



The 2014 IFC Power Women Top 2000

he popularity of the IFC Power Woman Top 100 list in 2013 encouraged us to bump it up a notch. This year we are honouring 200 of the most powerful women in government, private wealth, private client advisory and philanthropy across the international financial centres (IFCs).

Listed alphabetically by jurisdiction and name, the list has been compiled from a

number of sources. Part of the research was generated by last year's list and the 2013 edition of the Citywealth Leaders List. This was combined with recommendations from leading figures in the financial service industry.

The list focuses on influencers as well as professionals and celebrates powerful women from diverse backgrounds. It recognises women of

achievement who are opinion formers, helping to promote business excellence in their home jurisdiction and consolidating the reputations of the financial services industry globally. We would like to thank those of you who contributed to the research and are inviting you to take a look at our 2014 IFC Power Women Top 200.

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BAHAMAS

Aliya Allen

CEO at Bahamas Financial Services Board

Michela E. Barnett-Ellis

Associate at Graham Thompson

Tanya Hanna

Partner at Graham Thompson

Glenys Hanna Martin

Minister of Transport and Aviation, Government of the Bahamas

Pamela Klonaris

Consultant Attorney, Delaney Partners

The Hon. Allyson Maynard Gibson

Attorney General, Minister Legal Affairs, Government of the Bahamas

Shira Newbold

Director, Client Services, Intertrust

Judith A. Whitehead

Managing Partner, Graham Thompson

BARBADOS

Tara Frater



Associate Attorney-at-Law, Lex Caribbean

"I have found Ms. Frater to be diligent, industrious and thorough.

She exudes passion for every endeavour she is involved in and shows a keen interest in achieving quality results."

BELGIUM

Saskia Lust



Partner, Loyens & Loeff

Stephanie Markey

Attorney at Law/Associate, Loyens & Loeff

Simone Nudelholc

Partner, Liedekerke Wolters Waelbroeck Kirkpatrick

BERMUDA

Angela Burchall

Senior Trust Officer, HSBC Private Bank

Helen Cooper

Partner, Private Client and Trust, Conyers Dill & Pearman

"Her work and judgement have always been first rate."

Linda Longworth

Managing Director, Hamilton Trust Company



Vanessa Schrum

Local Practice Group Head of the Private Client & Trust Team/Partner at Appleby

"She consistently meets our deadlines, with her advice she is exceptionally client friendly. She is an adviser who makes you look good with your clients, even when the subject matter at hand can be technically complex and a bit dry."

Diane Stirling

Senior Trust Officer, HSBC Private Bank

Michelle Wolfe

Managing Director, Meritus

"Her ability to bring people together, her willingness to hold very frank, honest conversations with the client and her passion for everything she does."

BV

Monique Adams

Head of Private Client, Harneys

Gwenyth D Vanterpool

Director, Harneys

Arabella di Lorio

Managing Partner, Maples and Calder

Elise Donovan
Executive Director, BVI
International Finance Centre

Sheila George Head of Private Client, Harneys

Valerie Georges-Thomas Senior Associate, Bedell Group

Vanessa King

Partner & Head, Corporate & Commerical Dept, O'Neal Webster

Rachael McDonald Partner, Mourant Ozannes

"Rachael is an extremely highly rated corporate lawyer in the British Virgin Islands. She is always responsive, commercial and professional in her dealings with clients and intermediaries."

Sharon Mungall



Associate (Corporate and Finance), Carey Olsen

"Sharon is bright and very focussed on the commerciality of a transaction. She also has excellent communication skills."



Cora S. Miller Counsel, Conyers Dill & Pearman



Willa Tavernier
Partner, O'Neal Webster

"Willa is knowledgeable, takes her clients instructions seriously and advises on complex issues in a clear, concise manner."

Sanchia Thompson

Managing Director, ATU General

Trust (BVI) Ltd

CAYMAN ISLANDS

Fiona BarrieChief Operating Officer, Elian





Monique Bhullar Senior Counsel, Global Trusts Group, Walkers Global

"Having worked for several years with a major Trust Company she is able to see both sides, and reacts in a way that is proper from a legal point of view."

Tamara CorbinPartner, Rawlinson & Hunter



Andrea Dunsby Partner, Turners

"Working with Andrea is a breath of fresh air – she has a way of putting the lay client at ease and explaining in a clear, understandable way. She is bright, personable & accessible and very importantly gets things done!"

