

**•Society of Ameri Society of American Archivists
Council Meeting
August 14, 2024
Chicago, IL
Hybrid Meeting**

**President's Report
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- Participated in weekly meetings with Vice President/President-Elect Tomaro Taylor, CEO, Jackie Price Osafo, Assistant Director of the Foundation, (Acting Assistant Director of SAAF Governance Astoria Edwards, and Assistant Director of Governance Jill Burgos.
- Participated in monthly meeting with the Executive Committee.
- Participated in SAA Foundation meetings, May 6, 10, August 6, 2024.
- Participated in drafting a Statement Decision Tree.
- Investigate history, current need, and liability for child care at annual meeting.
- Created an award and resolution rubric to facilitate voting. Rubric converted into survey to determine awards and resolutions.
- Selected and met with external facilitator for Council communications.
- Meetings with NARA representatives, May 3, June 10, 2024
- Submitted two articles for the President's column for Archival Outlook.
- Met with individual members who expressed
- Supported Annual Conference planning and logistics.
- Conferred with Leadership and ICA Representative Brenda Gunn re: Records in Context standard.
- Conferred with Executive Committee on CEO's annual evaluation.
- Participated in Collaboration Hui meetings, May 23, June 20, August, 1, 2024
- Attend Reparative Descriptions, May 22, 29, June 5, 2024
- Attended Committee on Ethics and Professional Conduct, May 21, 2024
- Attend Annual Meetings of International Archival Affairs Section, June 27, 2024, CODA, July 9, 2024, Records Management Section, July 12, 2024; Accessioing, Acquisitions, and Appraisal Section, July 23, 2024; Regional Archival Associations Consortia, Jul 23, 2024; Archivists & Archives of Color Section, July 23, 2024