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ALA Conference Accessibility Task Force (CATF)
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Collect data from ALA members and conference attendees with disabilities

- x Establish a process for reviewing and addressing accessibility problems
- x Draft accessibility guidelines to be used by ALA in reviewing contracts, to ensure ADA and WCAG (Web Content Accessibility Guidelines) compliance
- x Research best practices for accessibility training and make a recommendation for implementation

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The membership of the Task Force will be inclusive of the following perspectives:

We welcome your continued feedback on the work of the task force and look forward to your participation in our activities.

Respectfully submitted,

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