



**RESOLUTION**

**DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION**

**WHEREAS**, diversity is the seeking and achieving of a broad representation of experiences, perspectives, opinion and cultures in the area of court management; and

**WHEREAS**, NACM values diversity and inclusion as an essential source of vitality and strength for the effective pursuit of expanding the association’s mission; and

**WHEREAS**, the governance of NACM recognizes the need for diversity awareness among its membership, committees, and ancillary associations; and

**WHEREAS**, members of NACM who are committed to diversity and inclusion will have a positive impact upon practices in courts and for court users around the world; and

**WHEREAS**, NACM strives to be the leading national court association in the area of diversity and inclusion.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that NACM will pursue a diversity and inclusion focus for its membership and leadership; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that every officer, board member, committee chairperson and others holding positions of authority and responsibility within NACM will pledge to attend a course in diversity and inclusion training; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that curricula development for NACM educational conferences and resource materials will be attentive and respectful of diversity and inclusion.

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President