

WOMEN IN SURETY

VISION: Empower and inspire women in surety

MISSION: Provide a network for professional development and connection with business associates in the surety industry



2018 Quarterly Newsletter



GREETINGS!

With 2017 behind us, 2018 firmly underway and roughly five more weeks of winter, we wanted to reach out and update you with some of the activities for this year:

- The Mentorship Program is firmly underway with 14 Mentor/Mentee pairs. This program will run for six months through July 2018, with the next group participating the second half of the year. Information and updates to follow from the *Mentoring Committee*.
- **SAVE THE DATE** - mark your calendars for Friday, March 16, 2018 for a hosted "Lunch & Learn"; details to follow this week.
- Upcoming industry events/seminars that may be of interest:
 1. Risk and Insurance Management Society (RIMS) - Annual Conference April 15, 2018, San Antonio, TX <https://www.rims.org/RIMS2018/Exhibitor/Pages/Home.aspx>
 2. National Association of Surety Bond Producers (NASBP) - Annual Meeting April 29, 2018, Scottsdale, AZ <http://www.nasbp.org/events/upcomingevents>
 3. Insurance Industry Charitable Foundation (IICF) - Women in Insurance Northeast Conference June 7, 2018, New York, NY <http://womensconference.iicf.org/northeast.html>
 4. NASBP - 2018 Summer Surety School - Level I and Level II - July 29, 2018,

West Palm Beach, FL <http://www.nasbp.org/learn/learn-suretyschool>

- Lastly, we are approaching our one year anniversary of the group being established. We are looking for 1-2 additional members who would like to participate on the following committees: *Communications*, *Education* and *Mentoring*. If you would like to help shape and expand the group, please reach out to our email address below within the next two weeks. Based on the responses, the respective committee chairs will reach out. The committee lists will then be updated and shared with the group.

Not only do we look forward to seeing you at upcoming events, we look forward to further interactive dialogue throughout the year. Specifically, we will be looking to the group for topics we can discuss, event ideas, and feedback on how the group can accomplish more.

Sincerely,

The Executive Committee
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