



"What does inclusion
mean to you?"

An initiative inspired by the shortest
story ever written.

This project brings together
photography with a collection of
thoughts and statements on inclusion
created in conjunction with RBC and
the attendees of the 6 Degrees Citizen Space.

The time is right for us to focus on inclusion and citizenship in the 21st century. There is no doubt that Canada is one of the most diverse countries in the world, but diversity is only an advantage to the extent that we use it. To move beyond statistics and realize the true power that lies within our diversity, we must focus on inclusion - that will be the real differentiator. Together, we should work harder to remove barriers, so that all of our citizens can feel a true sense of belonging and be able fully to contribute to the vibrancy of our nation.

Many people shared their thoughts on inclusion for this remarkable book, continuing the conversations that have taken place at 6 Degrees. I want personally to thank the Right Honourable Adrienne Clarkson, John Ralston Saul, and Charlie Foran from the Institute of Canadian Citizenship for creating 6 Degrees and for driving this critical conversation forward.

Dave McKay

- Dave McKay
President & CEO, RBC



Unlocking the potential
of everyone
- Dave McKay



acceptance and integration is the
first step



Love for all.

-Tessicca Truong

Veronika Bylicki



Facing my own privilege.

-Jay Wall



Reaching Your & OUR full POTENTIAL.

- Zabeen Hirji



my extended family



see n my family coming over he e, a
and starting a new life.



The world needs to learn
to **love** again

-Kweku Mandela



hen e cen all just be friends



being nvited to the party shirley



be inclusive

multinational

all kinds of people



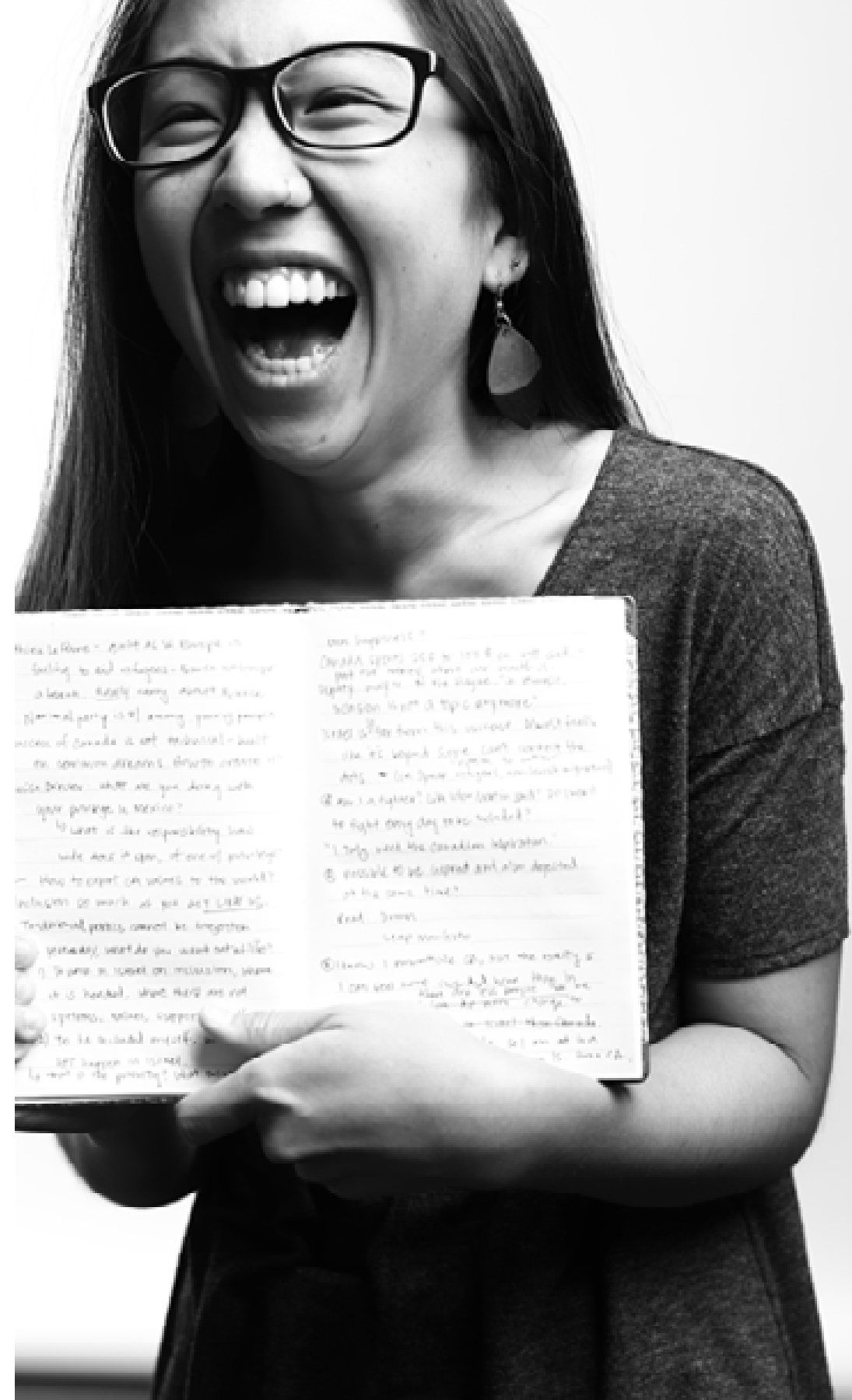
Watching my family succeed as
immigrants.

