

Dearest MCLP Friends,

Today marks my one-year anniversary as Executive Director of the Multicultural Leadership Program. With the support of our donors, volunteers, community leaders, partners, and alumni we have grown together in this journey. We have served our community and continued to live out our values, employing the principles of servant leadership every step of the way. We were able to graduate 24 exemplary leaders in the Class of 2020 and are positioned to do so again in 2021 on a virtual platform.

I am beyond proud of all that we have accomplished together. Which makes it all the more difficult for me to say that I will be stepping down as Executive Director of MCLP.

I am honored to have accepted the position of Executive Director at the McLean County Museum of History. The Museum and MCLP are united in their work to elevate and educate the community. I look forward to solidifying and expanding our partnership.

Don't worry, this isn't the last you'll be hearing from me. I'll be with MCLP until September 1st to oversee the transition and get the class of 2021 all settled in. I will always be a proud alum and intend to stay active in the organization.

Also, as some of you may know, our intrepid Program Coordinator, Donna Moravec, has begun a new job at State Farm. She has been an instrumental part of MCLP for three years, and I hope you will join me in congratulating her.

Bloomington-Normal native and recent Drake University graduate Micaela Harris has stepped into the role of Program Coordinator. She first began working with MCLP as a communications intern in late April and has since hit the ground running.

My best to you in these times. Stay strong. Stay safe. Be of service.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Julie M. Emig". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Julie Emig
Executive Director
Multicultural Leadership Program