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**Urban League Receives a Second Collaborative Learning Lab**

Dell grant will provide children with access to technology across Oklahoma City

**Oklahoma City, OK – January 12, 2015** -- The Urban League of Greater Oklahoma City received a second Dell Collaborative Learning Lab (DCLL). This lab will help strengthen the academic and career development of poor minority youth through their involvement in technology rich educational settings within the Urban League’s main administration facility.

The Lab includes Dell products, a projector, classroom furnishings, and an outdoor classroom setting to make a collaborative education an engaging and skill enhancing opportunity for the minority youth across Oklahoma City.

“The new Dell Lab is a great way for the youth to learn interactively with technology,” said Dr. Valerie Thompson, Urban League of Greater Oklahoma City president and CEO. “This project is youth-centered in its approach ,in which, project staff will engage youth from at-risk and high need communities in a process of enrichment through instruction, educational experience, mentoring, and on-going support,”

The Dell Collaborative Learning Labs will further the integration of Dell technologies with a specific design of a collaborative work space encouraging group synergetic learning amongst the youth and supportive adults. Also, a learning coach will direct small groups in the Collaborative Learning Lab, helping them use and master technology.

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The Urban League of Greater Oklahoma City is an affiliate of the National Urban League and a United Way partner agency. Please visit [www.urbanleagueok.org](http://www.urbanleagueok.org) for more information.

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