## Kori Carew

## Chief Inclusion & Diversity Officer, Seyfarth Shaw LLP



**Kori Carew** is a community builder, attorney, womanist, and social justice advocate who generates awareness and understanding of critical human issues by creating the space and climate for open dialogue that is meaningful, enables people to expand their perspective, and drives positive change. Her TEDx, "Just Belonging" focused on creating belonging and interrupting bias with grace and truth. Carew brings an incisive voice, unapologetic questioning of the status quo, and a lifelong

fascination of human potential to empowering women and marginalized people, creating belonging and improving inclusion.

Carew currently serves as the Chief Inclusion and Diversity Officer of the global law firm Seyfarth Shaw LLP leading the firm's inclusion and diversity across it's 16 offices. Prior to joining Seyfarth, Carew served as the director of Strategic Diversity Initiatives of an AmLaw 100 law firm, leading all efforts related to the firm's primary diversity and inclusion drivers of excellence, education, and equity across 12 offices. Liaising with key stakeholders to recruit, develop, engage, and advance attorneys from diverse backgrounds, the firm won over 40 awards recognizing its leadership in diversity and inclusion under her leadership. She took an innovative and proactive approach to tackling diversity and inclusion by embracing talent management, inclusive leadership development, and assessing and interrupting systems.

She is a nationally sought-after speaker on diversity, inclusion and belonging, inclusive leadership, talent engagement, and development topics. Carew's drive toward redefining the circle of belonging and restoring authenticity fuels her work in the marketplace as well as in her community. She is wife to Gary and mother to Riley and Samarah.

