



Greetings

Dialogue on Diversity

2020 Internet Data Privacy Colloquium

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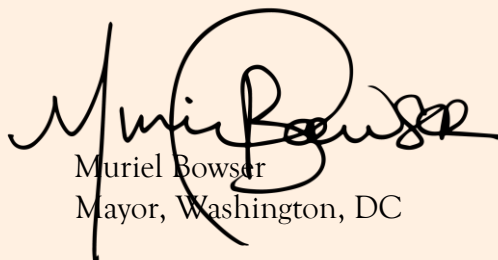


On behalf of all Washingtonians, I am pleased to welcome and congratulate organizers and attendees of Dialogue on Diversity's 2020 Internet Data Privacy Colloquium: *"The Internet, Privacy, and the Future of Data."*

Dialogue on Diversity has been at the vanguard of creating social change and economic empowerment for women of all ethnic and cultural backgrounds through technology and entrepreneurship since its founding thirty years ago in 1990. With an eye towards creating innovative solutions to addressing the digital divide, these colloquia are unique opportunities to include fresh voices in an effort to better connect communities.

This event focuses on one of the great challenges of our time: how best to collect, store, and protect all of the highly sensitive information we use and oftentimes share daily. As the internet continues to be an increasingly essential part of our lives, it is incumbent upon us to create proper precautions to ensure that our data is safe, and this colloquium will undoubtedly help to create greater equity in the development of strategies to address this challenge.

We so appreciate Dialogue on Diversity hosting this event in Washington, DC. Best of luck to all involved for an enjoyable and productive presentation!


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Mayor, Washington, DC

