

Diversity Ink

Our vision is a Canada without prejudice and discrimination – a country that celebrates diversity, difference and inclusion. CCDI is proud to share with you its latest initiatives, events and resources dedicated to driving the diversity conversation here in Canada.

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August 2017

Canada makes progress on accessibility legislation

As you may know, the federal government has consulted with people across the country on the planned accessibility legislation. A copy of the report on what was learned from the consultation process can be found [here](#). CCDI's [accessibility campaign](#) was launched to help raise awareness with those who are responsible for designing and planning our built environment. We believe campaigns like these are critical in changing attitudes and, as a result, changing behaviours. Starting in September, we will be sharing [these videos](#) at public venues. We hope you will have your say about physical barriers that exist within the workplace and in buildings.



Upcoming community of practice events

Sept. 18: Halifax, NS

The ROI of D&I

presented by Deanna Matzanke

Sept. 19: St. John's, NL

Diversity & inclusion councils and committees

presented by Susan Rogers

Sept. 20: Moncton, NB

Upcoming webinars

August 15 (English) | August 24 (Français)

How to handle harassment and discrimination in the workplace

presented by Renée Bazile-Jones and Anne-Marie Marcotte

August 23 (English)

Centennial certificate in leadership and inclusion

presented by Cathy Gallagher-Louisy and

The ROI of D&I

presented by Cathy Gallagher-Louisy

Sept. 20: Calgary, AB

Newcomer inclusion

presented by Zakeana Reid

Click [here](#) for all fall dates.

Dr. Richard Williamson

Sept. 12 (English) | Sept. 14 (Français)

Diversity in a flexible work environment for HR professionals

presented by Renée Bazile-Jones and

Anne-Marie Marcotte

Success Stories - Sobeys Inc.

As an organization that is committed to creating a respectful and supportive workplace, it is no surprise that when an employee announced her decision to undergo gender reassignment, Sobeys provided a safe work environment for this employee throughout and after her transition.

Click [here](#) to find out about this transition.

CCDI | Case studies

Success stories



Teacher toolkit launches in September

We're excited to announce the release of our [See Different](#) Teacher Toolkit in September. Our free toolkit will include all the activities and resources used during the delivery of the in-school program. The development of the See Different Teacher Toolkit has been generously sponsored by Telus GTA Community Grant.

CCDI | Welcome

New Employer Partners

Welcome to our new Employer Partners

We mainly work with employers, because we know that when the workplace is inclusive, positive effects are felt by the broader community. Join us in welcoming the latest addition to our unparalleled [Employer Partner roster](#):

- [Corus Entertainment Inc.](#)
- [Eli Lilly Canada](#)
- [Enmax](#)
- [Kwantlen Polytechnic University](#)
- [Ontario Power Generation](#)
- [Pembina Pipeline](#)
- [Stewart McKelvey](#)
- [Windsor Police Service](#)

Upcoming observances

Caregivers Month

Aug. 07: [Civic Holiday](#) (AB, BC, ON, SK, NB, NU)

[Raksha Bandhan](#)

Aug. 09: [International Day of the World's Indigenous People](#)

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Aug. 14: [Krishna Janmashtami](#)

Aug. 15: [National Acadian Day](#)

Aug. 23: [International Day for the Remembrance of the Slave Trade and its Abolition](#)

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