January Meeting

At a meeting of the Advisory Committee on Socially Responsible Investing, held on January 22, 2020 in the Burden Room 206, Low Library, the following members participated:

April Croft (non-voting) Merritt Fox Daniel Howard Ruby Khan Bridget Realmuto LaPerla Benjamin Lebwohl Sharon Liebowitz	William Shamma Anne Sullivan (non-voting) Courtney Thompson Bruce Usher Regen Wallis Michael Wang	
The following members of the administration were also in attendance: Colin Redhead		
The meeting was called to order at 6:05 p.m.		Chair
<u>Announcement</u> Chair Fox welcomed a new alumni member, Regen Wallis.		Chair
<u>Approval of the November 13, 2019 Minutes</u> The Committee approved the minutes of November 13, 2019.		Committee Members
Vote on ACSRI 2020 Sudan Recommendations The Sudan Subcommittee presented its 2020 recommendations for Columbia's Sudan Divestment/Non-Investment and Watch lists. Sudan Subcommittee Chair Bridget Realmuto LaPerla thanked the subcommittee members for their hard work. A discussion followed regarding the subcommittee's research. The ACSRI's 2020 Sudan Recommendations were finalized and will be presented to the Trustee Subcommittee on Shareholder Responsibility for its consideration.		Sudan Subcommittee / Committee Members
Discussion of Fossil Fuel Divestment Proposal The ACSRI had a preliminary discussion of a fossil fuel divestment proposal submitted by the student group, Extinction Rebellion.		Committee Members
Discussion with Professor Jeffrey N. Gordon, former ACSRI Chair Professor Gordon provided background on previous fossil fuel divestment proposals reviewed by the ACSRI during his term.		Jeffrey N. Gordon / Committee Members
There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.		
Respectfully submitted, April B. Croft		

Associate Director ACSRI