

April 25, 2007

Dr. Lin Lin and Dr. Tiantian Zheng Cornish Hall Developing a Better Understanding of East Asia Through Films

Dear Dr. Lin and Dr. Zheng:

On behalf of the ASC Board of Directors, I regret to inform you that ASC will be unable to fund your grant request for the above referenced project. The Finance Committee received 64 applications representing \$402,000 in total requests. However, the 2007-08 Budget for ASC program grants was \$163,000. Consequently, ASC was unable to fund many worthwhile projects.

If you have any questions regarding your grant application, please do not hesitate to contact William Shaut, Chair of the Finance Committee.

Sincerely,

Joanne Barry

President, ASC Board of Directors

cc: William Shaut, Chair of the Finance Committee Dana C. Wavle, ASC Executive Director Jeff Johnson, ASC Controller