### McKinsey & Co - Why diversity matters. A Report

https://www.mckinsey.com/~/media/mckinsey/business %20functions/organization/our%20insights/why%20diversity%20matters/diversity %20matters.ashx

#### Womens' Business Council

# Balance the System - How to increase gender diversity to accelerate business growth

https://www.womensbusinesscouncil.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2018/07/STEM Brochure Interactive Spreads.pdf

#### Men as Change Agents

https://www.womensbusinesscouncil.co.uk/maca/

https://www.womensbusinesscouncil.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/MACA\_Achieving\_gender\_balance\_in\_business\_leadership\_and\_closing\_the\_gender\_pay\_gap\_April\_2018.pdf

### **Returners: A Toolkit for Employers**

https://www.womensbusinesscouncil.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2018/03/toolkit-Women-in-businessv.7.pdf

#### **Returner Programmes: Best Practice Guidance for Employers**

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attach ment\_data/file/685064/Returner\_Programmes\_-Best Practice Guidance for Employers.pdf

# The Pipeline Effect - A toolkit for enabling gender parity beyond middle management

https://www.womensbusinesscouncil.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2017/08/GEO-The-Pipeline-Effect-Report-REV-2.pdf

#### **Parents**

**Shared Parental Leave** 

Eligible employees have a statutory entitlement to shared parental leave and pay if they are expecting a baby or if they have a child placed with them for adoption.

https://www.gov.uk/shared-parental-leave-and-pay-employer-guide

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment\_data/file/417505/bis-14-1329-Employers-technical-guide-to-shared-parental-leave-and-pay-1.pdf

#### Flexible Working

**Timewise** use the term 'flexible working' to cover any kind of job that offers flexibility in where, when or in how much time the work is done. They believe that flexible roles should be quality, permanent ones which benefit employers and employees alike. So we don't include zero hours or temping contracts.

https://timewise.co.uk/

**Working Families** have developed Happy to Talk Flexible Working as a practical strapline for advertising your commitment to flexible working

https://www.workingfamilies.org.uk/campaigns/happy-to-talk-flexible-working/

## **Disability Confident**

The Disability Confident scheme supports employers to make the most of the talents disabled people can bring to your workplace.

https://disabilityconfident.campaign.gov.uk/