In Solidarity We Rise: Healing, Opportunity and Justice for Girls

Core Principles

As an attendee of In Solidarity We Rise: Healing, Opportunity and Justice for Girls (In Solidarity), I support the In Solidarity Core Principles and will act consistent with them in order to contribute to the creation, maintenance and growth of an environment that feels safe and healthy, where everyone is valued and supported to authentically connect, strategize, create and share, side-by-side, across and within generations and communities.

As an attendee at In Solidarity I will:

- Honor the space as one of self-empowerment, discovery, challenge and encouragement, supporting each other to discover and live in our own power.
- Honor the lived experience of others.
- Interact with others using a positive, flexible and open attitude.
- Be compassionate, empathetic and nonjudgmental while recognizing that differences in the context of our lives matter.
- Build and protect a culture of trust, authenticity, confidentiality and transparency.
- Assume good intent and use direct communication when misunderstandings arise.
- Receive support willingly and give back graciously.
- Be introspective and recognize that my responsibility is not to rescue, control or fix anyone but myself.
- Speak only for myself and will not tolerate gossip.
- Respect others’ right to be self-empowered and to determine the direction of their own lives.
- Model relentlessly high expectations of myself, and others.

An adaptation of the BOLD Society Guidelines