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# 2025 SRCD SOGIE Pride Month Spotlights

June is **Pride Month**, and we are excited to highlight some of our amazing members of the **SRCD SOGIE Caucus**.

Throughout the month of June, we have the honor of highlighting the incredible contributions and advocacy



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LGBTQ+ Pride Month is celebrated in June to honor the 1969 Stonewall riots and works to achieve equal justice and equal opportunity for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and questioning (LGBTQ) Americans. The Stonewall uprising marked the beginning of a movement to outlaw discriminatory laws and practices against LGBTQ+ Americans.

We invite you to read the spotlights below to learn more about these prominent members of the SRCD SOGIE Caucus and the impact they have on the community.

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Established in 2019, the **Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity/Expression (SOGIE) Caucus** is comprised of scholars and researchers committed to SOGIE research and supporting the development and well-being of sexual and gender minority (SGM) populations and researchers. Read more about the SOGIE Caucus and how to get involved.

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