



Brightwheel

Locations: California (HQ)

Industries: Software and Services



RISK LEVEL:

DESCRIPTION:

Brightwheel does not yield to political activism in shaping corporate governance, preventing initiatives that potentially alienate consumers, divide employees, and harm shareholders. The company elevates merit, excellence, and integrity ahead of race and identity-based policies. Brightwheel does not embrace corporate initiatives that redirect its central focus from business goals to partisan policies and divisive issues. This approach protects free exercise, free speech, and free enterprise.

Corporate Weaponization

Charitable giving (including employee matching programs) policies or practices discriminate against charitable organizations based on views or religious beliefs.

Lower Risk

Brightwheel does not discriminate against charitable organizations based on views or beliefs (1).

Employment policies fail to protect against viewpoint or other discrimination and/or are ideological in nature.

Medium Risk

Brightwheel does not provide viewpoint protections for its employees (1).

Corporate Governance and Public Policy

Uses corporate reputation to support causes, organizations, or policies hostile to freedom of expression.

Brightwheel has published anti-bias curriculum suggestions for young children. This curriculum is intended to instruct children not to treat one another unfairly based gender identity and sexual orientation (1). The goals of this training center around identity, diversity, justice, and activism. Brightwheel has also written blog posts about promoting DEI and addressing unconscious bias within childhood education (2)(3). Brightwheel also promotes celebrating LGBTQ Pride Month with children through teaching them the history of the LGBTQ movement and engaging in Pride Month activities like reading LGBTQ children's books and "celebrating their own uniqueness" (4).



Uses corporate funds to advance ideological causes, organizations, or policies hostile to freedom Lower Risk of expression.

Brightwheel has not used corporate funds to advance ideological causes, organizations, or policies (1).

Uses corporate political actions and/or financial contributions for ideological, non-business purposes.

N/A

Brightwheel does not operate a PAC or engage in lobbying at this time (1)(2)(3).

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