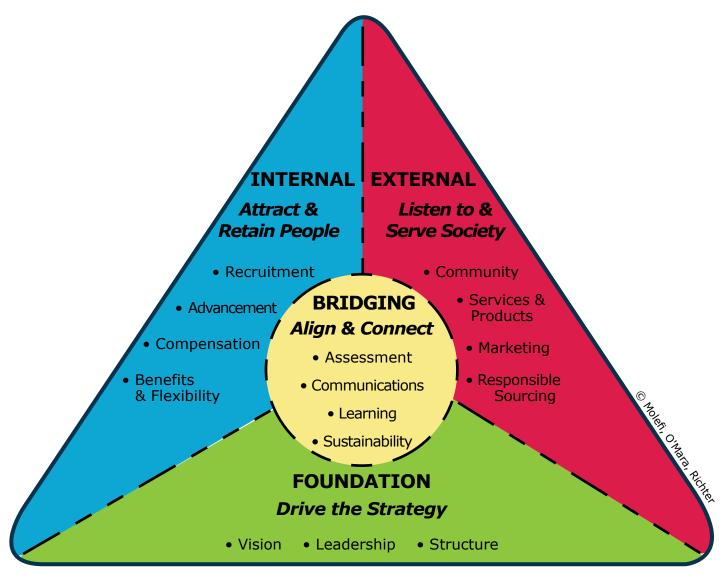
THE GDEIB MODEL



Global Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Benchmarks

We believe the 15 categories, organized into four groups, cover the important elements that need to be addressed to create a world-class Diversity, Equity & Inclusion initiative. Each category is divided into five levels, with the benchmarks at Level 5 considered best practice. Most organizations will need to address all the Foundation and Bridging Categories. Organizations may be more selective about which of the Internal and External Categories to address. Addressing all 15 categories is the most comprehensive and systemic approach.