I have just been engaged by DNV to create a database of diverse suppliers, with a focus on Black and Latino consultants, and women consultants across race. DNV has a newly launched US-based clean energy team, and the program manager is strongly committed to supporting consultants from underrepresented identities across the following services:

- analytics
- data science
- economic analysis
- utility program support
- strategic planning
- grant writing
- stakeholder engagement

This search is across 17 states: CA, CT, MI, VA, MA, NY, RI, WA, NJ, TN, CO, MN, PA, MD, DC, IL and DE.

At my urging, this database is NOT limited to businesses that have achieved XBE certification (recognizing it's a big hurdle and excludes newer businesses). They will need to provide information (address, contact info, etc.) and verify they are operative, providing these services, and it is expected that folks will not misrepresent their identity in order to be listed.

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