Jackie E Stirling Senior Resident Officer/Vice President, Bessemer Trust Co

Lana FarringtonDirector, Barclays Private Bank & Trust



Leticia FrederickDeputy Head, Fiduciary Services
Division, Cayman Island Monetary
Authority

Louise GroomPartner, Harneys



Wendy LeeSenior Associate (corporate & commercial), Harneys Westwood & Reigels

"Wendy Lee is a true thought leader, possessing that rare combination of intellectual and emotional intelligence. She harnesses her outstanding knowledge of corporate law to provide critical valuable insights on behalf of her clients."



Morven McMillan
Partner and Head of International

Trusts & Private Client, Mourant Ozannes

"Morven is the best in the business. What she does is exceptional and she is a huge resource on the trust side."



Ingrid PierceGlobal Managing Partner, Walkers
Global

"She has a huge amount of experience and great judgement, and is creative in the solutions that she comes up with."



Alyson Reilly

Senior Manager, KRyS Global "Alyson is a bright and passionate leader in the offshore insolvency field, and has combined her legal expertise and insolvency skills to uniquely deliver results and value to complicated situations and disputes."

Emma Santiago Senior Manager, Rawlinson & Hunter



Sheena ThompsonRegional Head of Operational
Risk, RBC Wealth Management

Ruth Yates Senior Analyst, Cayman Islands Monetary Authority

CYPRUS

Amalia ErotokritosPartner, TP Law

Stella Kammitsi Partner, Chryssafinis & Polyviou

Natasha Michaelides Communications Director, Thanos Hotels



Liza Loucaides- TheophanousLawyer , L. LoucaidesTheophanous LLC



Emily Yiolitis
Managing Partner, Harneys

Maria Zevedeous Founder/Director/CEO, Aspen Trust

DUBAI

Leonie Kerswill Partner, PWC LLP



Kerri LefebvreDirector and Head of Office,
Conyers Dill & Pearman Ltd.

"Kerri has in-depth legal knowledge of the main offshore jurisdictions, she is highly responsive and quick to identify and address the main issues on a deal."

GIBRA<u>LTAR</u>

Cecilia Bravo
Associate, Hassans

Cecile Gomez Associate, Triay & Triay



Helen GammonsDirector and Relationship
Manager, UBP

Joanne WildAssociate, Cruz & Co

Christina Wright Associate, Cruz & Co

GUERNSEY



Angela CalnanGroup Partner, Fiduciary, Collas
Crill

"She is a very talented, able and dedicated lawyer with a practical and efficient approach that commends itself to her many clients, and her particular understanding of and connections in the Middle East are also much



valued in the firm."

Julia ChurchDirector, Intertrust

Shauna ClaphamDirector, Swoffers Limited

Karen ClealDirector and Company Secretary,
Opus Private



Andréa Daley Taylor Director, Trust Coporation International

"In our business reliability is key and Andie's dedication to getting things done right and on time is admirable and is a great advert for her and the firm."



Elaine GrayOf Counsel, Carey Olsen



Helen GreenDirector, Saffery Champness

"Helen is extremely user-friendly in her approach, offering clear and concise practical advice. She provides ready support at all times and is very accessible."

Ciara GurneyDirector, Aquitaine Trust

Lesley Hodgson Senior Director, Northern Trust

Jaqueline HunterSenior Trust Manager, Nerine
Trust

Mandy Langmead Director, RBC Wealth Management



Karen Le Cras
Partner and Head of Litigation,
Carey Olsen

"The sensible and clear-thinking Karen Le Cras divides her time between commercial and trusts litigation and is said to have a bright future ahead of her."



Fiona Le Poidevin CEO, Guernsey Finance

Fiona will be Chief Executive at the Channel Islands Securities Exchange (CISE) effective December 2014

Jane LeMaitre
Director, Intertrust



Alison MacKrill Senior Associate, Carey Olsen

Jessica Morris
Director, Carey Trustees Limited



Alison OzannePartner and Head of Dispute
Resolution, AO Hall

"She is thorough, decisive and knowledgeable, providing good guidance and insight to us as client's of what to expect and likely outcomes of various strategies to be employed."



