



WOMEN TO WOMEN

NEWSLETTER



Promoting the networking of women who work in the short-term insurance industry in Gauteng, South Africa.

READY TO THRIVE?

Don't miss [GWII's highly anticipated networking event](#) with the dynamic **Rich Mulholland** as he unpacks how to stay **relentlessly relevant** and **thrive in uncertainty**.

Date: 27 March 2025

Venue: The Milk Bar Parkmore

Speaker: Rich Mulholland

Support a Cause: Your R100 entry fee goes to The Murphy Cat Project. Bring along pet food, blankets, or toys for extra impact!

Secure your spot and get ready for **inspiring insights and bold perspectives!**

(Full event details below - click to RSVP 🖱️)



Vibe & Venture: Lawn Bowls

On 13 February 2025, Gauteng Women in Insurance (GWII) members came together for an exciting afternoon at the Vibe & Venture Lawn Bowls event, held at the picturesque Randburg Bowls Club in Boskruin. With no prior experience required, attendees arrived eager to learn, connect, and enjoy some friendly competition ...

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Innovative approaches to counter challenges in the loss adjusting industry

The loss adjusting industry plays a vital role in helping individuals and businesses recover from unforeseen events such as disasters, accidents, and other insurance-related claims. However, this industry faces various challenges that can hinder efficient and effective service delivery. At Sedgwick South Africa we aim to explore the innovative approaches and strategies employed to counter these challenges and ensure the smooth functioning of the loss adjusting industry. One of the primary challenges faced by the loss adjusting industry is...

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Tailored support for women entrepreneurs will raise SA's job creation and economic growth prospects

South African women are exiting their businesses at a higher rate than they are starting and running businesses indicating they need more support in growing start-ups to the established stage of more than 3.5 years... [Read more](#)

Lessons from the investment habits of high net worth women

Global investment house FlexShares conducted an Executive Investors survey of primary household breadwinners, which found that high-net-worth (HNW) men and women defy



traditional gender stereotypes when it comes to their investments and appetite for taking risks... [Read more](#)



SA'S working women more at risk of toxic stress

Unique challenges faced by women in the workplace and their greater share of juggling work and household responsibilities raise their risk of toxic stress, with negative impacts on both their productivity and the organisation's performance. Women and men not only respond differently to stress, but more women are reporting... [Read more](#)

Workplace hostility and how to cope

Workplace hostility, often described as harassment, is a severe issue in companies worldwide. Specific forms of workplace harassment are illegal. If you have been the subject of any kind of unlawful workplace harassment, an experienced sexual harassment attorney or other types of harassment attorney will assist you... [Read more](#)



What should all women know about their thyroid?

Women are five to eight times more likely than men to develop thyroid disease, according to statistics, and one in every eight women will develop a thyroid disorder during their lifetime. It is not scientifically known why women are so vulnerable to thyroid disease, though it is suspected that the development of thyroid disease is linked to autoimmunity which is more commonly found in women than men... [Read more](#)

Legal talk: Do you employ a domestic worker? Know your rights and responsibilities?

Labour rights are a sensitive issue in South Africa today. Both employers and employees need to be aware of their obligations and responsibilities under the law in this regard to avoid ending up on the wrong side of it... [Read more](#)



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UPCOMING EVENTS

CPD Session

12 March

	<h2>Continuous Professional Development Session</h2> <p>Gauteng Women in Insurance invites you to a Continuous Professional Development session, accredited by the Insurance Institute of South Africa, per the fit and proper requirements in the Financial Advisory and Intermediary Services Act 37 of 2002.</p> <p>CREATE, INSPIRE AND LEAD</p>	
<h1>TOPIC: Cybercrime – Self Defence</h1> <p>A practical guide to protecting yourself in the digital age</p>		<p>CRAIG ROSEWARNE is the MD of Wolfpack Information Risk - a specialist firm established in 2011 that assists countries, companies & communities to defend against cyber threats. The Wolfpack Community team also actively provide pro bono awareness resources and assistance to victims of cybercrime or harassment.</p> <p>He is an author, instructor, keynote presenter & provides regular opinion pieces via TV, radio and print/online media.</p> <p>Craig has 20+ years management experience in the fields of cybersecurity, privacy & resilience. He has provided oversight on 650+ projects in this domain.</p>
<p>CPD HOURS: Accredited for 1 FAIS CPD hour</p>	<p>DATE: WEDNESDAY 12 MARCH 2025 Time: 10:00 – 11:00 Platform: ZOOM</p>	
<p>RSVP: Click here to register now!</p>		
<p>SPONSORED BY</p>  <p>EMERALD AFRICA</p>	<p>CPD powered by</p>  <p>iISA The Insurance Institute of South Africa</p>	

