

Darla Wilkerson Chief Executive Officer Center for Disability Inclusion

Darla is the Chief Executive Officer at the Center for Disability Inclusion, where she drives the vision, direction and overall success of the organization. She presents the mission of CDI and message of disability inclusion in the workplace through focused consultation and training with business partners and other organizations. She has over 37 years of expertise consulting with business and people with disabilities to enhance disability inclusion. Darla has addressed national and international audiences and has provided training to thousands of corporate, government and non-profit organizations.

She identifies as a person with a disability since acquiring a brain injury in 2006. She understands the challenges that many face when obtaining and maintaining employment.

She graduated from the University of Missouri-Kansas City with a master's degree in public administration with a non-profit emphasis. Darla has served on many national and statewide boards focusing on increased employment for people with disabilities.