




City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: Jennifer Tran		
Board/Commission Name: Seattle Women's Commission		Position Title: Member
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appointment OR <input type="checkbox"/> Reappointment	City Council Confirmation required? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Appointing Authority: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> City Council <input type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>Fill in appointing authority</i>	Term of Position: * 7/2/2023 to 7/1/2025 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Serving remaining term of a vacant position</i>	
Residential Neighborhood: Madison Valley	Zip Code: 98112	Contact Phone No.:
Background: <p>Jennifer Tran is a developer relations engineer at <u>DFINITY</u> where she empowers technologists to learn about blockchain technology. She moved to Seattle to discover new opportunities for a digital collectibles business that she co-founded. Throughout her career, she has been passionate about providing career development opportunities to the socioeconomically disadvantaged. She is currently a mentor for <u>Dev Rel University</u>, a free training program for those interested in a career in developer relations and marketing, and <u>SheFi</u>, a program that teaches women about financial independence through investing. She was a mentor and judge at the <u>University of Washington Dubhacks Hackathon</u> in 2023. She also was a program manager and teaching assistant at <u>Careers in Code</u>, a free coding boot camp for women and minorities.</p> <p>Outside of connecting people to the tech world, she is an active member of the YMCA Aquatics program and learned how to swim in Seattle's YMCA pools as an adult.</p> <p>She graduated from <u>Trinity College</u> in Connecticut with a Bachelor's in Urban Studies. At Trinity College, she was awarded the <u>QuestBridge Scholarship</u>, a nationally recognized full-merit scholarship for low-income students, and the <u>Udall Scholarship</u> Honorable Mention, a U.S. federal government-funded scholarship program for student leaders in environmental and tribal affairs public policy.</p>		
Authorizing Signature (original signature): 	Appointing Signatory: Cathy Moore, Seattle City Councilmember	

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Jennifer Tran

EXPERIENCE

[Myth Software](#)

May 2022 - present

Software Engineer

- Converted a project assessment Excel worksheet to a web application using Retool.

[Somewhere Street](#)

January 2022 - present

Proposal Reviewer

- Serve on a 5-person committee to review and award funding from a \$20 million fund to proposals for emerging software applications.
- Provide logistics support for events in the Pacific Northwest including ETH.Portland, ETH.Seattle, and F3 Women in Blockchain Conference.

[Notifi.Network](#)

July 2022 - December 2022

Software Engineer

- Built wallet login system using GraphQL and Typescript.
- Created chat components on the open-source software development kit.

[MintGate](#)

November 2020 - July 2022

Co-Founder and Software Developer

- Raised over \$1.7 million in venture capital. Managed 20+ venture capital funds, angel investors, and accelerators through weekly written updates and quarterly 1:1 calls. Participated in the Bitcoin Kernel, Tachyon Accelerator Program by Filecoin and Consensus Mesh, and NEAR Open Web Community.
- Built NodeJS backend to gate content using blockchain tokens.
- Built React frontend application to upload and display digital content.
- Developed CI/CD pipeline using GitHub Actions that assisted reduction in customer bug reports by 50 percent.
- Hosted [monthly Twitter Spaces](#) and spoke at NFT.NYC and ETH.Portland on various blockchain topics.

[CovalentHQ](#)

April 2021 - December 2021

Data Alchemist and Genesis Founder

- Taught live virtual courses on NFTs and blockchain analytics to over 100+ attendees.
- Selected as top 20 ambassadors to lead operations of a collective with over 1,000+ data analysts. Led the education and fitness guilds by coordinating the curation and promotion of virtual courses on various topics with other DAO leads and members and tracking KPIs.

[Metis Consulting Group](#)

July 2019 - March 2020

Software Developer

- Troubleshooted, triaged, and resolved customer bug reports using SQL and ColdFusion.
- Led development implementation of travel mobile application built on React Native.

Seattle Women's Commission March 2024

21 Members: Pursuant to [SMC 3.14.920](#), all members subject to City Council confirmation, 2-year terms:

- 8 City Council-appointed
- 9 Mayor-appointed -plus one Get Engaged.
- 4 Other Appointing Authority-appointed: Commission-appointed

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
2			1.	Member	Marcia Wright-Soika	7/02/23	7/01/25	3	Mayor
			2.	Member	Abriel Johnny	7/02/22	7/01/24	2	Mayor
			3.	Member	VACANT	7/02/22	7/01/24		Mayor
			4.	Member	VACANT	7/02/22	7/01/24		Mayor
			5.	Member	VACANT	7/02/23	7/01/25		Mayor
			6.	Member	VACANT	7/02/23	7/01/25		Mayor
6			7.	Member	Rebecca Bryant	7/02/22	7/01/24	2	Mayor
3			8.	Member	Krystal Guerrero	7/02/22	7/01/24	1	Commission
			9.	Member	VACANT	7/02/23	7/01/25		Mayor
9			10.	Member	Kyla Evans	7/02/22	7/01/24	1	City Council
			11.	Member	Emily Rose Barr	7/02/23	7/01/25	1	City Council
			12.	Member	Mariah Rivera	7/02/23	7/01/25	1	City Council
1			13.	Member	Vinati Mamidala	7/01/22	7/02/24	1	City Council
1			14.	Member	Sarah Liu	7/02/22	7/01/24	1	City Council
			15.	Member	Jennifer Tran	7/02/23	7/01/25	1	City Council
			16.	Member	VACANT	7/02/23	7/01/25		City Council
6			17.	Member	Rachel Morowitz	7/02/22	7/01/24	1	Commission
			18.	Member	VACANT	7/02/22	7/01/24		City Council
1			19.	Member	Whitney Nakamura	7/02/22	7/01/24	2	Commission
			20.	Member	VACANT	7/02/23	7/01/25		Commission
			21.	Get Engaged	Veronica Lamont	9/01/23	8/31/24	1	Mayor

SELF-IDENTIFIED DIVERSITY CHART

	Men	Women	Transgender	Unknown	(1) Asian	(2) Black/ African American	(3) Hispanic/ Latino	(4) American Indian/ Alaska Native	(5) Other	(6) Caucasian/ Non-Hispanic	(7) Pacific Islander	(8) Middle Eastern	(9) Multiracial
Mayor	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Council	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Comm	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Key:

- *D List the corresponding Diversity Chart number (1 through 9)
 - **G List gender, M = Male, F= Female, T= Transgender, U= Unknown
 - RD Residential Council District number 1 through 7 or N/A
- Diversity information is self-identified and is voluntary.

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