

PREPARING INNOVATIVE LEADERS FOR GLOBAL IMPACT

Statement on Diversity

Diversity is essential to the core mission and success of the University of California and to the mission and success of the Graduate School of Management. It is a defining characteristic of California's rich history and future prosperity.

The Graduate School of Management shares the UC system's and UC Davis' commitment to admitting and retaining a diverse student body, and hiring and retaining a diverse faculty and staff. We are committed to achieving diversity at all levels in all of our constituencies. This imperative is key to achieving our goal of "preparing innovative leaders for global impact."

Diversity is valued by the Graduate School of Management community because it is an integral part of achieving excellence. Increased diversity at all levels leads to a better educational experience and research environment. Our emphasis on ethnic, cultural, gender, sexual orientation, religious affiliation, geographic, professional and experiential diversity promotes our belief that we learn and grow more when exposed to new ways of thinking and doing business.

Diversity must be seen as a part of the way we go about our day-to-day activities. Increasing diversity, promoting inclusion, and maintaining a safe and welcoming environment is the responsibility of everyone in the Graduate School of Management community.