-Mary Katherine Patsiatzis



accepting
the pasts
presents
and
futures
of all.

angie hsu



What does inclusion mean to me/?
equality for all.

by aurnab



Play... School... Sports...

Eating together... Smiling :)



more courage and love
than think



Supporting and loving each other



live and let live.

arooj and alyssa



honouring the land we come from.

bailey greenspn.



K'zaagin - You open me (ojibway)

How we say "i love you"



A sense of belonging represents
inclusion

- Lieutenant Governor of Ontario
Elizabeth Dowdeswell



The feeling of family.

Mackenzie Maldoon



observation

vs

judgement

chacha



Continuing to ask
"Who's not here?"



colourblindness contributes
to racism instead of
solving it

Carrie Anne & Jacquelyn



the triumph of

curiosity over fear

- Per Scott



what does diversity mean

for me?

treating everyone as
family

.....belonging

feeling at home wherever you
are...and whoever you're with

woot woot



Don't let the bastards
get you down.



compassion and love



always
letting you be yourself
anywhere.



To all the ancesto

To all th

To all the ancestors who jumped on th
boat



lessons learned from new
friends



avoiding the placating
effects of multiculturalism
policy



I can be me always, anywhere.



Be Patient, Empathic, BOLD,
open, authentic...

-Peter Cheung



belong everywhere at all times

monika ,mariele, fernando,
daniele



Half the life is showing
up.

Peter Allen



inclusion.love.equality.

chanin



UNIQUENESS

CONNECTEDNESS

BELONGING

- norma



my friends and i.



Getting settled in a new
country is easier when you
have friends.



Diversity and inclusion means
to me:

Live, work , volunteer

&

be part,
of a city where every1
is part of it...

- @Leonardoh4h



getting to know others



LIVING WHERE WE ALL BELONG

JOSE & KELLY



Respect and community implication.



what does inclusion mean to
me?

a
Accepting and welcoming
everyone

Alireza Ahmadian



Loving and respecting everyone

no matter what



dialogue

respect

understanding

connections



Love Acceptance Success

Passion Recognition Freedom

Gabriela Co



Inclusion is diversity without
prejudice.



more women in tech



helping refugees to get to the new
destination



Giving access to education to
all without money to pay for it.



Acceptance of all people
and embracing unique identities



community * love * connection

v-ron & j-wang



Try to stay naive.



HEARING EVERY VOICE



Canadians: One for all and all
for one!

Adele Muldoon



making a longer table

katie,tina, deanne



everyone is treated equally with
respect



love, respect, moral responsibility

acceptance, leadership

taras dzyubanskyi

taras dzyubanskyi

lviv, ukraine



acceptance without boundaries



promote human rights of ALL peo
people
Ileen, the Netherlands



Inclusion is equal oportunities
for extraordinary and vulnerable



make wise choices every day



inclusion and diversity means
we stop thinking abt these as
novel ideals. lets make it
inherent.



I am the bridge to inclusion



Life is too
short for
separation.



love

acceptance

understanding

unity

for everyone.everyone.everyone.



Inclusion is acceptance
not tolerance



You Be You, Me Be Me!



sudden equality



2017 pilot:

Citizen Apprenticeship tutor hub



you do you.

-emilia.



"diversity is Canada's
strength."

"La diversité est la force
du Canada."

-Justin Trudeau, Prime
Minister of Canada

-Alaa Alba



acceptance and comprehension
for everyoneL
Livia



inclusion is acceptance not

tolerance



Inclusion - genuine leadership
opportunities for all.

