Greetings Kantara DEIA Subcommittee,

Apologies for the issues with Zoom this week. We’ve updated the invite to address the technical error in the future. Given we weren’t able to connect via zoom, we’ve included a series of updates and actions below:

* DEIA Subcommittee Wiki:
  + Our subcommittee wiki is officially live!
  + We will be using this to not only document meeting minutes / notes but also work products for this group
  + If you haven't signed up, please do so via <https://kantarainitiative.org/gpa-signup/>
* DEIA Survey
  + As a reminder our annual DEIA survey is live and available at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/KI_DEIA>
  + Please consider completing this for your organization and promoting it across your network as we want to use responses to drive focus for the coming year.
* Terminology / Taxonomy Work Effort
  + We’ve set up a dedicated workspace on the wiki for our Terminology & Taxonomy work <https://kantara.atlassian.net/l/cp/rAxzVuvD>
  + We are interested in volunteers to help pull together the initial framing and capture examples of areas where clarification is needed
  + **Action**: Please contact Jordan Burris and Eric Thompson if you are interested in volunteering by August 14th
* Measuring ROI
  + We’ve set up a dedicated workspace on the wiki for our effort to measure identity outcomes, impacts across different demographics, and overall return on investment (ROI) for adopting more inclusive practices <https://kantara.atlassian.net/l/cp/MvzFUosj>
  + To help get the group started, we’d like to collect suggestions / recommendations / practices measuring identity as a starting point for discussion
  + **Action:** Please forward your suggestions to Jordan Burris and Eric Thompson by August 14th
* Building Out Subcommittee Participation
  + As we look to increase the perspectives and dialogue across the group, we are interested in identifying the companies, non-profits, government agencies, organizations that participants believe should be represented.
  + We are actively exploring how to add participating from Women in Identity, Beeck Center For Social Innovation & Impact, IDPro, and ACLU
  + **Action:** Please forward additional recommendations to Jordan Burris and Eric Thompson by August 14th

Please let us know if you have any questions.

Regards,

Jordan and Eric