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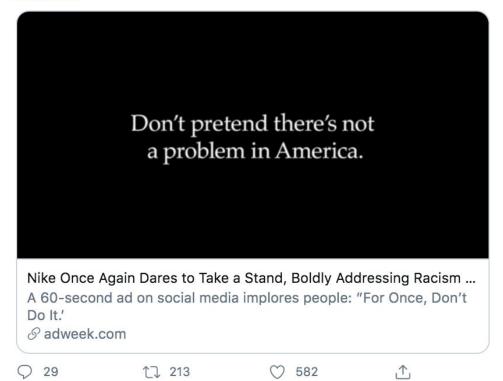
#### Welcome to a Culture of Accountability



Cindy Gallop ② @cindygallop · May 30

Hey @Nike, 'Don't pretend there's not a problem in America.' Not one Black person on your executive leadership team:

about.nike.com/pages/executiv... for a company that's made billions out of Black sports people and consumers. Change THAT. @zanger @adweek





leigh.elion I worked at Anthro for 5 years in two different stores. The "Nick" code name definitely exists (in one store it was "Nick" or "Connie," as in con artist). I don't recall being expressly told to profile Black shoppers, but rather to watch out for anyone who is "not our typical customer." The racial implications of that are clear as day, and it made many employees deeply uncomfortable

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ivananguyenn why're all your employees saying your company and brand in multiple location have nicknames for poc



# Beyond Surface Measures and Lip Service: Three Mandates

1) Mutually empowering relationships are key for sustainable growth, and require fair compensation.

2) Privilege is often invisible to those who hold it and glaring to those who don't, and must be engaged through an intersectional and self-reflexive approach.

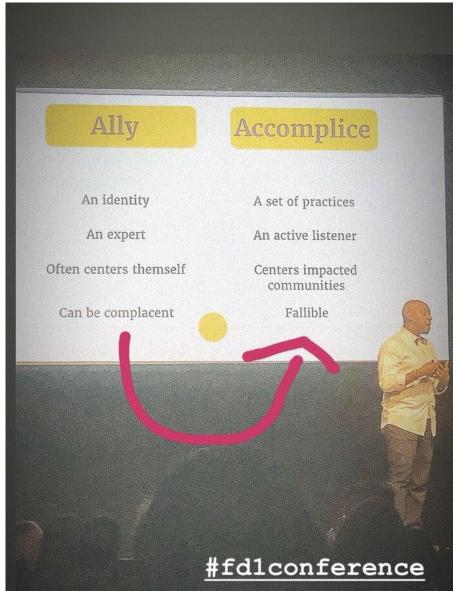
3) Communities of purpose are the natural context of work, and when we recognize that, we begin to be led by values, rather than convenient slogans or hollow numbers.

# #TalkPay





### From Ally to Accomplice



- Radical humility
- An ability to listen without deflecting, minimizing, or using defensive reasoning

Skin in the game



### The Shift from Workplace to a Community of Purpose

"My research and practice indicates that people need to be doing work they love and to love the work they do. They need to feel that their efforts matter for the people and causes about which they really care. Further, they need to be doing work with people they respect and enjoy. Finally, they need to feel free to choose where, when and how it all gets done. It's not easy to put these conditions in place, but it is certainly possible to do so."

-Stewart Friedman



"Moral purity isn't possible. Progress is."

-Jameela Jamil



