



CANADIAN CENTRE FOR  
DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION

# Diversity Ink



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Hello Diversity Professionals,

We support a vision of a Canada without prejudice and discrimination. A country that celebrates diversity, difference and inclusion. The CCDI is proud to share with you our latest initiatives, events, and resources, dedicated to driving the diversity conversation here in Canada.

Here is what the CCDI has been up to, and what we have in store:

## Proud to Lead™: Developing LGBT+ Leaders

We are pleased to partner with [The Humphrey Group](#) to offer, [Proud to Lead™](#).

**Proud to Lead™** is an intensive, two-day program designed specifically for members of the LGBT+ community. This program is a unique opportunity for LGBT+ professionals who wish to lead with pride every time they communicate and inspire others to act inclusively. Participants will be introduced to The Leadership Model®, The Humphrey Group's powerful methodology for communicating as a leader. They will learn how to apply this four-part model in any communication scenario where they wish to shape beliefs and influence action.

**Dates:** January 12th – 13th, 2016  
**Location:** [The Humphrey Group – Toronto](#)  
**Price:** \$2295 (After Dec. 31st)

[To learn more and register – click here.](#)

## PROUDTOLEAD™ Developing LGBT+ Leaders

**Dates:** January 12th – 13th, 2016  
**Location:** Toronto  
Produced in partnership with:



## UPCOMING WEBINARS

### Webinar Intersections of Diversity

12pm Monday  
January 18

3pm Thursday  
January 28

[Information & Registration](#)

### Webinar Accommodation in the Workplace

12pm Tuesday  
February 16

3pm Tuesday  
February 23

[Information & Registration](#)

### Webinar Women's Advancement

12pm Tuesday  
March 1

3pm Thursday  
March 17

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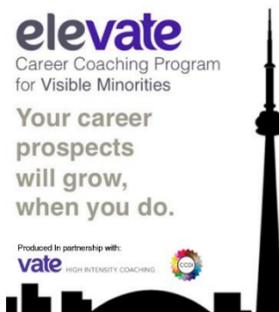
## Elevate

We are also pleased to partner with [Vate](#) to offer, [Elevate](#).

**Elevate** is a 2-month coaching program geared towards Visible Minority advancement in the corporate Greater Toronto Area (GTA). This program is designed to encourage those who identify as a Visible Minority to be proactive and take charge of their professional career. Offered three times within the year, our first cohort will begin in April.

"Elevate" yourself. Realize your true potential.

[To learn more and register – click here.](#)



## New CCDI Employer Partner

One of our primary focuses at the CCDI is on working with Employers. We believe that if the workplace is inclusive, that will positively affect the broader community. Please help us welcome the latest additions to our unparalleled [Employer Partner Roster](#):

- [Town of Ajax](#)



## New CCDI Associate and Practicum Students

As our mandates and work load continues to grow so does our [CCDI Team](#). A warm welcome to our new CCDI Associate and Practicum Students:

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| <b>New Associate:</b>  | <b>New Practicum Students:</b>   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Zakeana Reid, CHRP</a></li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Esosa Akpata</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Ifath Fatima</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Silviu Kodan</a></li> </ul> |



## HR Leading Others to Lead

We are always delighted when we find ourselves in the headlines or asked to contribute our insights. Read the latest article by [Cathy Gallagher-Louisy](#) featured in the winter edition of [People Talk Magazine](#):

- [HR Leading Others to Lead](#)



## Centennial College Certificate: Leadership & Inclusion

Are you looking for an inclusive leadership development opportunity for yourself or your managers? The CCDI and Centennial College have joined forces to create the perfect online course for busy working professionals – like you.

**Next Cohort begins:** January 11, 2016

[For more information and registration - click here.](#)



## New CCDI Events Coming Soon!

We are finalizing our upcoming roster of 2016 CCDI Events – Community of Practice Events, Webinars and our annual D&I: The *Un*Conference – in the coming weeks. With new topics and event cities on the horizon, we are eager to share what we have in store for you. Be sure to check back again soon!



[Stay up to date on all upcoming CCDI Events – here.](#)

Thank you for keeping up with us here at the CCDI. If you would like to connect with a CCDI Team Member regarding becoming an [Employer Partner](#) or [Individual Practitioner](#), if you aren't already, we encourage you to [contact us](#) at any time.

**Until we meet again in February!**

**The CCDI Team**

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