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## Action

If elected to the long range committee of CoC, I would like to advocate more collaborations in the educational missions and diversity activities of constituent department/programs by promoting resource sharing and outreaching activities. In addition, I believe there is room for adding value to members of CoC by providing new services to its members. In addition, I believe CoC could also more intimately involved with BMES.