Dear Colleague,

As we welcome the arrival of Spring, we are excited to share new articles and posts that delve into topics that explore the ways in which DEI intersect with international education. In addition to these resources, we also want to highlight upcoming community discussions that we believe will provide an opportunity to engage with peers and experts in the field, share experiences and ideas, and learn from one another.

As always, we are committed to providing you with the latest and most relevant content that supports your professional development and helps you stay up-to-date on the latest trends and issues in international education. Keep reading for details!

This Month with Diversity Abroad

- April 13 | 1:00 PM EST | Virtual Town Hall: Current & Future DEI Legislation Changes in US Higher Education (Register)
- April 19 | 12:00 PM EST | Community Discussion: Designing and Implementing Inclusive Identity-based Study Abroad Mentorship (Register)
- April 20 | 2:00 PM EST | Student Webinar: Owning Your Identity as a Globally Inclusive Leader (Register)
- April 25 | 1:00 PM EST | Student Workshop: Leveraging Global Experiences in Your Career (Share/Register)
- May 9 | 11:00 AM EST | Community Discussion: Paths for DEI Professionals in International Education and Education Abroad (Register)

View All Upcoming Events

GLOBAL INCLUSION 2023

The Global Inclusion Conference offers a unique environment to explore the ways that advancing equity and inclusion in global education contribute to student learning and inclusive success. We invite you to submit a proposal to share your experiences with the broader community.

Submit by April 14, 2023!
Submit Now!

EDIIE AWARD NOMINATIONS

Each year, Diversity Abroad celebrates institutions, organizations, professionals, and students who have developed inclusive practices that foster diversity and inclusion in international education and cultural exchange. Recipients will be recognized at the Awards Gala during the Global Inclusion Conference.

Nominate by May 8, 2023!
Nominate Today!

COMMUNITIES OF PRACTICE

The Global Inclusion Communities of Practice bring together global education and diversity, equity, and inclusion professionals to provide critical guidance and support to Diversity Abroad initiatives and contribute to the development of new and valuable resources for the field of global education and cultural exchange.

Learn More!

Non-Traditional Career Pathways in International Education for Young and Mid-Level Professionals

This article explores the pathways in international education for young and mid-level professionals. By centering the diverse stories of educators who have non-traditional journeys to and within international education, we aim to demystify mobility and the meanings of “success” within the field. It addresses how educators understand their intersectional identities and identify the interpersonal and institutional challenges faced by professionals. This article will encourage professionals by providing concrete approaches that amplify their skillset and experiences.

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Constance Holden | PhD Student, University of Connecticut

Reframing Equity in Higher Education: The Link Between Education Abroad, Racial Equality, and Black Social Citizenship Rights

As articulated by W.E.B. DuBois, full citizenship rights and equality for Black people hinge on educational opportunity and experiences. This work reframes the discussion on racial equality in higher education by exploring the link between study abroad, Black liberation and the current and historic systemic exclusion of Blacks in higher education.

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Diversity Abroad Articles

- Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Efforts in International Education May Get Harder to Implement (Open Access)
- Title IV Changes and Potential Impact on Equity in Global Programs (Open Access)
- From Idea to Acceptance: Six Tips for Submitting a Successful Conference Proposal (LinkedIn Article)