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Corp! magazine names CMI a "Diversity Champion"

Oakland University's **Center for Multicultural Initiatives** was recognized as one of just 12 Michigan "Diversity Champions" by Corp! magazine at this year's Salute to Diversity Award winners conference at the MGM Grand Detroit on September 10.

In all, Corp! recognized 54 Diversity-Focused Companies that clearly define and monitor diversity success and value. It spotlighted 14 Diversity Business Leaders as individuals who are diversity role models or top officers in minority-owned businesses. And, it highlighted 12 Diversity Champions made up of nonprofit or community organizations that create or promote special programming, education or other initiatives that focus on diversity.

"The Corp! magazine award as a Diversity Champion is an honor for our entire team," said Omar Brown-EI, program director. "The Center for Multicultural Initiatives was established more than 20 years ago to advance Oakland University's commitment to diversity. We remain committed to that vision today by developing strategies and programs that engage all students to attain academic excellence and social success."

Link to the Corp! magazine story featuring OU's CMI program:

<http://www.corpmagazine.com/human-resources/diversity-essential-corp-award-winners/>

Learn more about Oakland University's Center for Multicultural Initiatives at:

<http://www.oakland.edu/cmi/>



CMI's Diversity Champion Award from Corp! magazine



From left, student Jessica McCain, CMI Director Omar Brown-EI, student Myshia Liles-Moultrie and student Tasha Tinglan celebrate the 2015 Corp! magazine Diversity Champion award.

