Hello NACADA Region 10 members, and welcome to our first newsletter brought to you by the NACADA Region 10 Diversity Committee!

As a committee, we’ve been reading Lily Zheng’s book, "DEI Deconstructed: Your No-Nonsense Guide to Doing the Work and Doing It Right," and I wanted to share a quote that I think is important for us to hear right now with all that is going on in our region:

"No matter who we are, our identities and our unique relationships with them give us valuable insights into the world. That’s a strength for all of us." (p.157)

Each one of us is a strength to our region and advising community. We hope you’ll join us for the 21-Day Challenge outlined in this newsletter and be change-makers, everyone in our own way! The 21-Day Racial Challenge is a great opportunity to observe Black History Month.

We have also been working on our mission, values, and goals for this committee and we look forward to sharing that with you all soon!

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