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# why dei matters for law firms: supporting client's core values and meeting legal industry imperatives

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This session will explore how law firms and clients are collaborating to foster a more diverse, equitable, and inclusive legal profession. Panelists will discuss how these partnerships are driving meaningful DEI initiatives, aligning with shared values, and addressing industry imperatives. We will delve into recent legal challenges and their implications for DEI programs, while highlighting strategies for sustaining impactful initiatives that benefit both law firms and their clients. Attendees will gain insights into building effective, collaborative approaches to advancing DEI in the legal field.

### Moderator:

Greg Olaniran, Partner & Co-Chair DEI Committee, Mitchell Silberberg & Knupp LLP

### Panelists:

Jonathan Turner, Esq., Partner, Mitchell Silberberg & Knupp LLP

Jean Lee, President & Chief Executive Officer, Minority Corporate Counsel Association

Tope Yusuf, SVP, Equitable Workplace Practices & Head of Legal DEI, NBCUniversal

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