

Ali Torbett



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Ali Torbett is an associate management consultant for Sector Projects in London. Before joining Sector, Ali worked in the third sector for a number of years, mentoring and advocating for young people. It was during these years that she developed a passion for challenging discrimination and championing the merits of diversity. Since joining Sector Projects, Ali has translated this passion into a fulfilling career in diversity training for the public sector through the innovative and fun Diversity Challenge. Ali is a PRINCE2 qualified project manager and holds a BA (Hons) in psychology.

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Christina Warner



An accomplished writer and journalist, Christina specialises in socio-legal and business topics; writing for both lifestyle magazines as well as legal journals. She has written for the likes of Lush Cosmetics' magazine, The Lush Times and HMV.com as well as winning a bursary to Brussels with The Financial Times. Christina takes pride in interpreting complex legal subject matter for a given audience -making it more accessible to the general public - be it through factual description or through humour (such as her published work on the effect the European Internal Market is having upon voting patterns in the Eurovision Song contest). In her spare time she writes charitable pieces on animal and women's rights and continues to write music reviews, and occasionally teaches Spanish. Christina lives with her husband and works for a law firm in South London.

Jo Burge



Jo lives in East London and works in legal publishing. A NCTJ trained journalist, she has written for The Official Guide to International Women's Month magazine for three enjoyable years. She has also had work published in Black Heritage Today, the black history month guide that comes out annually for October. Other publications she has written for include: The London Magazine, 69 Magazine, Rock & Roam, and Herald & Post.

Kate Griffiths



Hertfordshire-based Kate recently set up her own company, Coaching4fulfilment, following seven years as a management consultant for a large, blue-chip company. She is passionate about women's development, which led her to set up the first women's network in a UK corporate. As a coach, she attracts more female clients and one of her niches is maternity coaching, which is sometimes referred to as 'return to work' coaching. Maternity coaching can cover issues such as the transition from corporate world to motherhood and getting back in the saddle. Married with two girls under three Kate is particularly interested in working with women who are considering whether to continue in their current career, or do something completely different but don't know what.