

#PurpleLightUp 24-hour Global Broadcast – 3 December 2020



Celebrating the economic contribution of persons with disabilities

Oceania

(GMT timings start on 2nd December)

AEDT: 9am

WELCOME TO #PURPLELIGHTUP

NZDT: 11am

With PurpleSpace CEO and Creator, Kate Nash OBE and PurpleSpace Chair, Gavin Bounds

GMT: 10pm

AEDT: 9:10am

WELCOME TO OCEANIA

NZDT: 11:10am

Celebrate with Suzanne Colbert, CEO of the Australian Network on Disability and Phil Turner, Managing Director of Accessibility Tick, New Zealand.

GMT: 10:10pm

AEDT: 9:30am

VEHICLES FOR CHANGE: EFFECTIVE EMPLOYEE RESOURCE GROUPS

NZDT: 11:30am

Inspiration on how to take your employee resource group to the next level with NSW Department of Communities, EY and Victorian Public Sector's Enablers Network panel.

GMT: 10:30pm

AEDT: 10:35am

CHAMPIONING INCLUSION

NZDT: 12:35pm

Join the Attorney-General's Department, Federal; Hanes Brands Australasia; NSW Public Service Commission and Rabobank to hear how organisations are harnessing their internal energy to drive systemic change.

GMT: 11:35pm

AEDT: 11:15am

HOW DO GLOBAL ORGANISATIONS ACHIEVE INCLUSION OF PEOPLE WITH DISABILITY?

NZDT: 1.15pm

Meet HSBC's Group Chief Financial Officer and Executive sponsor of the bank's Global Disability Confidence Project, Ewen Stevenson.

GMT: 12.15am

AEDT: 11:35am

IN CONVERSATION WITH SUZANNE COLBERT

NZDT: 1.35pm

An interview with Suzanne Colbert, Founding CEO of Australian Network on Disability: 20 years on.

GMT: 12.35am

AEDT: 11:45am

PERSONAL LEADERSHIP

NZDT: 1.45pm

KPMG Law, the National Disability Insurance Agency and The Deaf Society / Deaf Services Limited take part in a thought-provoking discussion about applying personal leadership to achieve change, with their personal leadership experiences and strategies to engage and equip others.

GMT: 12.45am

GMT: 1.30am

CELEBRATING INCLUSIVITY

A montage of celebration

Celebration

SGT/CST: 10am

WELCOME TO ASIA

IST: 7.30am

With PurpleSpace CEO and Creator, Kate Nash OBE.

AST: 5am

GMT: 2am

Asia

SGT/CST: 10.15am

IST: 7.45am

AST: 5.15am

GMT: 2.15am

EARNING IT

Senior leaders from Allegis Global Solutions, Shell and Tata Consultancy Services discuss with Community Business' CEO, Peter Sargant, how we can enable employers to 'earn the right' for disabled people to share personal information.

SGT/CST: 11:10am

IST: 8.40am

AST: 6.10am

GMT: 3.10am

BANGLADESH AND BEYOND

Celebrating with the CEO of the Bangladesh Business and Disability Network, Murteza Khan and PurpleSpace's CEO and Creator, Kate Nash OBE.

SGT/CST: 11:40am

IST: 9.10am

AST: 6.40am

GMT: 3.40am

A DAY WITHOUT EXPLANATION - THE FUTURE OF DISABILITY INCLUSION?

Hear from Sodexo on the findings of their Disability Research Report which sets out how organisations can build disability confidence from the inside out.

SGT/CST: 12pm

IST: 9.30am

AST: 7am

GMT: 4am

WELCOME TO INDIA

Celebrate with Shanti Raghavan and Dipesh Sutariya, Founders of EnAble India.

SGT/CST: 12:15pm

IST: 9.45am

AST: 7.15am

GMT: 4.15am

SPOTLIGHT ON ... ALLIES PROGRAMMES

EY gives us insights into its impactful Purple Champions allies programme.

SGT/CST: 12:25pm

IST: 9.55am

AST: 7.25am

GMT: 4.25am

#VALUABLESPEAK

Join EnAble India's Founder Shanti Raghavan and the Valuable 500's Founder Caroline Casey as they reflect on the importance of valuable allies.

SGT/CST: 12:35pm

IST: 10.05am

AST: 7.35am

GMT: 4.35am

#VALUABLEALLIES

Allegis India, Laguna Clothing and Refinitiv converse about why they have signed up to the Valuable 500 and how they are delivering on their commitments.

