



# MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

JUNE 2025



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## Introduction

June was a month of momentum, impact, and meaningful engagement at the Institute.

From professional development courses to industry networking events, we remained committed to empowering the insurance community through knowledge and collaboration. In this issue, we highlight the key moments that made June exceptional.

# Investment Fundamentals for Pension Trustees Course

June was an action-packed month for us, filled with valuable learning experiences and meaningful connections! We were thrilled to host a dynamic short course on Investment Fundamentals for Pension Trustees at the stunning Cresta Oasis on June 4th.

Our esteemed facilitator, Barbara Musariri, brought her expertise to the table, guiding over 11 dedicated delegates through the intricacies of investment strategies and best practices. The energy in the room was palpable, and we were impressed by the active participation and engagement from all attendees.

A huge thank you to the industry for their continued support! Your trust in us fuels our passion for delivering high-quality training and resources. We're already looking forward to the next exciting opportunity to learn and grow together!



# A Milestone Achieved: Institute's Inaugural Short Course in Maputo

The institute is thrilled to have successfully hosted its inaugural short course in Maputo, a testament to our growing influence and reach. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to the Maputo industry for their invaluable support, which played a pivotal role in making this event a resounding success.

With an impressive turnout of over 79 attendees, the short course demonstrated the institute's ability to bring together professionals and experts from diverse backgrounds to share knowledge and best practices. The overwhelming response is a clear indication of the institute's expanding footprint and its commitment to delivering high-quality training and resources to a wider audience.

This achievement marks a significant milestone in the institute's journey, and we look forward to building on this momentum to deliver more impactful events and programs in the region. We appreciate the trust and support of our partners and attendees, and we are excited to continue working together to achieve our goals.



# Empowering Knowledge Across Borders: Online Webinar Success

We're delighted to announce the resounding success of our online webinar, expertly facilitated by Judy Jones and powered by Fidelity Life Assurance. This engaging session drew an impressive audience of over 231 delegates from multiple countries, including Botswana and Lesotho, showcasing the institute's ability to transcend geographical boundaries and reach a diverse group of professionals. The webinar's broad appeal and participation underscore the institute's commitment to delivering high-quality, accessible learning opportunities that cater to the needs of a global audience. We're deeply grateful to Fidelity Life Assurance Company for their generous sponsorship, which played a pivotal role in making this event possible.

This achievement highlights the institute's capacity to leverage technology and partnerships to drive knowledge sharing and skill development across regions. We're thankful for the enthusiasm and support of our attendees and look forward to continuing to provide valuable learning experiences that meet the evolving needs of professionals worldwide.

The graphic features a portrait of Judy Jones on the right. On the left, there is a blue banner with white and yellow text. Above the banner are the logos for the Insurance Institute Zimbabwe and Fidelity Life Assurance of Zimbabwe. A QR code is positioned to the right of the banner. Below the banner, event details are provided, including a calendar icon, the date and time, and a location pin icon. Judy Jones's name and title are written in a white script font on a dark blue background, with her role as the facilitator noted below.

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**Insurance Business Etiquette Webinar (free)**

26 June 2025, 1400hrs - 1600hrs

Online

*Judy Jones*  
Managing Consultant  
at Ulendo Human Capital Consultancy

FACILITATOR

# Teeing Off for a Cause: IIZ Annual Fundraising Golf Tournament

In June, the Insurance Institute of Zimbabwe (IIZ) held its annual fundraising golf tournament at Chapman Golf Club, attracting over 35 teams.

The event showcased strong industry support and unity, with special appreciation extended to the players and sponsors who made it a success. IIZ values the opportunity to bring the industry together for a meaningful cause and looks forward to future engagements.





The IIZ Golf Day 2025 was a phenomenal success and it wouldn't have been possible without the unwavering support of our valued sponsors.

From the first swing to the final putt, your partnership made this experience truly unforgettable. Your commitment to excellence continues to elevate the insurance industry and create spaces where connection, celebration, and growth thrive.

We appreciate you and we look forward to even greater things ahead!



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*Save The Date*  
**6-9 August 2025**

Caribbea Bay Resort, Kariba

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**Early Bird Reg Deadline: 9 May**

**Normal Registration**

**\$1100**

**\$1200 Members**

**\$1250 Non Members**

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**18 – 21 November 2025**

Elephant Hills Resort, Victoria Falls

### Exciting Activities include:

Thoughtful Discussions on Insurance, Presentations from Industry Experts, Networking  
Bungee Jumping, Boat Cruises, Helicopter Rides, Game Drive, Golf and more...

