# EQUITY DIVERSITY & INCLUSION - FACILITATORS/CONSULTANTS

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**Areas of Expertise:** Leveraging 15 years of experience, including ten years with Fortune companies, we offer strategic solutions on how to build inclusive workplaces to help our clients reach their goals. More specifically, we: develop Diversity, Equity and Inclusion strategies, design and conduct organizational assessments, design and deliver customized, engaging and experiential curriculum, workshops and training (including implicit bias training), deliver

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