SGT/CST: 2pm

IST: 11.30am

AST: 9am

GMT: 6am

WELCOME TO SAUDI ARABIA

Celebrate with Qaderoon's CEO, Amr Khashoggi and PurpleSpace's CEO and Creator, Kate Nash

SGT/CST: 2.20pm

IST: 11.50am

AST: 9.20am

GMT: 6.20am

UNITED BY COMMON HUMANITY

Join our panellists from General Sports Authority, the Help Center and Qaderoon as they discuss human diversity and the opportunities that brings, despite our differences.

GMT: 7am

AN INSIDE JOB

Uncover the ways in which employee resource groups/ networks are helping organisations build disability confidence from the inside out, with Barclays, Clifford Chance, Eli Lilly, PwC, Shell and Willis Towers Watson.

Africa

SAST: 10am

EAT: 11am

GMT: 8am

WELCOME TO AFRICA

Celebrate with Susan Scott-Parker OBE, CEO of business disability international and Kate Nash OBE, CEO and Creator of PurpleSpace.

SAST: 10.15am

EAT: 11:15am

GMT: 8.15am

IN CONVERSATION WITH ANGLO AMERICAN

Meet Liz Douglas, Head of HR at Anglo-American, as she discusses how and why the organisation is embracing diversity.

SAST: 10.40am

EAT: 11.40am

GMT: 8.40am

IN CONVERSATION WITH THE VALUABLE 500 AND PURPLESPACE

Valuable 500's Founder Caroline Casey and PurpleSpace's CEO and Creator Kate Nash discuss how to drive change from the bottom up and the top down.

SAST: 11.10am

EAT: 12.10pm

GMT: 9.10am

Q&A SESSION ON BUILDING INNER CONFIDENCE & PROGRESSING YOUR CAREER

Your questions will be answered by Sophie Morgan, award-winning disability advocate and Channel 4 presenter; Lesa Bradshaw, disability inclusion consultant and transformation expert; Proctor & Gamble's Sumaira Latif and Barclays' Annabel Jones.

GMT: 10am

DRIVING CHANGE FROM THE TOP

Hear how innovative leaders are committing to making the working world a better place and their insights into the next 'normal', with Nick Hirons, Senior Vice President, GSK; Ian Stuart, CEO of HSBC UK Bank plc, Don Watson, Vice President of Merck, Kate Nash OBE, CEO and Creator of PurpleSpace and Micheal Fembek, Programme Director of Zero Project, facilitated by Inchcape Group CEO, Duncan Tait.

Keynote panel

CET: 12pm

GMT: 11am

WELCOME TO EUROPE

Celebrate with Diane Lightfoot, CEO of the Business Disability Forum and Hamied Haroon, Chair of the National Association of Disabled Staff Networks.

CET: 12.20pm

GMT: 11.20am

IN CONVERSATION WITH JOHN AMAECHI OBE

Get ready for provocation, excitement and inspiration as we Get In Conversation with John Amaechi OBE, CEO of APS, nicknamed the 'Everyday Jedi' and recognised as one of world's most influential thinkers.

CET: 1pm

GMT: 12pm

SPOTLIGHT ON...BDF'S GLOBAL TASKFORCE: TOWARDS A DISABILITY-SMART WORLD

Join Business Disability Forum, GSK and Shell as they explore the work of the BDF Global Taskforce and discuss key findings from BDF's recent research on developing a global disability strategy.

CET: 1.45pm

GMT: 12.45pm

CREATING AN INCLUSIVE NHS FOR DISABLED STAFF

Staff from the UK's National Health Service - the 5th largest worldwide employer - discuss how NHS Boards can give disabled staff a voice within their organisation and disability inclusion.

CET: 2.30pm

GMT: 1.30pm

ATTRACTING, RETAINING AND CELEBRATING PURPLE TALENT

Gain insights from Yvonne Symthe, Group Head of Equality, Diversity and Inclusion, Hays; Mark Hodgkinson, CEO of Scope, Shandi Dhanda, #WorkWithMe Ambassador, Virgin Media and Ruth Owen, CEO, Whizz-Kidz on the steps that employers can take in order to attract, retain and celebrate purple talent.

Europe

Europe continued

CET: 3.20pm
GMT: 2.20pm

LAUNCH OF PURPLESPACE'S GREAT GLOBAL IMPACT REPORT

Launch of PurpleSpace's Great Global Impact Report, sponsored by Barclays, with a discussion by Barclays, Scope, Nationwide and the National Association of Disabled Staff Networks on the key findings.

Keynote panel

GMT: 3pm

ADVANCING DISABILITY RIGHTS AND JUSTICE: A GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE

Discussion on the state of disability justice and the importance of promoting employment for persons with disabilities. With Disability Rights Advocate and Academy Award winning actor, Marlee Matlin; Nicole Newnham and James LeBrecht, filmmakers of Netflix's Crip Camp; Judy Heumann, world-renowned Disability Rights Activist, featured in Crip Camp; and Stefan Tromel, Senior Disability Specialist, International Labour Organization. Crip Camp is available on Netflix.