Lindsay OzannePrivate Client Director, RBC
Wealth Management



Alison ParryExecutive Director, Butterfield
Trust

"Alison is an excellent trustee. She is extremely knowledgeable and goes to great lengths to understand the clients objectives."



Samantha Renouf Head of Risk and Operations, Butterfield Trust

"She has the force of personality, mastery of her brief, quickness of mind and sheer charm that gets her and her clients to where they need to go and in a very efficient manner."



Emma Roberts
Managing Director, Rothschild
Trust

"Emma is extremely dedicated, very client focussed and committed to delivering the highest levels of service at all times – and a joy to work with."

Haidée Stephens Managing Director, Louvre Fiduciary Group Limited

Sanna-Liisa ValtanenDirector, Asset Risk Consulting



Lisa ViziaDirector, Saffery Champness

"I have found Ms. Vizia to be diligent, knowledgeable, hard working, loyal and good at her iob."

Sally WilkinsonManaging Director, Harbour
Trustees

HONG KONG



Katie Graves
Parther, Wealth Planning, Withers
LLP



Mimi Hutton
Of Counsel, Withers LLP

"She is one of the leading International Estate Planners in Hong Kong. She practises with the utmost integrity. She has warm approach to clients who are often squeamish about dealing with such issues."



Melanie IsonDirector, Nerine

"Her technical competence is excellent; however, more importantly her ability to hold a clients hand and steer them through issues which can be extremely complex is first class."

Jaqueline Loh Senior Director, HSBC Trustee (Hong Kong) Ltd

Silvia OnRegistered Foreign Lawyer, Stephenson Harwood



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INDIA

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Director, Altamount Capital
Management



Soumya RajanFounding Partner & Managing
Director, Waterfield Advisors

Pallavi Shroff
Head of Dispute Resolution and
Competition Law, Amarchand &
Mangaldas & Suresh A Shroff &
Co

ISLE OF MAN

Sheila DeanManaging Director, Equiom Trust

"Dean sets the standards where others follow."



Katherine EllisBusiness Development Director,
Boston Group Ltd.

"She has an energy and enthusiasm which is infectious and has built a reputation for client services and bespoke solutions which helps to make the Isle of Man a real centre of excellence for yacht and aircraft administration."



Annemarie HughesDirector and Head of Trusts and
Private Client, Dougherty Quinn
Advocates



Fiona MooreClient Service Manager, Moore
Stephens Trust Company Limited

"Fiona is an inspiration not only to the Moore Stephens Isle of Man team but also the wider fiduciary services industry for what she has achieved at such a relatively young age."

Chantal PallotClient Accountant (Pensions),
Fedelta



Ruth RobinsonDirector, Boston Family Office
Management Ltd

"Her breadth of expertise is impressive and combined with a deep understanding of the family's businesses and interests she has led an innovative office which has prospered through the economic cycle."

ISRAEL

Shira Shine

Senior Partner. Head of Private Client, Michael Shine & Partners

"Shira is a very efficient, knowledgeable lawyer. She manages an excellent team in her office and together they've given and produced valuable proposals, leading to positive results."



Head of Department, BDO Israel

Daphna Talgam

Partner, Gornitzky & Co



Cora Binchy





Gillian Arthur

Director, Sanne Philanthropic Foundation



Farah Ballands

Partner and Global Head of Fiduciary & Administration Services, Appleby



Head of Fiduciary, Stonehage Trust Holdings



Louise Bracken-Smith

Managing Director, Fairway Group Ltd

Bracken-Smith is a true trail blazer."

Christine Brown

Director, LGT Trustees



Barbara Corbett

Advocate. Partner and Head of Family Law, Hanson Renouf

"Having personally worked with Barbara, I have found her approach to be wonderfully refreshing. She understands and knows her law and has the ability to communicate this very effectively to her clients."

Julie Coward

Chairman, First Names Group

Emma Dantec

Director, UBS Trustees (Jersey) Ltd

"Emma is an energetic and inspirational leader, well organised and respected by everyone within the industry."

Felicia de Latt

Partner, Mourant Ozannes



Elizabeth Dulake

Director, Minerva Trust



Sally EdwardsPartner, Ogier Legal

"She is always willing to make time to see people at short notice and her turn around times are second to none. I would say she is the guru of the Jersey trust world."



