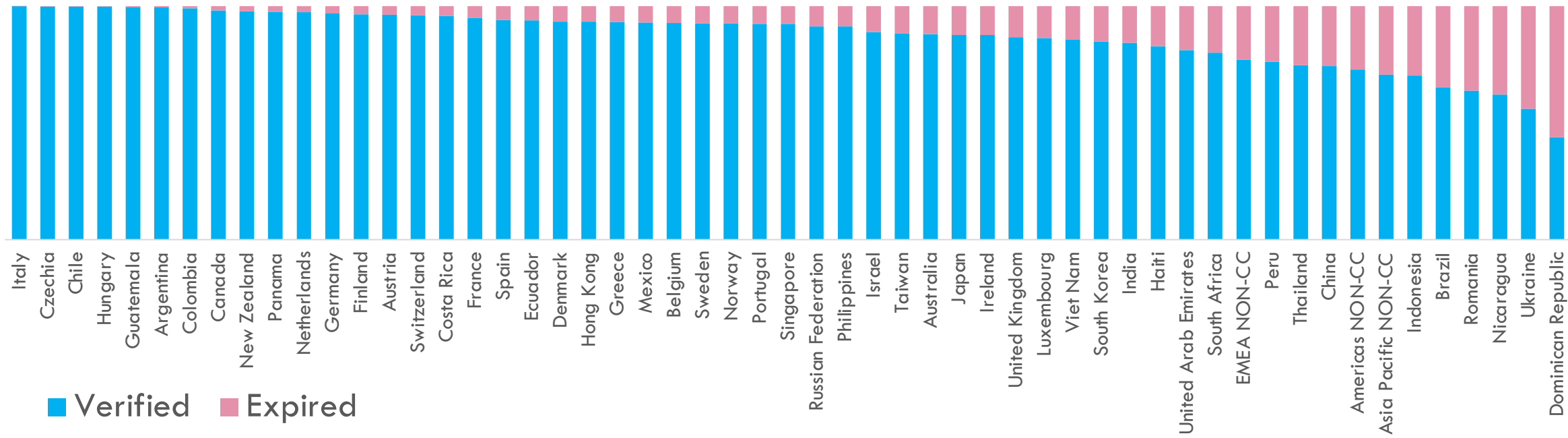
# Global Cleanup Report 2021

89.9% Clean

30 Countries > 90% Clean

2 Countries < 60% Clean

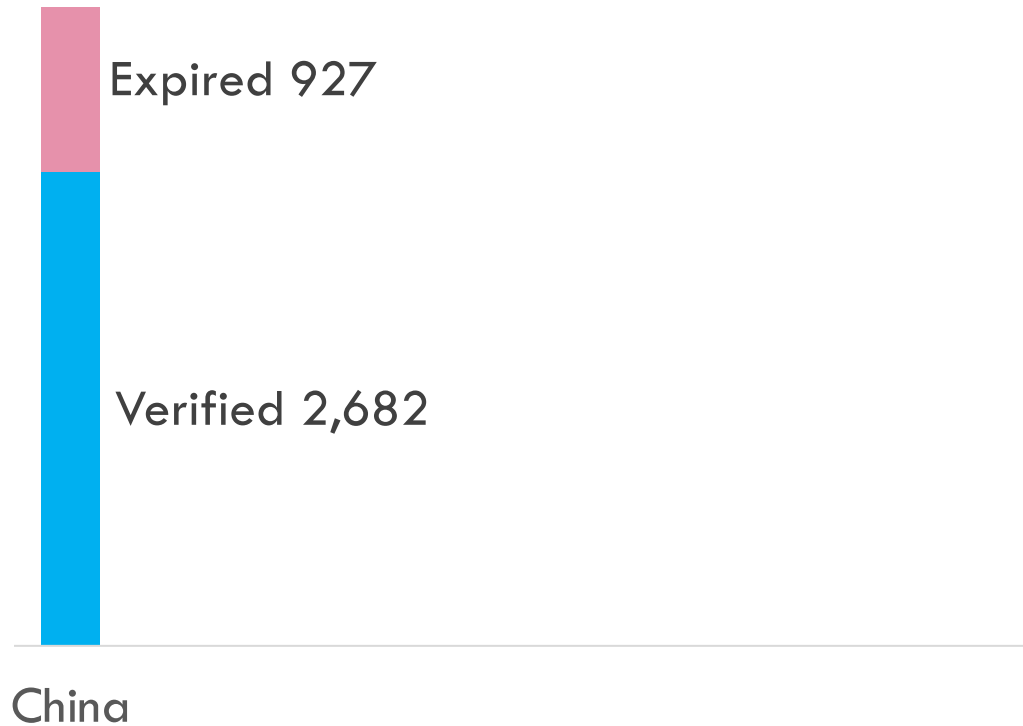
**China**  
**74.3% Clean**





# China Cleanup Report 2021

**74.3% Clean**



## Cleanup Identified Dec 2020

- Expired 1,160
- 239 calls attempted
- 160 bad phones removed
- 747+ emails sent

## Net Change

↓ Expired 276      ↑ Verified 212



# China Membership (2017-2021)

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2021</b>
<b>Verified Members</b>	1,296	1,904	2,682
<b>Allocated Votes</b>	0	3	TBD
<b>Total Votes</b>	1	4	TBD
<b>Percent Clean</b>	54.8%	70.1%	74.3%
<b>Percent of Global</b>	1.3%	1.6%	1.6%



# Important Dates 2021

Membership Certification and Country Committee Compliance

<del>Sunday, January 31</del>	<del>GLOBAL IT</del>	<del>Calculates CC member count.</del>
<b>Wednesday, February 10</b>	INTL SECRETARY (Jeffrey)	Sends CC their member count and membership verification form.
<b>Saturday, February 20</b>	CC CHAIR & SECRETARY (Kim & Elizabeth)	Deadline to submit member verification form.
<b>Saturday, February 20</b>	CC CHAIR & LEGAL (Kim & Alex)	Deadline to submit copy of latest CC bylaws, noting any changes.
<b>Wednesday, June 30</b>	CC	Deadline to hold CC AGM.
<b>AGM Date + 15 days</b>	CC CHAIR & SECRETARY (Kim & Elizabeth)	Deadline to submit AGM minutes and reports.