South America

BRT/ART: 1pm
GMT: 4pm

INTRODUCING THE ZERO PROJECT AND THE AWARDEES 2021

Michael Fembek, Program Director of the Zero Project jointly with Carla Rubia, Executive Director of Fundación Descúbreme will tell you about the Zero Project, it's activities and introduce you to the Awardees 2021.

BRT/ART: 1.40pm
GMT: 4.40pm

ACCESSIBLE TECHNOLOGY & INCLUSION

Hector Minto, Senior Technology Evangelist for Accessibility, Microsoft; Neil Milliken, Global Head of Accessibility, Atos; Patrick Stephenson, Director of Innovation & Healthcare, Fujitsu UK; Jonathon Hassell, Founder & CEO, Hassell Inclusion; Monica Duhem, Founder & Director, Hearcolors and Hamish Drewry, Senior Manager, PwC discuss the technological tools available to deliver true digital accessibility and inclusion.

BRT/ART: 2.35pm
GMT: 5.35pm

LAUNCH OF GSMA PRINCIPLES FOR DRIVING THE DIGITAL INCLUSION OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

This session focuses on a framework for action for operators to increase the digital inclusion of people with disabilities.

Keynote panel

GMT: 6pm

HOW FAR HAVE WE COME IN THE LAST 30 YEARS?

Join Yetnebersh Nigussie, Senior Manager for Global Action on Disability (GLAD), International Disability Alliance; Stefan Tromel, Senior Disability Specialist, International Labour Organisation; Simon Minty, Director of Sminty Ltd and Co-Founder of Abnormally Funny People and Professor Gerard Quinn, UN Special Rapporteur on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities; Susan Scott-Parker OBE, CEO of business disability international and Andy Garrett, Workplace Adjustments Service Programme Lead and Co-lead of Disability Confidence Network, GSK who assess the progress made so far in the disabled rights movement, the emergence and alignment with business disability networks and providing insights into how the private sector can be an ally of this movement.

North America

PST: 11am
CST: 1pm
EST: 2pm
GMT: 7pm

WELCOME TO NORTH AMERICA

Celebrate with PurpleSpace CEO and Creator, Kate Nash OBE and Disability:IN CEO and President, Jill Houghton.

North America continued

PST: 11.05am

CST: 1.05pm

EST: 2.05pm

GMT: 7.05pm

IN CONVERSATION WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA

With Minister Carla Qualtrough, Minister of Employment, Workforce Development and Disability Inclusion and Deputy Minister Yazmine Laroche, Deputy Minister, Public Service Accessibility.

PST: 11.27am

CST: 1.27pm

EST: 2.27pm

GMT: 7.27pm

EXPLORING THE INTERSECTION OF RACE AND DISABILITY

The intersection of race and disability and how efforts to advance inclusion, diversity, and belonging must embrace the intersections of individuals' identities.

PST: 12.20pm

CST: 2.20pm

EST: 3.20pm

GMT: 8.20pm

DELIVERING GLOBAL DISABILITY INCLUSION FOR EMPLOYEES: BEST PRACTICES ON GLOBAL ACCOMMODATIONS, SELF-ID AND ACCESSIBILITY

Learn about using Disability Equality Index for global self-identification campaigns, accommodation models, and best practices for implementing site accessibility and/or universal design policies around the world.

PST: 1.06pm

CST: 3.06pm

EST: 4.06pm

GMT: 9.06pm

MENTAL HEALTH IN THE WORKPLACE

As major employers increasingly recognize that improving mental health among their employees is one of the best investments they can make, this session explores accessing leadership buy-in, reducing stigma, and building a culture of inclusion to grow mental wellness conversations and more.

PST: 1.30pm

CST: 3.30pm

EST: 4.30pm

GMT: 9.30pm

FINALE: BUILDING BACK BETTER, BUILDING BACK PURPLE

The Coca-Cola Company's Global Director of Diversity and Inclusion, Gareth Whalley, joins PurpleSpace for the Grand Finale.

- Register by following this link: eventbrite.co.uk/o/purplespace-31232595409 and then choose the link with the name of the continent in which you live.
- Registering enables you to drop in at any point during the live 24 hours regardless of which continent link you have used to register.
- You will be able to watch every session live and 'On Demand' both on the day and for 10 days following the event.
- Captions will be provided throughout the Global Broadcast. Live chat with attendees from around the world on the day.
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