- Gracia Dyer Jalea



Freedom to pursue happiness.



respect,openness,empath y,love



respect openness and love 4 all



everybody's voices are
heard
helen arce terceros



Defining priorities for
a collective life.

-Rafael Heiber



where everyone belongs



Inclusion means accepting
others without any biases
and judgements

Gurjeet Srinivas



Mexico, New J ersey, Chile
London, all my places
spaces



Appreciate who we are



pe ace. for all.



Fundamental to being aCanadian



inclusion means everyone
and everything matters



Coming together as one BIG famil;



Welcoming and open.



left out? Draw a bigger circle!



Look at me as
I look at you



appreciating strength in
diversity



it is better together!!!
Kathy and Neasa :) ;)



human rights at the centre.



Respect, Fairness, being
Canadian



I'm deeper than my skin.



love

Heidi KARLA.



WE ARE ALL WORTHY OF
COMPASSION!

-Mehma



equal love.



equity over equality

natalie petra



SHARE YOUR LOVE LIKE THERE
IS ALWAYS ENOUGH



Fighting for equal rights for
all.

Sara & Mary



HUMANITY

REID GOODISON



re spect acceptance kindness

christine stewart



Incl

Inclusion means everything



sensitivity empathy love

bowling pizza

Leslie, Dani, and Camille

Leslie, Dani, and Camille



we are one
and all connected

rebecca sanderson



L.O.V.E.

[Handwritten signature in blue ink]



Loving our differences.



we are all treaty people

kait adams

msagethenate

akeesha



LOVE over hate

WE

not us vs. them

-Ahmed Shihab-Eldin



6 degrees separation//?

6 degrees inclusion!



listening

empathy

acceptance

make no assumptions



Sharing
Caring
no knuckle-bearing

Tarek, julie, april



you are more
than your body.



IT



inclusion - in constant
state of clusion.

-Peru



acceptance, love, respect
openness, wholeness, one heart

Caro Cloutier



Making everyone feel safe!



my dreams

accomplish



not being silenced

Love

making home

kaly

Navneet

bbecca



not hiding your past

or present

em



unity love equality acceptance

giizhibeginew



accepting everyone for their
unique differences

angel



being open

Rachel M.



Belief in oneanother.

-Kaitlynn Tomaselli



let your soul to except
and love

ksenia



A wealth of knowledge
shared by generations.

Lara Marjerrison



diversity culture
family friendship
solidarity unity



Being a global citizen.
Belonging.



we.



somewhere i belong, always
vanessa g



Every voice matters
EVERY VOICE COUNTS



GROWTH

Humber grads



expressions without feeling
judged
felicita o



To b e comfortable to be you



Feeling like co-architects
of our country!

andreas & joe



Unconditional

LOVE

&

Acceptance

-Madie, Christina



Respecting where you
come from;;



Love
Kindness Understanding.

*Evely



Truth, Beauty, Freedom,
Love...for everyone



Seeing and not seeing
together



together we can.

by alex daurizio



May our south

awaken

to its destruction of
indigineity.



to embrace your culture
and uniqueness



without you,

the puzzle would not

be complete...



. I am because you are.



Inclusion is a choice.

make it!



eliminating fear.promoting
safety.



