

Membership Highlights



Since 2010, Out Leadership has created the global platform for CEOs and multinational companies to advocate for LGBT+ inclusion, drafting the power of business into the fight for equality. Members trust our innovative approaches to the global LGBT+ market opportunity, and we help them identify and realize Return on Equality®.

We envision a world where LGBT+ people are able to participate openly in the economy, and we are the only global business network meaningfully engaged in advocacy for LGBT+ equality. Our more than 70 member companies and our network of 450+ CEOs partner with us to leverage their investments in equality, and ensure that they pay dividends to their LGBT+ colleagues, clients, and customers.

"Out Leadership's work is instrumental in creating more LGBT+ inclusive workplaces and developing the next generation of business leaders."

— BETH BROOKE-MARCINIAK Former Global Vice Chair, Public Policy, EY; Member of Out Leadership's Global Advisory Board

Why Out Leadership?

Advocate for LGBT+ equality

Companies that stand up for LGBT+ equality see positive impacts on their bottom lines and also on their broad company culture. Leverage your company's platform to create more productive work environments and benefit the communities you serve.

ROI benefits with a proven, 10-year track record

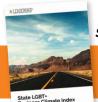
LGBT+ inclusion is a business driver. 71% of LGBT+ people and 82% of LGBT+ allies are more likely to do business with a company that supports LGBT+ equality. Our member companies rely on our insights and resources to make sure that they're aligned with global best practices and on the right track.

Create better leaders

Empower your LGBT+ talent by sending them to our talent development programs, connecting to a global cohort. Our talent programs are focused on emerging leaders, LGBT+ women, and senior LGBT+ executives.

Join our mission and drive equality forward

Your membership investment makes it possible for us to expand upon our groundbreaking research into LGBT+ inclusion issues, and to create more resources member companies can use to build LGBT+ inclusion at work and in the world.



So far this year:

U.S. State Climate Index & U.S. State CEO Briefs Launched



Larry Kramer addresses over 140 emerging LGBT+ leaders at the OutNEXT Global Summit



Global Self-ID Research Launched



U.S. CEO Dinner hosted by EY

Out Leadership: A Decade of Milestones

June 2019

Unveiling of U.S. State CEO Briefs

May 2019

Release of *Visibility Counts:* Corporate Guidelines for LGBT+ Self-ID, Ropes & Gray

May 2019

Release of State LGBT+ Business Climate Index is in partnership with the Gill Foundation

April 2019

Out Leadership and Out for Undergrad announce a strategic partnership

Nov. 2018

Out Leadership rings the opening bell at NASDAQ

Nov. 2018

Out Leadership convenes signatories of Business Statement for Transgender Equality

May 2018

Release of Corporate Engagement Guidelines for LGBT+ Equality

April 2018

Release of *Out to Succeed* in partnership with member PwC, a global study on LGBT+ emerging business leaders

June 2017

OL-iQ, the first global LGBT+ business diagnostic tool is launched

May 2016

Out Leadership launches in Australia

April 2016

Advised member companies on advocacy actions in response to NC HB2 law

Feb. 2016

OutWOMEN launches

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Out Leadership's Global Advisory Board facilitates first-of-its-kind discussions around LGBT+ issues in business at the World Economic Forum in Davos

Oct. 2015

Quorum launches

NOV. 2014

Out Leadership launches in Asia

Nov. 2013

OutNEXT launches

Sept. 2012

Out Leadership launches in Europe

May 2011

First U.S. Summit held in New York City

2010

Out Leadership is established



How are we different?

We're a business, which uniquely positions us to advocate on behalf of our members. We understand how businesses think.

- We are the largest global network of LGBT+ and ally business leaders. We're the only one engaging CEOs, board members, and developing emerging LGBT+ leaders.
- We're uniquely collaborative in the space, facilitating the connection between the business community and non-profits, NGOs and other community organizations
- We're a B Corp, certified as a mission-driven business held to the highest standards of performance, transparency, and legal accountability, and an LGBTBE certified LGBT-owned business by NGLCC in the U.S.





What do we do?

Advocacy

Internally — through our research and studies, we share best practices to help companies create inclusive and productive environments

Externally — we advocate for equality in the communities where you operate and for the clients you serve

Talent

OutNEXT, OutWOMEN, Quorum, and strategic partnership with O4U and ROMBA

Marketplace

OL-iQ — measure and benchmark LGBT+ engagement and progress within your company Index / Briefs — International CEO Business Briefs, U.S. State Climate Index + 50 U.S. State CEO

How do we do it?

Through our global platform, research, insights, and tools we provide companies, CEOs, and individuals with:

Research and insights — We publish a series of guidelines, indices and briefs containing a wealth of vital LGBT+ data. Member companies can access our proprietary diagnostic tool OL-iQ.

Events — Our members have exclusive access to over 40 events globally per year including our Talent programs, invitation-only CEO and VIP gatherings, research launches, and multi-day summits.

Global Network — Our global member network creates a one-of-a-kind hub where client and peer connectivity happens regularly, creating strong relationships and tangible business opportunities.