Helen Gale
Partner, Deloitte LLP

Emily Haithwaite Partner, Bedell

Sarah HannaExecutive Trust Director, Kleinwort
Benson



Saffron HarropManaging Director, JTC Group

"Saffron has a wealth of experience, excellent leadership skills and is truly committed to the industry. These, along with her exceptional people skills, have enabled her to achieve successful partnerships and deliver a firstclass service to our clients."



Helen HattonManaging Director, Sator
Regulatory Consulting Ltd

"Helen is an experienced regulator with a broad range of experience on financial sector regulatory and compliance issues, risk management, and financial crime."



Zillah HowardPartner, International Private
Client Group, Bedell Cristin

"She demonstrates a rare and crucial ability to combine legislative insight with individual client and market needs. These qualities, combined with her impressive efficiency, have helped establish her as an indispensable and influential member of a number of key jurisdictional working groups."

Sarajane Kempster Private Client Director, RBC Wealth Management

Liz Le Poidevin

Private Client Director, RBC Wealth Management

Joanne Luce

Managing Director, Aqua Group

Rosemary Marr

Senior Trust Professional, Nedgroup Trust

"She is a very powerful and wellrespected figure in the trust and UHNW world. She has vast experience in this arena and her technical ability is excellent."

Alicia McGinney

Head of Private Family Office, MP Family Office

Sarah Mullins

Director, Aqua Group

Helen Munns

Managing Director, STM Fiduciare

Helen Ollivro

Director, UBS AG

Helen always maintains a positive outlook, resolving any issues that arise and taking the business forward."

Kathryn Purkis

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Isabel Robins
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Lisa SpringatePartner, Bedell Cristin

"She is a good lawyer with a very good balanced commercial approach and excellent client skills. She is very easy to work with."

Liz TaylorPrivate Client Director, RBC
Wealth Management



Heather TibboDirector, Family Office Services,
Crestbridge

Charlotte Valeur
Independent Non Executive
Director, NTR Plc



Julia WarranderFounder & Investment Director,
Affinity Private Wealth

"She is a pleasure to work with. She is very experienced in her field, dedicated, pro-active and both astute and pragmatic."



Fiona WhiteheadTrust Director and Head of New
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LUXEMBOURG



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Geraldine NoelManaging Partner, Acumum Legal
Group

"Geraldine is very experienced in legal issues that have an international aspect and her knowledge spans a number of jurisdictions."



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CEO, Sphere Management

PANAMA

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SINGAPORE

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Adjunct Professor of Finance, Singapore Management University



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Director, Trust Services, Vistra

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Joint Managing Director, TSMP Law Corporation

SWITZERLAND



Kecia BarkawiCEO and Founder, VALUEworks
AG

"Kecia is a truly world-class advisor, unfailingly providing technically sound, wise and prescient counsel. Her work ethic is exceptional and her attitude is uplifting"

Cécile Berger MeyerPartner, Head of Real Estate,
Lenz & Staehelin

Olga BoltenkoPartner, Withers Worldwide



Maria Canals de Cediel Head Wealth Advisory, Managing Director, Quilvest

"She has shown herself to be very professional, reliable and knowledgeable."

Silbilla Cretti
Partner Owner, SGC Avocat



Nicole Curti
Partner, Head of Switzerland and
Group Chief Operatng Officer,
Stanhope Capital

Ann DaverioExecutive Director, Banque Heritage

Diane de GalardDirector, Saga Investments

Caroline Deletra
Counsel, Lenz & Staehelin



Belinda FerréExecutive Director, Team Head & Senior Relationship Manager,
Bank J. Safra Sarasin Ltd

Olivia FurterAssociate, Schellenberg Wittmer

Claudia GigerPrivate Banker, Cazenove Capital
Management (Schroders)



Patricia Guerra
Partner and Head of Private
Clients, Meyerlustenberger
Lachenal Attorneys at Law

"One of the most important women in wealth."

Judith InghamPartner, Withers LLP



Tanja JeggerHead of Philanthropy, Stonehage

Justine Markovitz
Managing Director, Withers LLP



Stella Mitchell-VoisinManaging Director, Summit Trust
International

"Stella makes complexity look like simplicity."



Sandra Nanni Finance Director, Summit Trust International

Dr. Claudia Sieber Peyer Senior Relationship Manager, Bank Vontobel

Sabine Simkhovitch-Dreyfus

Partner, Cabinet Mayor

Nathalie SutterPartner, Executive Committee, Kendris

Catriona Syed Partner, Charles Russell LLP, Geneva/London

"She is an outstanding tax, trust and art lawyer as well as an exceptional counselor. She is smart, mature, wise and very practical."