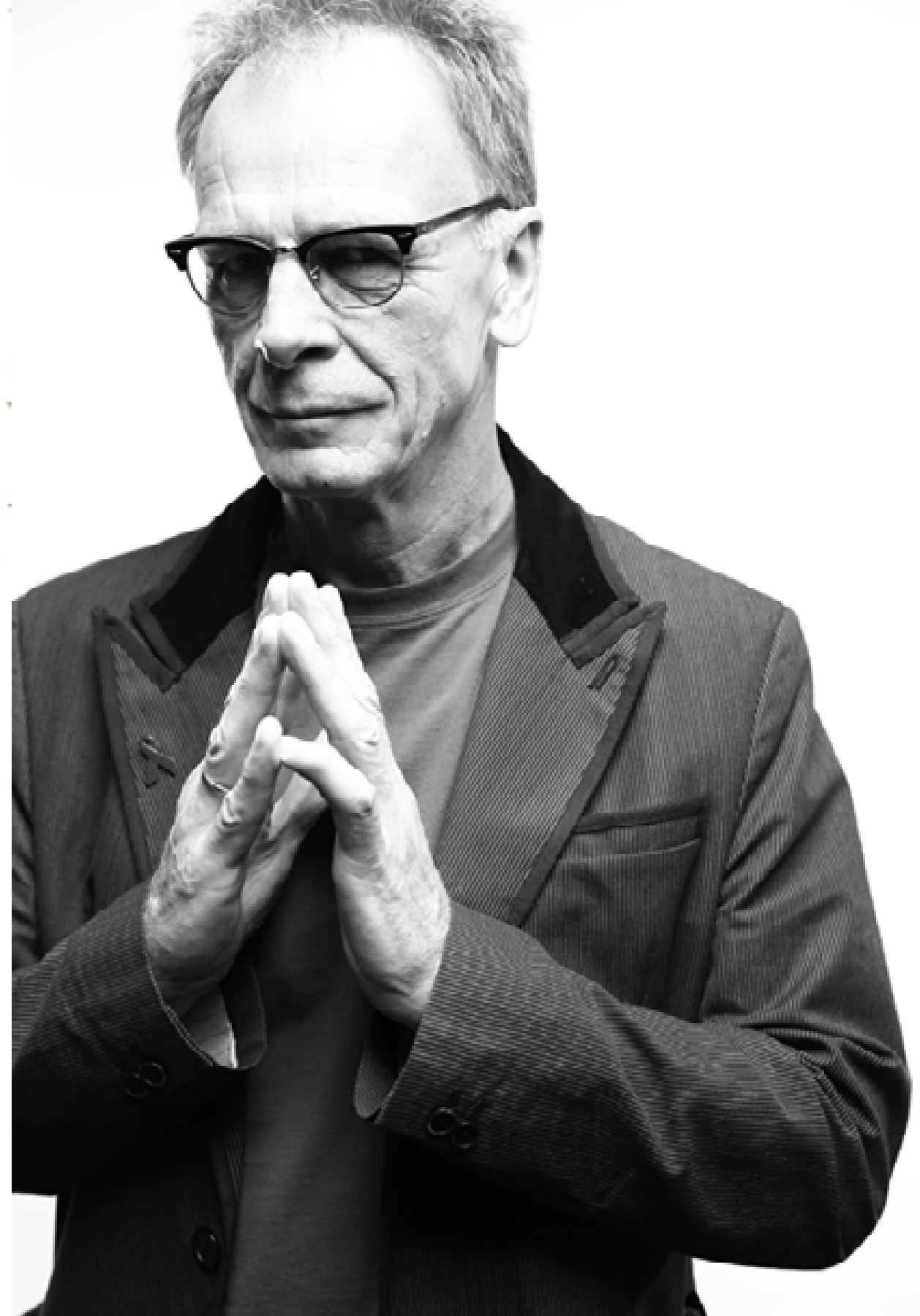
Holding Hands
Healing Hearts
Sharing Smiles



Inclusion means empathy,
equity, and justice.



Your weakness does not
provoke strenght!



Everyone is welcome and valued



Inclusion is Equality for all

Love is Love is Love...

Emma and Jennifer



The Tortoise * constantly adapt



Zero degrees of separation!



We all have five fingers;
not equal, but the same.

-Srini



In my world inclusion is is the
reflection on minority, women
a nd the disabled

Terry Sawh



Teamwork makes the dream work



There is only one tribe:

HUMAN!



....friendship



Proud of our heritage,
share it and pass it along.

Zulima Wesso
Colombia



diversity is creativity



home anywhere!!!!!!!!!!

casa en cualquier lugar!!!!!!

Jimena Romero
Ecuador



UNCONDITIONAL

LOVE

Ellen, Finland



having an equal seat at the table.

shiv and kumaran



Celebrate your whole self
everyday.



COMPASSION

Tria Urnom



being part of
the community



social and economic

justice

amy & ausma



All you need is love.

I love you.

2010.11.10
Jessica Truong



an equal chance to prosper

andreea crisan



To have ones actions and
words taken into account



All voices heard, none
drowned out.



inclusion means love for all

mary



it takes all kinds of kinds

-miranda lambert



inclusion means comfort
canada is home



Focus in on your Presence!



there's
a seat here
beside me



Respect for everything in th
the universe.



we are better together

Carolyn Lawrence



The Wind

Beneath Our Wings



a world of pure imagination and
love



you are you and youre beautiful

alanna



barrier-free

equality of opportunity

compassion



Unleashing
all
of
our
Potential!!!



Inclusion starts with
compassion & empathy.

-Isabelle



Equity and access for all.



inclusion is love and understand:

-ariane b



fromt the basemen t to 6 degrees
inclusion is ... hm...



namaste:spirit in me salute
spirit in you



no one left behind...

raymond enone



Loving people even if you
don't like them

- Right Honourable
Adrienne Clarkson

