

Refugees & Immigrants Support and Empowerment Affinity Group for King County Employees



WE WELCOME YOU!

- RISE is an Employee Resource Group (ERG) for King County employees who self-identify as foreign-born, immigrants, including naturalized citizens, permanent residents, and twilight-status immigrants.



- RISE aims to connect King County employees from diverse countries, languages, and cultures across departments, divisions, and sections.
- Create a space for King County immigrant and refugee (I&R) employees to express their authentic selves, feel supported, and belong in celebrating their cultural richness.

- Increase I&R employees' visibility within the King County employee community, raise awareness in fostering an equitable and respectful environment for all King County employees.
- Ensuring I&R employees have equitable opportunities to thrive in the workplace, including equitable recruitment, retention, professional development, and career advancement opportunities.



RISE plans to host hybrid meetings (with people attending either in-person or remotely) once a month.

If you have questions about RISE or would like to receive emails about upcoming meetings, please email us at rise@kingcounty.gov.

We look forward to seeing you!