Clare Usher-Wilson Director, Summit Trust International

"Usher-Wilson is the up and coming generation arrived early."



Tina Wüstermann Partner, Bär & Karrer

"Extremely bright, articulate and personable."

Marie-Noelle Zen-Ruffinen
Of Counsel, Tavernier Tschanz

Joelle Zumoffen-FruteroPartner, Cabinet Mayor



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Gala evening: 22 January 2015



itywalth is delighted to announce its awards programme to champion women in the wealth sector and highlight the female leaders of today and tomorrow. The awards spotlight individuals and companies who support care giving responsibilities, female leadership, and celebrate diversity.

Globally, women hold approximately one in five senior management roles, and fewer than one in ten businesses have a female CEO; of Financial Times top 500 companies, women represent 1.8% of CEOs and hold 10 % of board seats.

By working together and inclusively we can do so much more. Therefore, the Power Women Awards 2015 will both recognise individuals and companies who maximise the potential of women in wealth, and will also create a platform for best practice to collectively exercise positive social influence on the sector.

For more information contact Carmen Young cyoung@citywealthmag.com Tel: (0) 20 7487 5858

Power Women Summit

Citywealth's first Power Women Summit, 22-23 January 2015, 10am to 4pm, City Grange, St Pauls, London Businesswomen around the world all hold part of the puzzle we are trying to solve. Citywealth is just one platform of opinion and seeks collaboration to help move this topic forward. Many of you have had different experiences, some wonderful, some difficult.

Citywealth seeks to collaborate and share your information with the wealth market in a two-day event which will take place on 22nd and 23rd January 2015 in London.

The first Power Women Summit, the event will look at the concept of sponsorship and the skills senior women and women under their care will need to succeed. This will include leading advice from professors at the LSE and dynamic key note speakers.

The event is opened to senior wealth managers and advisors and also senior women in international financial centres, all with 15 plus years in the industry, in more diverse careers but who are connected to the wealth sector.

If you'd like more information contact Tzvetelina Petkova tpetkova@citywealthmag.com Tel: (0)20 7487 5858

Power Women Lunch

Citywealth's second Power Women Lunch, Monday 26 January 2015 12.00-15.00 Grange City Hotel, London

12.00-12.30: Welcome drinks networking 12.30-14.30: Lunch – 2 Key note

speakers + special guest panel + questions 14.30 -15.00: Coffee Networking

Individual ticket £325 + vat or £3,000 + vat for a table of 10, Front of room position

The ticket/s include(s) a complimentary copy of Citywealth Power Women Report, an in-depth research on women in wealth management and international financial centres prepared earlier this spring with help from Dr Alexandra Beauregard of the LSE. The research involved 153 female participants representing 123 firms across the UK, Jersey, Guernsey, Switzerland, the Caribbean and Bermuda.

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Power woman of Sudan

oming from a poor country, with no education and not a lot of money is difficult. But what if it's a life or death situation? Fayza, a Sudanese mother of five children gave birth to twins who were conjoined at the hip and chest. She only found out when they were born, and to have a chance to keep them both alive and go through therapy, the entire family moved from Sudan to London.

Fayza went to the hospital almost every day for years to give the twins the necessary care, both survived and now are graduates from university. Fayza's daughter, Mona was inspired by her childhood experience and this was the basis for her wanting to become a paediatrician. A dream she fulfilled herself, she started out at a public school in a poorer London neighborhood and eventually graduated from Imperial College. Fayza continues to be a driving force and 'COO' of her wider family – a true power woman.

Education is key for contributing to a country's development and Baer Karrer are supporting a charity project of the development of an elementary school opening in Omdurman, Sudan. This means that children who come from very poor families will be able to attend school by subsidising their school fees. All donations are invested in the schools and Baer Karrer promise that every donor will receive a hand-made Mr. Monkey, made by volunteers who want to help the charity project.

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Fayza with her daughter Mona and her newly born granddaughter Nina



Fayza with her sons, Hassan and Hussein, at their graduation in England

For more information about the project, please visit http://hassaneinschool.com/ and http://mrmonkey.ch/

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