RESOURCES GUIDE
Allyship

Books

Better Allies: Everyday Actions to Create Inclusive, Engaging Workplaces
by Karen Catlin
Learn to spot situations where you can create a more inclusive culture, along with straightforward steps to take.

The Better Allies™ Approach to Hiring
by Karen Catlin
A helpful hiring guide filled with best practices to recruit and hire people from underrepresented ethnicities and genders, with non-traditional educational backgrounds, with gaps on their resumes, or from older generations.

Privilege, Power, and Difference
by Allan G. Johnson
This classic book is an introduction to systems of oppression that uses straightforward language and simplifies complex theories.

We Found a Hat
by Jon Klassen
Two turtles have found a hat. The hat looks good on both of them. But there are two turtles. And there is only one hat. . . .

Podcasts & TED Talks

3 ways to be a better ally in the workplace
by Melinda Epler
In this actionable talk, Epler shares three ways to support people who are underrepresented in the workplace.

Brené Brown on Empathy
We can only create a genuine empathic connection if we are brave enough to really get in touch with our own fragilities.

The Daily: By Challenging Evangelicals, She Changed Them
by The New York Times
This episode profiles Rachel Held Evans, who, in a quest to understand her religion, authored a blog questioning it. In this blog, she exemplified allyship by using her platform to uplift the voices of indigenous communities, black lives matter, and the LGBTQIA community.
Films & Television

Smash and Grab | Pixar SparkShorts
by Brian Larsen
Two antiquated robots who risk everything for freedom and for each other after years of toiling away inside the engine room of a towering locomotive.

Kitbull | Pixar SparkShorts
by Rosana Sullivan
An unlikely connection that sparks between two creatures: a fiercely independent stray kitten and a pit bull. Together, they experience friendship for the first time.

Blogs, press and websites

You’re not really an ally if your allyship is conditional
by Kathryn Harlan-Gran
An article about the best ways to handle the status of ‘ally.’

Captain Awkward
This advice blog has great tips for how to say uncomfortable things to people, enforce boundaries, and similar skills.

On Intersectionality and Allyship
by Coshandra Dillard
When discussions about hate come up in the classroom, it’s important that teachers emphasize intersectionality.

Speak up or stay silent? 5 reasons to confront prejudice
by Sarah Gervais
An article about the benefits of confronting prejudices in the everyday life.

How to be a better ally
by Christopher Lawrence
A series of advices on how to be a good ally today.

So you call yourself an ally” 10 things all ‘allies’ need to know
by Jamie Utt
A perspective on ‘allyship’ and the responsibilities it entails.

Guide to allyship
A guide about the pros and cons that being an ally entails.

5 Tips For Being An Ally
Franchesca Ramsey (@chescaleigh) breaks down five simple tips to be an ally.
Blogs, press and websites

10 ways employees can support diversity and inclusion
by Robin Pedrelli
A series of advice on how to be a good advocate of diversity and inclusion in the workplace.

Better Allies: Everyday actions to create inclusive, engaging workplaces
by Karen Catlin
A weekly email newsletter that provides a list of actions that individuals can take to become better allies.

Cultural Competence Program
by SBS Broadcasting
The Cultural Competence Program (CCP) is an online training course aimed at building capability around cultural diversity in the workplace.

CEO Action Pledge Video Library
Education resource videos from companies that have signed the CEO Action Pledge for Diversity & Inclusion.

We’re Stronger as Us, We’re Stronger as Allies.
This video from Salesforce highlights that we all have a role to play on the path to Equality.

Getting Called Out: How to Apologize
Franchesca Ramsey (@chescaleigh) talks how to offer an authentic apology and demonstrate your willingness to get better.