

Join the Black Metropolis Research Consortium for our

Collection Diversification and Community Engagement Series

Cultural Diversity Competency Webinar

Facilitated by:

Helen Wong Smith,
Archivist for University Records
at University of Hawai'i at Mānoa
Register at the link below:

<https://forms.gle/qC4FbdotcrroWX1Z9>

January 28th, 2021
2pm - 6pm CST

- Cultural Diversity Competency (CDC) in museums, libraries, and archives.
- Understanding lack of collection diversification strategies aimed at documenting Black history.
- Implicit and explicit bias and how it relates to community engagement policies.
- Building trust with local communities.

Collection Diversification Workshop

Facilitated by:

Rebecca Hankins,
Africana Resources Librarian
at Texas A&M University

Register at the link below:

<https://forms.gle/kpLqpxrciZSvqQZX6>

March 29th & 30th, 2021
9am - 4pm CST

- Creating strategies for building mutually beneficial relationships between archival repositories and the communities they serve.
- Providing infrastructure for community collections to be properly preserved.
- Exploring strategies for providing archival resources to communities, from post-custodial agreements to donor education and more.

Post-Series Discussion

Facilitated by:

Tanya Calvin,
BMRC Community Engagement Archivist
Register at the link below:

<https://forms.gle/8Lt6vd3oMJUaN4Yk6>

April 16th, 2021
2pm - 3pm CST

- Discussing what we learned throughout the series and lingering questions we have.
- Planning on actionable next steps to improve our institution's collection diversification and community engagement strategies.

The recording of the Collection Diversification and Community Engagement Panel that started off this series in November 2020 will be up on our YouTube page soon:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC9CV4FMvB5TBDDo8RpVADoA>

All events will be held via Zoom.

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