Summary of the AFA Board Meeting

Mid-year Meeting, August 12, 2024 Via Zoom

The Board of Directors of the American Finance Association met via Zoom on August 12, 2024. This report summarizes the non-routine decisions and reports made at the meeting.

- 1. The AFA has formed a committee to consider expanding the AFA mentoring programs.
- 2. Operating losses have improved but remain high. The investment committee is developing a policy to inform their work.
- 3. The *Journal of Finance* implemented a webinar series for the winners of the JF Prizes and is raising money to fund the Rick Green prize for junior faculty.
- 4. The AFA remains in contract negotiations with Wiley regarding the *Journal of Finance: Insights and Perspectives*. The previously slated editor of the *JF:I&P* has stepped down and an Editorial Committee was proposed and subsequently approved to nominate an Editorial Team for the *JF:I&P*.