University of Idaho’s Diversity and Inclusion Statement

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The University of Idaho acknowledges and supports the principle that everyone is a unique person who possesses diverse qualities and traits, and who interacts with diverse others within a larger inclusive civil society.

At its core, the University of Idaho embraces the complementary principles and behaviors of diversity and inclusion. We seek to protect and promote a respectful and civil learning environment for the discussion of the concepts and the development of practical skills associated with diversity and inclusion.

As a place of learning and training, the University adheres to the standards of ethical and civil diversity and of inclusive discourse and action within our classrooms, offices, hallways, student organizations, and gathering places.

The University community values people of diverse cultures, classes, races, ethnicities, sexes, gender identities, mental and/or physical abilities, citizenship, nationalities, sexual orientations, religious backgrounds, ages, epistemologies, academic disciplines, veteran status, life experiences, and identities. As a living document this list is intended to be additive as we become a more inclusive learning community.

The University community welcomes and respects all people.

This statement has been reviewed and is supported by the following:

Associated Students University of Idaho (ASUI)
Graduate and Professional Student Association (GPSA)
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President’s Diversity Council Steering Committee
Student Bar Association (SBA)

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