



# WOMEN TO WOMEN

NEWSLETTER



**WHERE WOMEN CONNECT, LEAD, AND INSPIRE**

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



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**The GWII Membership for 2026 is now open.**

**The Membership fee for 2026 remains the same and is R420.**

**SEE DETAILS BELOW**



**Tech, AI and why business resilience demands a rethink of insurance**

Few technologies have dominated the C-suite debate and boardroom discussions as much as the substantial, tangible productivity improvements brought by Artificial Intelligence (AI). The enthusiasm is understandable: productivity gains are real, and the possibilities seem endless. However, from Fiona Oakley-Smith's perspective as Chief Information Officer at Sasria SOC Limited, every technological advancement brings... [Read more](#)

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### **CPD Session – Stolen Goods, Standard Terms and Serious Court Drama**

On 1 October 2025, Gauteng Women in Insurance (GWII) hosted a highly engaging Continuous Professional Development (CPD) session on the topic of *Stolen Goods, Standard Terms and Serious Court Drama – a Mock Trial*. Proudly sponsored by Leppard and Webber Wentzel in alliance with Linklaters, the event offered attendees a dynamic learning experience that combined legal insight with practical guidance for insurance and legal professionals. Caroline Theodosiou and the Webber Wentzel insurance team led the audience through a mock trial based on the Constitutional Court judgment in *Fujitsu Services Core (Pty) Limited v Schenker South Africa (Pty) Limited [2023] JOL 59836 (CC)*. This case involved Fujitsu, an importer, seller and distributor of laptops, computers and accessories... [Read more](#)



### **Leaderwalk - Change, Continuity and Circumstance: The Chronicles of a Corporate Athlete**

On 21 October, GWII hosted another insightful Leaderwalk session, themed “Change, Continuity and Circumstance: The Chronicles of a Corporate Athlete”, at Norton Rose Fulbright in Sandton. The keynote was delivered by LeRoy Munetsi, Executive accountable for Business Operations at Absa Insurance, who shared his leadership journey and explored the risks and opportunities that accompany corporate... [Read more](#)

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## A terrific day on the greens – GWII Ladies’ Golf Day 2025

On 23 October 2025, the Gauteng Women in Insurance (GWII) hosted another spectacular Ladies’ Golf Day at the prestigious Steyn City Golf Club. The event brought together women from across the insurance industry for a day filled with fun, networking, and a touch of healthy competition. Played over 18 holes, the day offered perfect golfing weather and a beautiful course that kept spirits high from the first swing... [Read more](#)



## GWII hosts Women’s Health and Financial Well-Being Breakfast

GWII hosted its Women’s Health and Financial Well-being Breakfast on 30 October, an empowering morning dedicated to women’s health, resilience, and financial security. The agenda featured leading medical and industry experts... [Read more](#)

## Retirement savings: realising the power of women’s financial independence

South African women are remarkable. They are holding down demanding jobs, providing for their families, and taking on the responsibility of caregiving for children and elderly relatives - all while facing systemic inequalities such as the 30% wage gap and single parenthood. Despite these challenges... [Read more](#)



## How to prioritize at work when everything is a top priority

Consistent, sustainable productivity is all about priority setting. Prioritization is a soft skill that can literally affect your success at every level. Without honing prioritization skills, the only thing you can really count on is... [Read more](#)

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## Legal Talk: Bullying and the Law

Bullying is unwanted, aggressive behavior among school aged children that involves a real or perceived power imbalance. The behavior is repeated, or has the potential to be repeated, over time. Bullying includes physical attacks, purposeful alienation, spreading false rumours, verbal abuse and... [Read more](#)



SAVE  
THE DATE

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### UPCOMING EVENTS

**CPD 6**

**05 November**



## Continuous Professional Development Session

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.

### CREATE, INSPIRE AND LEAD

## TOPIC:

The Role of Digital Evidence in Legal Proceedings – From discovery to court, how digital evidence is gathered, preserved, and used

**CPD HOURS:**  
Accredited for  
1 FAIS CPD hour

**DATE: WEDNESDAY 5 NOVEMBER 2025**

**Time: 10:00 – 11:00**

**PLATFORM: ZOOM**

**RSVP:** [Click here to register now!](#) Limited seats available

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**PROF DANNY MYBURGH** is a trailblazer in South Africa's digital forensic and cybersecurity landscape, with over two decades of leadership in cybercrime investigation, forensic technology, and strategic innovation. He currently serves as Associate Professor of Practice at North-West University, holding both a Master of Commerce in Forensic Accounting and a BCom Honours in Information Systems—each awarded with distinction.

## Networking Event 4 (Year-End)

**13 November**

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Join us at the

# Secret Garden

**THURSDAY | 13 | NOV**

**THE MILK BAR PARKMORE (GEORGE LEA PARK - SANDTON SPORTS CLUB)**

**TIME: 18:00 - 21:30**

### Dress code

Garden style – think floral, happy, and fabulous. Pastels, florals, soft fabrics and statement accessories welcome.

**RSVP: 31 October**

[admin@gwii.co.za](mailto:admin@gwii.co.za)

**Charity Entrance Fee: R100**

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**GWII Summer Cup**

**7 February 2026**



**GAUTENG WOMEN IN INSURANCE  
PRESENTS**

**SUMMER  
CUP**

February 7, 11h30 - 18h00  
Turfontein Racecourse

Price: R15,000 per table (10 pax)  
Includes: 3 Course Lunch, Drinks,  
Betting Vouchers

Dress Code: Smart - "A Day at the Races"

Table booking: [admin@gwii.co.za](mailto:admin@gwii.co.za)



**2026 GWII MEMBERSHIP**

The GWII membership for 2026 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.

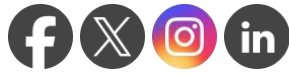
If your company is willing to pay for your membership please contact [admin@gwii.co.za](mailto:admin@gwii.co.za) for an invoice to be made out to your company.

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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