

# 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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## October 2019

### CCDI | Community of practice Circle for Reconciliation

In 18 cities, from  
St. John's to Victoria

Fall 2019



What role do employers have in reconciliation? CCDI is pleased to host a Circle for Reconciliation, which will take participants through the Commission's recommendations related to the workplace, share locally relevant issues around Indigenous inclusion, and provide examples of ways employers can work toward meaningful reconciliation. [Learn more...](#)

### Upcoming events

#### CCDI Webinar: Accessibility - Navigating a world filled with barriers

October 17: [English](#)

#### CCDI Webinar: Indigenous culture & the workplace

October 30: [French](#)

#### CCDI Webinar: Unconscious bias

November 5: [English](#)

#### CCDI Webinar: Unconscious bias and cannabis

November 7: [English](#)

#### Community of Practice: Circle for reconciliation

October 16: [Saskatoon SK](#)

October 17: [Regina SK](#)

October 21: [Victoria BC](#) (sold out)

October 23: [Winnipeg MB](#)

October 25: [Montréal QC](#)

October 29: [St. John's NL](#)

November 5: [Halifax NS](#)

November 7: [Fredericton NB](#)

November 8: [Moncton NB](#)

November 14: [Ottawa ON](#)



## eLearning offerings

CCDI's eLearning programs are designed to help organizations advance in their diversity and inclusion journey in a way that is time and cost effective, while adhering to adult learning principles and best practices. The 30-minute modules maximize the reach, impact and sustainability of your learning initiatives.

In designing our courses, we adhere to the principles of Universal Instructional Design (UID). UID is a process that considers the potential needs of learners when designing and delivering instruction, to remove barriers and ensure the quality of the learning experience is consistent for all learners, regardless of their level of ability.

[Explore our list of eLearning courses.](#)



## In the news

September 6, 2019: [Ontario's law society is tying itself in knots over diversity and compelled speech](#)



## Awards of Success 2019 winners

CCDI's Awards of Success have been designed to recognize individuals who have made a significant contribution to diversity and inclusion here in Canada – whether internally to their organization or externally to the community at large. Learn more about one of our winners with our latest blog:

- [2019 Employer Initiative of the Year, Eastern Canada: Sobeys – Sensory Friendly Shopping Program](#)

## 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](#):

- [Aurora College](#)
- [Parkland Fuel](#)
- [Saskatchewan Government Insurance](#)

### Upcoming observances

October 2019						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

Disability Employment Awareness Month |  
 Women's History Month (Canada) |  
 Hispanic and Latino Heritage Month

- October 8: [Dussehra](#)
- October 8-9: [Yom Kippur](#)
- October 10: [World Mental Health Day](#)
- October 11: [National Coming Out Day](#)
- October 13-20: [Sukkot](#)
- October 14: [Thanksgiving](#)
- October 17: [Karva Chauth](#)
- October 20-22: [Shemini Atzeret](#)
- October 21-22: [Simchat Torah](#)
- October 27: [Diwali](#)
- October 29: [Birth of the Bab](#)
- October 30: [Birth of Bahá'u'lláh](#)
- October 31: [Halloween](#)

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