Supplier Spotlight: Back to Sleep

Thread from Pride Month events: Just listen to get your “back to sleep” with ease!

This year Pride celebrations were not just celebrations of the past, but celebrations of the present and the future. “It’s not just about the past, it’s about the present and the future,” said Susan D’Addario, CEO of nglccNY. “It’s about celebrating who we are and who we want to be.”

Our week-long events, such as Stonewall 50 and the launch of WorldPride, were incredible, exhilarating, and energizing. But as we move forward, it’s time to rest and recharge. That’s where Back to Sleep comes in.

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Joann Prinzivalli, a legal, financial, and business strategist, is a trailblazer in her field. Her story is one of resilience, determination, and innovation.

When Joann came out as transgender, she faced discrimination and challenges in the workplace. But she refused to give up and continued to push forward. Today, she serves as Chief Underwriting Counsel for a major title insurance company, and she also serves as a board member for the National Gay & Lesbian Chamber of Commerce.

Joann’s journey is an inspiration to us all, and she continues to be a role model for other LGBTQ+ individuals in the workplace.

What Pride Means To Our Founders

18 years later, NGLCC is larger than ever. Pride is about “Giving LGBT people a sense of belonging, worth, and visibility,” said Justin Nelson, President and Co-Founder of NGLCC. “It is an opportunity to celebrate who I am as a person and the communities to which I belong.” We discussed the importance of business allyship and inclusion, and the need for sustaining engagement all year long.

The Phluid Project in the Global Spotlight

Human rights and activism is at the center of what we do.

The Phluid Project, a gender-neutral clothing brand, is a testament to incorporating human rights standards into a business model, and The Phluid Project leads on its commitment to sustainability and ethical manufacturing.

Launched in March 2018, this gender-neutral clothing brand, and NGLCC certified company, The Phluid Project, is a “brand, a movement, a community and platform based on activism, executed through the lens of fashion, and committed to challenging the status quo.”

The Phluid Project is just one example of how NGLCC certified companies are leading the way in sustainable and ethical business practices.

4 Recommendations for LGBT Allies in the Business World

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There are a multitude of ways to be an LGBT business ally. From working alongside LGBT individuals in the workforce to purchasing from LGBT owned businesses, being an ally in the business world is important! These recommendations will give you some pointers on how to support the LGBT folks in your own communities.

Economic and social visibility go hand-in-hand as we march toward equality...