

Diversity and Inclusion Heroes Awards – Nominees

Programme or Campaign of the Year – Sponsored by Toyota Manufacturing UK

- Al Mu'Minun (The Believers)
- Bradford College
- Hartlepool College of Further Education
- Institution of Engineering and Technology (IET)
- Kids Planet Day Nurseries
- Leonard Cheshire
- Royal Air Force - Diversity Allies
- Siemens
- Vodafone
- Weston College

Network of the Year – Sponsored by Air Products

- Accenture
- Acorn Training Ltd
- Evenfields Careers
- HS2
- Kettering General Hospital NHS Foundation Trust
- LM (Laing O'Rourke and J. Murphy & Sons Ltd joint venture)
- SKY
- Sodexo
- South Eastern Regional College (SERC)
- Uptree

Role Model Award – Sponsored by Festo

- Mohammed Azeem – Bradford College
- Haroon Bashir – Halesowen College
- Rebecca Cackett - CGI
- Kim Diep - Trainline
- Judith Evans – Cardiff University
- Gareth Fallows – Acorn Training Ltd
- Neelima Fernandes – Deutsche Bank

- Anna Hart - Leonardo
- Michelle Hickland – South Eastern Regional College (SERC)
- Kavita Kalaichelvan – Cleo AI
- Lenka Kaur – Bradford College
- Susan Livermore – Dumfries and Galloway College
- Fiona McGarry – Make UK
- Isa Mutlib – BAME Apprenticeship Alliance
- Denise Myers – The Careers Coach and Evenfields Careers Ltd
- Jennifer Naccarato - Siemens
- Dr Paul Phillips – Weston College
- David Robson - Leonardo
- Maysoon Shafiq – Al Mu'Minun (The Believers)
- Tracey Smith - T A Smith Investments
- Adeayo Sotayo - Brunel University London
- Hazel Thorpe – Intellectual Property Office
- Fareeha Usman – Being Woman
- Puja Varsani – Middlesex University
- Humie Webbe – National Training Federation for Wales

Rising Star Award – Sponsored by NCFE

- Haider Ali – Rolls Royce PLC
- Sam Bone - Leonardo
- Carmel Britto – LPF Kiddies Club CIC
- Kiera Byland – Special Olympics
- Anna Hart - Leonardo
- Sadaqat Hussain – Cushman and Wakefield
- Sudhuf Khan – Cardiff and Vale College
- Samah Rafiq - Coca-Cola European Partners
- Julia Rucinska – Bradford College
- Narveer Toor - BBC
- Charlotte Walton – North Warwickshire and South Leicestershire College

Competition Diversity Champion Award – Sponsored by Coca-Cola European Partners

- Chantelle Deek – Cardiff and Vale College
- Colin Galley – New College Durham
- Sandie Griffiths – British Floristry Association
- Richard Hutchins – The Institute of the Motor Industry
- Lucas Roders – North Notts College
- Cathryn Williams – Gower College Swansea