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To assist you in your role of board professional at your foundation, we have curated these AGB member resources for you.

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Michelle Asha Cooper, PhD, previously served in numerous capacities at the U.S. Department of Education, including deputy undersecretary for equitable recovery and acting assistant secretary for postsecondary education. Gain key perspectives from Cooper on policy and advancement in the higher education landscape. [Read the article.](#)



Trusteeship Article

[Forum: Commissioning an Independent Review](#)

It is not unusual for colleges and universities to find themselves in situations in which actions taken on their campuses lead to questions about their integrity and their commitment to professed ideals. In this *Trusteeship* magazine article, explore insights trustees should consider before commissioning an independent review. [Read the article.](#)



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Best regards,

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