

# MACRO Consulting Group DEI Training

## Fostering an Inclusive Culture

#### I. Introduction

- A. Welcome and program overview
- B. Importance of diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) in the workplace
- C. Goals and objectives of the training program

#### II. Understanding Diversity

- A. Defining diversity and its various dimensions (e.g., race, gender, age, ethnicity, disability)
- B. Exploring the benefits of a diverse and inclusive workplace
- C. Recognizing unconscious biases and their impact on decision-making

## III. Promoting Equity and Inclusion

- A. Defining equity and its role in fostering fairness and justice
- B. Understanding the concept of privilege and its implications
- C. Addressing microaggressions and creating a respectful and inclusive environment

#### IV. Unconscious Bias Awareness

- A. Identifying and challenging unconscious biases
- B. Strategies for mitigating bias in decision-making processes
- C. Promoting diversity through inclusive language and behavior

## V. Building Inclusive Leadership

- A. Developing inclusive leadership skills and behaviors
- B. Strategies for fostering a culture of inclusion within teams and organizations
- C. Empowering employees to contribute and thrive in an inclusive environment

## VI. Allyship and Advocacy

A. Understanding the importance of allyship in promoting inclusivity

- B. Becoming an effective ally and supporting marginalized colleagues
- C. Advocating for diversity and inclusion within the organization and beyond

#### VII. Managing Diversity-Related Conflict

- A. Identifying and addressing conflicts related to diversity and inclusion
- B. Building effective communication and conflict resolution skills
- C. Creating a safe and inclusive space for dialogue and understanding

#### VIII. Implementing DEI Practices

- A. Developing and implementing DEI initiatives and policies
- B. Strategies for recruiting and retaining a diverse workforce
- C. Measuring and evaluating the effectiveness of DEI efforts

#### IX. Sustaining the Journey

- A. Creating accountability and commitment to ongoing DEI efforts
- B. Establishing employee resource groups and support networks
- C. Providing resources for continued learning and growth

#### X. Conclusion

- A. Recap of key takeaways from the training program
- B. Commitment to fostering diversity, equity, and inclusion in the workplace
- C. Encouragement to apply the knowledge and skills gained in daily interactions