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Danielle A. Davis Joins MMTC as Policy Counsel

WASHINGTON, D.C. (July 19, 2021): The Multicultural Media, Telecom and Internet Council (MMTC) is pleased to announce that Danielle A. Davis, Esq. has joined the team as Policy Counsel. Davis will support MMTC's policy work in three areas: tech, media, and telecommunications (TMT) sectors. The sectors include: Technology, Data Privacy, Artificial Intelligence, and Civil Rights in the Digital Age.

"We are excited to welcome Danielle back to MMTC as a Policy Counsel and to work with her on cutting edge tech and telecom policy issues. Early in her legal career, she served as an MMTC Earle K. Moore fellow," said MMTC President and CEO Robert E. Branson. "Danielle's experience as a Telecom and Tech fellow at the National Urban League (NUL) Washington Bureau and Technology and Telecommunications Fellow at the National Council of Negro Women, Inc. (NCNW) are great assets for MMTC. We plan to leverage the experience she developed while managing and coordinating the release of the National Urban League's comprehensive agenda for addressing the digital divide, the Lewis Latimer Plan for Digital Equity and Inclusion."

"Danielle is an exceptional rising talent in the space of innovation. Her commitment to equity and civil rights is seen in her previous appointments, but augmented by her leading-edge work in addressing the unique challenges created by automation. I am excited to work with her on building on the legacy of MMTC," stated MMTC Vice President Dr. Fallon Wilson.

"I am honored to be back with MMTC as its Policy Counsel," said Davis. "For over 30 years, MMTC has advocated for equal access and representation in tech, media and telecommunications; and I am thrilled to have the opportunity to continue to build MMTC'S legacy in the area of tech, privacy, artificial intelligence and civil rights in the digital age."

Davis has spent the past year providing counsel on technology and telecommunications issues with a racial justice lens to senior management at the NUL. While there, she conducted research on the digital divide, Section 230 and content moderation, and privacy issues. She also represented the NUL in external meetings and executed congressional outreach strategies on Capitol Hill. Prior to joining NUL, she educated and provided counsel and recommendations to NCNW's senior leadership on tech and telecom issues, including algorithmic bias, Section 230, and disinformation on online platforms. During her tenure at NCNW, she also published articles on bias in artificial intelligence and built relationships among congressional members, federal agencies, and civil rights organizations. She is a graduate of Barry University School of Law and Florida Atlantic University. While at Barry University School of Law, she served as the Editor-in-Chief of the Southern Journal of Policy and Justice, and the Senior Editor of the Barry Law Review.

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About MMTC:

The Multicultural Media, Telecom and Internet Council (MMTC) is a non-partisan, national nonprofit organization dedicated to promoting and preserving equal opportunity and civil rights in the mass media, telecom and broadband industries, and closing the digital divide. MMTC is generally recognized as the nation's leading advocate for minority advancement in communications. MMTC's vision is to achieve a fully connected, educated, healthy, and empowered society in which all communities thrive. Visit MMTC's website [here](https://www.mmtconline.org).