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**DA COMMS  
JANUARY**



# BLACK HISTORY MONTH

DEMOCRATS ABROAD  
China Black Caucus

## LET THE CAGED BIRD RING

**Feb 10 - 7pm CST**

Help us commemorate Black History Month with Democrats Abroad China & the Global Black Caucus

We will be rewatching Youth Poet Laureate Amanda Gorman  
We will be hearing poetry from GBC Poet Co-Laureate Jasmine Cochran & we are encouraging you to read as well, please message us to be included on the agenda

And we will talk about what it means into this new term to fight for equity & justice, "if only we dare."

RSVP for Zoom information - Scan the QR Code or go to [www.democratsabroad.org/cn\\_events](http://www.democratsabroad.org/cn_events)



DEMOCRATS ABROAD  
China Black Caucus

## LET'S MAKE GOOD TROUBLE

**Feb 21 - 6pm China Time**

In celebration of Black History Month, and in honor of the late Civil Rights icon, John Lewis, Democrats Abroad Global Black Caucus will present "John Lewis: Good Trouble" on his birthday, February 21st, at 6:00 pm, Beijing Time.

Leading up to that event, we will open up a discussion chat that will lay out the issues for which we need to make Good Trouble. We will discuss the concept of Unity, the latest voter suppression schemes, and a variety of other topics.

