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Finalists announced for 2015 New Zealand Insurance Industry Awards

The Australian and New Zealand Institute of Insurance and Finance (ANZIIF) is pleased to announce the finalists of the 2015 New Zealand Insurance Industry Awards.

The Awards, which are now in their fourth year, recognise excellence and achievement by the top performing individuals and businesses in the industry.

“The New Zealand Insurance Industry Awards are an opportunity to reflect on and celebrate what is great about New Zealand insurance: the sense of community, the commitment to excellence and the many successes that has enabled it to become a true global leader. This year’s Awards recognise the highest achievers in the industry, but they also work to celebrate and highlight the contribution that those in insurance make to the community,” said Prue Willsford, CEO, ANZIIF.

The finalists for each category are:

Small/Medium Broker of the Year

New Zealand Financial Brokers Limited
Runacres & Associates Ltd

Large Broker of the Year

Rothbury Insurance Brokers
Willis New Zealand Limited

Direct General Insurance Company of the Year

AA Insurance Limited
FMG
State Insurance
Tower Insurance

Intermediated Insurance Company of the Year

NZI
Vero

Life Insurance Company of the Year

Asteron Life
Cigna Life Insurance
Partners Life

Professional Services Firm of the Year

DLA Piper
Duncan Cotterill
Finity

Service Provider of the Year

Construction Cost Consultants
JB Hi-Fi Solutions for Insurance
Smith&Smith

Young Insurance Professional of the Year

Shannon O'Brien, ACE Insurance Limited
Adam Rudland, Cigna Life Insurance
Joseph Neilson, NZI

Women's Employer of the Year

AMP
ANZ
Asteron Life
Cunningham Lindsey

The Awards will be held in Auckland on Thursday, 5 November 2015.

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Established in 1884, ANZIIF has more than 15,000 members in over 50 countries. With offices in Australia, New Zealand and China, our mission is to lead, engage and support the industry through education, thought leadership, community initiatives and the promotion of professional standards. Through our activities, we aim to help members to achieve their career and corporate aspirations and to contribute to the success of the insurance and financial services industry.