

CONTENTS

Foreword by Gerard Quinn page xi

Preface xiii

Acknowledgments xvii

1 Introduction 1

PART 1: SOCIAL INCLUSION AND DISABILITY

2 Historical Roots and Conceptualising Disability 9

3 Social Exclusion and Social Inclusion 33

4 Media and Disability, Disability Culture, and
Digital Divide 55

**PART 2: STRATEGIES TO PROMOTE SOCIAL
INCLUSION**

5 Social Strategies to Promote Social Inclusion: Social
Protection and Social Capital 81

6 National Disability Rights: Instruments and Measures to
Promote Social Inclusion 103

7 The Convention on the Rights of Persons with
Disabilities: A Comprehensive Instrument to Promote
Social Inclusion 126

8	Strategies for Changing Media Stereotypes and Bridging Digital Divides	149
9	Closing Remarks	176
	Index	183