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Trust and Preservation: Portico's Perspective

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Requirements for Trust in Preservation

- **Clear preservation definition and mission**
- **Transparency and audit**
- **Reliable delivery of service over time and effective response to events requiring preservation solution**
- **Commitment to and capacity for research into future needs of the community**



- **An organization must communicate a clear definition of and commitment to preservation**
- **The governance and operation of an organization must support and prioritize preservation and must demonstrate a serious commitment to preservation as part of its activities**



- **Transparency regarding preservation processes and the status of content**
- **Development of tools to demonstrate success in achieving stated goals**
- **Willingness to be audited by a trusted third party who will report results to the community**



Reliable Delivery and Effective Response

- **Reliable delivery of service over time**
- **Effective response to events requiring a preservation solution**



- **Research that helps the community understand and prepare for emerging needs (For example, preservation needs for dynamic content and new forms of digital scholarship)**
- **Willingness to collaborate with others in the preservation space to find common solutions**