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# Introduction to Actuarial Science for Risk Management, Pricing, and Strategic Growth in Non-Life Insurance Entities Short Course

Join us for an insightful short course on Introduction to Actuarial Science for Risk Management, Pricing, and Strategic Growth in Non-Life Insurance Entities.

Designed for professionals across the insurance value chain, this session will equip you with practical actuarial tools and knowledge to drive innovation, pricing accuracy, and data-informed decision-making. Happening on Friday, 25 July 2025, at Cresta Oasis, facilitated by Tafadzwa Chiduzwa. Don't miss out!

## Introduction to Actuarial Science for Risk Management, Pricing, and Strategic Growth in Non-Life Insurance Entities

### Course Objectives

- Gain an understanding of core actuarial principles as applied in non-life insurance.
- Learn how actuarial science informs pricing and risk management.
- Understand the role of actuaries in supporting strategic business decisions.
- Be introduced to pricing techniques for various general insurance lines.
- Understand how actuarial insights can drive sustainable growth and product innovation.

### Target Group

- Underwriters and Claims Managers
- Product Development and Pricing Teams
- Risk and Compliance Officers Finance and Actuarial Analysts
- Insurance Executives and Business Development Officers
- Young Professionals or Students

### Topics

- Fundamentals of Actuarial Science in Non-Life Insurance
- Actuarial Pricing of General Insurance Products
- Product Development and Innovation in Non-Life
- Actuarial Insights for Strategic Decision-Making
- Technology, Data, and Future Trends

**\$90** IIZ  
Members

**\$100** Non IIZ  
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with  
**Tafadzwa Chiduzwa**  
Facilitator



**FRI. 25 JULY 2025**  
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# Investment Fundamentals for Pension Trustees

The Countdown Is On – Catch Us Across Zimbabwe!

- 14 Days to Go – Masvingo (18 July)
- 7 Days to Go – Mutare (11 July)
- 21 Days to Go – Bulawayo (25 July)

The Investment Fundamentals for Pension Trustees workshop is coming to your city! For just \$150, this one-day training equips pension trustees, HR, and finance professionals with key insights into capital markets, fund management, and performance evaluation — and you earn 6 CPD points!



In conjunction with:



## Investment Fundamentals for Pension Trustees

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### Course Outline

- Capital market structures
- Security types used in fund asset management
- Types of investors and investment managers
- Investment manager selection
- Performance evaluation

### Target Audience

- Pension fund trustees
- Pension plan administrators
- Investment managers/advisors working with pension funds
- Finance professionals working in the pensions industry
- HR professionals involved in pension plan management
- Small business owners/managers who offer pension plans

### Course Objectives

- Familiarize participants with capital markets and the securities traded with the capital markets
- Ensure participants awareness of different investment needs for different types of pension and provident funds
- Help participants in selecting service providers for the management of the assets of pension and provident funds
- Help participants in setting the investment and risk objectives of pension and provident funds
- Understand the critical aspects of performance evaluation for the funds investment managers.



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# 2025 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

	DATE	EVENT / ACTIVITY	VENUE
MARCH	4-7	Insurance Industry C-Suite Leadership Retreat	Sun City
	14	Annual Graduation	Rainbow Towers Hotel
APRIL	7-17	1st Exam Session	
	22-26	Zimbabwe International Trade Fair (ZITF)	Bulawayo
MAY	7	Market Activation and Golf Tournament	Botswana
	16	Fellowship Luncheon	TBA
JUNE	27	Annual Golf Tournament	Chapman Golf Course
	28	Insurance Awareness Day (Career Guidance Day)	TBA
JULY	11	Regional Graduation and Golf Tournament 1	Maputo
	19	Sporting Weekend	Bulawayo
	25	Regional Graduation and Golf Tournament 1	Swaziland
AUG	7	IIZ Winter School	Caribbea Bay Resort
SEP	26	Regional Graduation and Golf Tournament 2	Lesotho
OCT	7-18	2nd Exam Session	
NOV	18-21	IIZ Annual Conference	Victoria Falls
DEC	12	Annual Dinner & Awards	Rainbow Towers Hotel

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# Conclusion

As we wrap up the month of June, we reflect with pride on the strides we've made together as an Institute and as an industry. From impactful short courses and high-level training sessions to a successful fundraising golf tournament, June was a testament to our collective commitment to continuous learning, collaboration, and growth.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to all facilitators, delegates, partners, and sponsors who made these initiatives possible. Your support continues to fuel our mission of driving professional excellence in insurance.

Here's to more meaningful engagements in the months ahead, let's keep pushing the boundaries of knowledge and impact!



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