



STATE OF MAINE
DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL & FINANCIAL REGULATION
OFFICE OF PROFESSIONAL AND OCCUPATIONAL REGULATION
BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY



Janet T. Mills
Governor

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Director

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**Public Board Meeting Agenda
Tuesday, January 27, 2026**

Location:

Physical Location: Central Conference Room at the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, Gardiner Annex, 76 Northern Avenue, Gardiner, Maine

Virtual Platform via Zoom:

<https://mainestate.zoom.us/j/89241442809?pwd=HB2lasF0iaHhP6KkSl6joQBBBbGyaN.1>

Meeting ID: 892 4144 2809

Passcode: 30728727

The Zoom link for virtual observation is also posted on the board's website at:

<https://www11.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/accountancy/home/board-meeting-information>

Board Member Participation:

Board members may participate remotely in Board meetings in accordance with Title 1, Section 403-B of the Maine Revised Statutes and the [Board Member Remote Participation Policy](#) adopted by the Board on May 9, 2023.

Public Participation:

The public may observe the Board meeting in-person at the location identified above or may choose to join the meeting virtually using the Zoom link provided above.

Time: 8:30 a.m.

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I. CALL TO ORDER

II. AGENDA MODIFICATIONS AND APPROVAL

Office Location: 76 Northern Avenue, Gardiner, Maine 04345
Mailing Address: 35 State House Station, Augusta, Maine 04333
www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/accountancy

III. DRAFT MINUTES

1. November 25, 2025

IV. CHAIR REPORT

V. ADJUDICATORY HEARING

1. Case No. 2025-ACC-20877 – Dongmyoung Shim – 9:00 a.m.

VI. INTIAL COMPLAINT PRESENTATION(S)

1. 2025-ACC-21008

VII. APPLICATION REVIEW(S)

Licensure Application(s):

Initial

1. Hamad Yousef Hamad, Sr.
2. Meesamali Virani, CP12123
3. Shan Xu, CP10382
4. Tsz Chiu Yip, CP3824

VIII. REPORTING NOTIFICATIONS

1. Ernst & Young, LLP, FMF10000962

IX. CONTINUING EDUCATION DEFERMENT

1. Patricia Burgess, CP5065

X. CREDIT EXTENSION REQUEST

1. Yang Liu

XI. RULEMAKING

1. Discussion of Draft Changes

XII. BOARD MANAGER’S REPORT

1. Updates re: legislation, rulemaking, and other items

XIII. LICENSING REPORTS

1. Licensing Reports
 - a. Active



XIV. OTHER ITEMS

1. Preliminary Agenda for Upcoming Meetings
2. Case Management Report
3. NASBA White Paper on Private Equity Task Force

XV. PUBLIC OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT

(Board Chair Statement) “Under this item, the Board may offer an opportunity to members of the public listening in to comment on any public matter under the jurisdiction of the Board. The Board cannot take action on any issues presented, nor can it respond to or debate decisions made today, including matters relating to complaint cases that may be on the agenda. The Board will listen to comments and may ask staff to place the issue on a subsequent agenda. At the discretion of the Board Chair a time limit on comments may be set.”

XVI. ADJOURNMENT