Networking Event

27 March

RELENTLESS RELEVANCE

HOW MOST INDIVIDUALS

Thrive

GAUTENG WOMEN IN INSURANCE
IN THE FACE
OF UNCERTAINTY

27 MARCH 2025
10am – 3pm

Venue:
The Milk Bar Parkmore
(George Lea Park (Sandton Sports Club))

Dress Code:
Office attire

Entrance Fee:
The entrance fee is R100 which will be donated to our
nominated charity The Murphy Cat Project.

Snapscan & Yoco will be available.

If you can, we also ask that you bring along any dog or
cat food as a donation. Blankets or toys for pets also welcome



Speaker
**RICH
MULHOLLAND**

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Leaderwalk 1

08 May

MANAGING CHAOS AND ORDER



GWII LEADERWALK
SERIES PRESENTS



MANAGING CHAOS AND ORDER - This talk analyses the pros and cons of chaotic and ordered environments. We discuss the difference between managing external factors vs. our internal decisions. By exploring how these states impact our lives, we aim to develop strategies for effectively understanding and managing chaos and order and using these states as catalysts for growth.

ABOUT THE LEADERWALK CONCEPT

The Leaderwalk has been created by Business Engage to nurture the development of aspiring leaders and to help them unlock their future potential. This is done during an event that will encourage meaningful engagement and dialogue.

EVENT 8 MAY 2025

VENUE: The Venue Green Park, 3 Lower Road, Cnr, W Rd S, Morningside, Sandton

AGENDA

- 08:00 - 09:00 Registration and breakfast
- 09:00 - 09:05 Welcome & housekeeping
- 09:10 - 09:50 Keynote address and activities
- 09:50 - 10:00 Q&A
- 10:05 - 10:45 Breakaway session
- 10:45 - 11:00 Session feedback
- 11:00 Closing and thank you

RSVP admin@gwii.co.za



MEET HUNTLEY SMITH - CHANGE ARCHITECT

Huntley Smith offers a distinctive and dynamic blend of expertise. He is an experienced management consultant and performance enhancement coach who also holds a Brazilian jiu-jitsu black belt (widely regarded as one of the most challenging to achieve).

In addition, he is a pioneer in the field of psychophysioergonomics.

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Trailblazers Leaderwalk 1

10 April

CPD 2

20 May

Vibe & Venture 2 - Golf Masterclass

11 June

CPD 3

25 June

2025 GWII MEMBERSHIP

The GWII membership for 2025 is R420. Should you wish to pay the membership fee of R420, our account details are as follows:

Account Name: G W I I Group NPC

Banker: FNB

Account No: 62436595691

Account Type: Current Account

Branch Name: Client Resolution Centre

Branch Code: 260231

Please use your name AND your cell number as a reference.

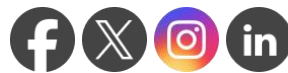
If your company is willing to pay for your membership please contact admin@gwii.co.za for an invoice to be made out to your company.

We will need:

- Company name;
- PO Box address; and
- VAT no if there is one.

BENEFITS OF BELONGING

- Belong to a dynamic, professional insurance industry association that promotes the personal and professional growth of women;
- Share your knowledge and expertise with industry peers and fellow members;
- Participate and build connections through networking at industry events;
- Cultivate professional self-confidence and personal friendships;
- Learn through speakers, workshops and articles designed to broaden your knowledge, enhance your position and meet professional needs; and
- Give back to the communities that we serve through our charity initiatives at our events.



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