



DIVERSITY FORUM  
Inclusive Social Investment

# Diversity Forum Updates

## September 2023

### Celebrate

Please click underlined links for more information

East and South East Asian Heritage Month - 1st to 30th Sept

World Alzheimer's Month - 1st to 30th Sept

World Suicide Prevention Day - 10th Sept

World Childless Week - 11th to 17th Sept

Rosh Hashanah (Jewish) - 15th to 17th Sept

Latin American Heritage Month (US) - 15th Sept to 15th Oct

World Afro Day - 15th Sept

International Equal Pay Day - 18th Sept  
International Week of Happiness at Work - 18th to 24th Sept

National Fitness Day - 20th Sept

International Day of Peace - 21st Sept

Bi-Visibility Day - 23rd Sept

Yom Kippur (Jewish) - 25th Sept

National Inclusion Week - 25th to 30th Sept

### Learn

#### East and South East Asian Heritage Month

Five ways to support your East and South East Asian Employees

Download the first-ever Impact-Focused Southeast Asian Financial Inclusion Report

Ethnic Disparities and Inequality in the UK among ESEA Communities

#### Bi-Visibility Day

Resources for creating an LGBTQ+ inclusive workplace

LGBT in Britain - Bi Report - understanding everyday life for British LGBT people

Bi-sexual people's experiences of and ideas for improving services

Explore Bi Funding Research Funders' Briefing

### Do

If you are an existing Diversity Forum Manifesto signatory or are interested in signing our Manifesto 2.0, register for 'Diversity Forum Manifesto 2.0 - One Year On' where will be sharing the insights from our recent effectiveness evaluation.

Book your spot on Social Investment Scotland's brand new programme supporting social enterprise and charity sector leaders to take their business to the next level.

Take part in ACEVO's Home Truths 2 survey covering experiences of racism and individual views on what is helpful in advancing race equity in civil society organisations.

## Share

Read Access2Funding's latest [report on transforming opportunities and outcomes for disabled entrepreneurs](#).

Join an inclusive community of changemakers and [sign up for the School for Social Entrepreneurs' Shifting London Festival](#).

Take a look at [Citizens Advice Cost of Living dashboards](#) and where communities are being hit hardest by the current crisis

Have your say on the [Equality Hub's open consultation](#) on the proposed Disability Action Plan.

Check out the [Thrive Together Fund](#) from Social Investment Business.

Download '[Five Years of Empowering Places: Evaluation Report](#)' for insights and learnings for catalytic community anchor initiatives.

Take a look at Enable's role model list - [shining the spotlight on changemakers](#) driving disability, neurodiversity and mental health inclusion in business.

Check out Value for Women's Insights series - this issue is on [how to move more capital with a gender lens](#).

Download '[Holding our Own: A Guide to Non-Policing Solutions to Serious Youth Violence](#)' including a [call for better funded youth services](#)

## Support

Please support The Diversity Forum by [following us on LinkedIn](#). Newly set up, we'll be sharing our news, current projects and collaborations as well as insights into the EDI sector.

Do you have an idea that could really shake up Social Investment and help make it a more equitable and inclusive space? If so, then [register for Good Finance and The Diversity Forum's upcoming Addressing Imbalance Hackathon](#) on 12th September in London.

'Learn more about [immigration detention](#) and the current campaigns against the [Illegal Migration Bill](#).

## Find out more



If you have any suggestions on future content for our newsletter, please let us know by emailing [info@diversityforum.org.uk](mailto:info@diversityforum.org.uk). [Click here](#) to find out more about joining the discussion around equality, diversity and inclusion and becoming a Diversity Champion.