

# Important Categories of Diversity for Higher Education

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See: <http://www.tltgroup.org/BHW/Collections/Examples/BHWs/Diversity/Categories/Plan.htm>

## Beginning: Two Questions

**1. What categories first come to mind when you think about "diversity" in higher education?**

**2. After those categories that first occurred to you, in what other important ways do students, faculty, administrators, staff (*et al.*) differ from each other?**

Are there other categories of difference among people that we should be giving more attention in higher education? Why?

*[Are there, perhaps, categories of diversity we might address effectively with educational uses of information technology?]*

- In what important ways can **students** differ from each other?
- In what important ways can **faculty members** differ from each other?
- In what important ways can **administrators** differ from each other?
- In what important ways can **staff members** differ from each other?
- In what important ways can **anyone** differ from each other?

*In what important ways can information technology help/hinder our responses to these differences?*

**Our Challenge: Identify differences among people in higher education that we can and should do something about - especially through educational uses of information technology.**

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