

A specially trained group of 15+ internal trainers who teach Inclusion Conversation models and practices to all supervisors within your organization

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It only makes sense then, that organizations would want to maximize the likelihood that new hires are able to quickly integrate into their new workplace, and that they become engaged, contributing team members as soon as possible. It is for this reason that Inclusity offers the Inclusion Conversation Process, as both a facilitated discussion and as a "train-the-trainer" program.

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## **Train the Trainer**

Inclusity will assist you in selecting the right internal trainers, and then train up to 15 individuals at a time to lead a 4-6 hour workshop on how to self-facilitate Inclusion Conversations. Inclusity will provide your internal team with the preparation needed to effectively teach others the skills, tools, and models they will use in self facilitating these conversations with their direct reports. Further, we will license you all of the materials you will need to implement Inclusion Conversations throughout your organization.

You will be amazed at how effective these conversations are in increasing engagement and improving relationship strength within your organization. We encourage you to ask participants to rate their level of trust, openness, and productivity prior to having the conversation, and then to rate these elements again three months following the conversation(s). We know you will be pleased with your decision to engage in these conversations as a culture-building experience within your work environment!



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## **Facilitated Discussion**

When the new relationship involves very high level employees, people with significant differences, or the IC process is new to the organization, it is often best to allow trained professionals to facilitate these conversations. Inclusity Facilitators have unique and specific skills that allow us to guarantee the success of the conversation, and the depth to which the conversation goes. Facilitators trained in counseling techniques, a variety of personality indicators, and dealing with difficult elements of individuality (such as race, gender, religion, and sexual orientation) insure that the conversations are meaningful and worthwhile.

Further, there are times when an outsider's perspective is desired, or when the organization feels that participants would be better served by someone outside of the company. In all of these cases, the Inclusity team is trained and ready to provide the appropriate level of care.

Most Individual facilitated discussions last between 1-3 hours, depending on the number of differences or length of time the individuals have worked together. Team facilitated discussions typically last 4–8 hours, again depending on the size of the team and the scope of the individual's elements of individuality.



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