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Library Alliance

Let's focus on opportunities to advance our community in 2021!

I am excited to share my appointment to the Council on Library and Information Resources (CLIR) Board of Directors. CLIR President Charles Henry approached me about Board service and I'm so pleased to represent the HBCU Library Alliance.

Details of the appointment can be found here: [CLIR Board Appoints New Members, Officers](#)

From an early December communication, we shared that the HBCU Library Alliance and CLIR received a planning grant from the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation for the project "Creating Access to HBCU Library Alliance Archives: Needs, Capacity, and Technical Planning."

The project will identify common barriers and shared visions for creating access to historic collections held by libraries at HBCUs. Applications are being reviewed for the Interviewer and Facilitator consultant positions. For more details on the planning grant, visit [Creating Access Planning Grant](#).

Planning has begun for the fourth (Yay!) round of the HBCU Library Alliance Summer Conservation/Preservation project. Eight undergraduate students will be recruited to participate in a virtual six-week summer internship in Library and Archives preservation in 2021 at nationally recognized library preservation/conservation laboratories.

Follow this [Link](#) for more information.
Stay tuned for important updates!



Respectfully,

Sandra Phoenix, Executive Director

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