**Let's make GOOD Trouble!**  
Scan the QR code to RSVP & join the discussion:  
[www.democratsabroad.org/cn\\_events](http://www.democratsabroad.org/cn_events)



DEMOCRATS ABROAD  
Australia

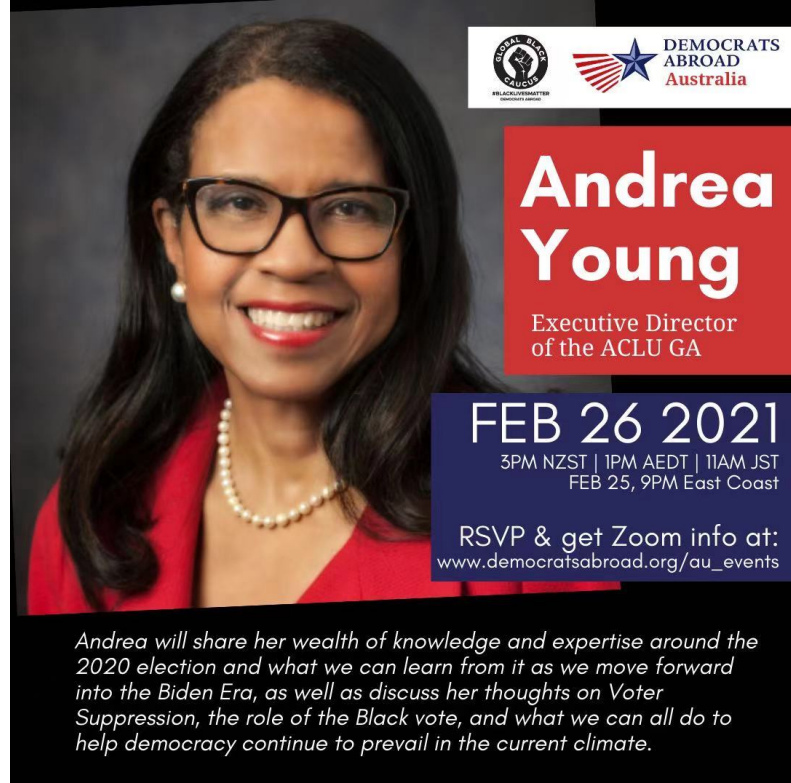
## Andrea Young

Executive Director  
of the ACLU GA

**FEB 26 2021**

3PM NZST | 1PM AEDT | 11AM JST  
FEB 25, 9PM East Coast

RSVP & get Zoom info at:  
[www.democratsabroad.org/au\\_events](http://www.democratsabroad.org/au_events)



*Andrea will share her wealth of knowledge and expertise around the 2020 election and what we can learn from it as we move forward into the Biden Era, as well as discuss her thoughts on Voter Suppression, the role of the Black vote, and what we can all do to help democracy continue to prevail in the current climate.*



# Join Democrats Abroad Messaging

## **PUSHING FOR:**

More active volunteers.

Besides the Leadership Board vacancy, we also need:

- **CAUCUS LEADS** for:
  - Women's
  - LGBTQ+
  - Black
  - AAPI

As well as people who want to get **TRAINED UP** to be our **NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE**



 **WANTS YOU!**

Do you want to help American expats take their seat in the Democratic Party?  
Do you want to mobilize around issues and send our voices back home?  
**FIND OUT HOW TO JOIN THE DA CHINA CORE TEAM!**

**JOIN US ON ZOOM** for our Leadership Meeting - JAN 10, 8PM  
Details at [www.democratsabroad.org/cn\\_events](http://www.democratsabroad.org/cn_events)





# Content Calendar

## FEBRUARY

## MARCH

## APRIL

### EVENTS

Movie Screening?  
John Lewis: Good Trouble  
Black Caucus Ramp Up

Panel?  
Activating Women in Politics  
Women's Caucus Ramp Up

### PEOPLE

Volunteer Profile  
  
Call out for  
Nominations Committee

Volunteer Profile  
  
Urgent Call out for  
Nominations Committee

Volunteer Profile  
  
Set out exact date for AGM  
Elections Information

### GENERAL

Black History Month

Women's History Month


Accomplishments:  
First 100 Days



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**MOTIONS +  
NEW BUSINESS**

# AT-LARGE BOARD MEMBER CAUCUS LEADERS

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- A hand holding a magnifying glass over a group of people. The background is a blurred image of a group of people walking, with the magnifying glass focusing on the foreground. The text is overlaid on the right side of the image.
- We need to fill out At-Large Space
  - Nominations + Speeches



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**OPEN FLOOR**