

CIBA Namibia 2026 Conference

Rules Are Shifting. Power Is Moving. Master the Rules.
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3-Day Event Experience

Golf Day | Main Conference
Practical Workshops



Date: 4 - 6 June 2026



Windhoek, Namibia
Windhoek Country Club Resort



Format: In-person Conference



Full-day CPD event



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A Message from the CEO

The rules are changing. Across Namibia and globally, regulation is evolving, capital is moving faster, and technology is changing how financial decisions are made. For accountants and finance professionals, this changes the role of the profession. You are no longer only responsible for reporting and compliance. Increasingly, you sit at the centre of decisions that determine whether businesses grow, investments happen, and organisations remain credible. The quality of financial judgment now matters more than ever.

“We are no longer only reporting the numbers. We are helping shape the decisions that drive investment, growth, and economic confidence.”

This conference focuses on one outcome: economic growth through stronger financial leadership. At the CIBA Namibia 2026 Conference, we will examine how the profession must adapt to a world where regulation evolves, technology accelerates decisions, and governance expectations continue to rise.

Through discussions on regulation, governance, technology, and professional judgment, we will explore how finance professionals can operate with credibility and authority in environments where the rules are still evolving. When finance professionals master the rules and drive sound decisions, they do more than manage compliance. They create the conditions for investment, stability, and long-term economic growth.



Nicolaas van Wyk
CEO, CIBA



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Event Introduction

Namibia's economy is changing from energy discoveries, infrastructure investment, financial sector reform. Regulatory shifts are accelerating economic activity across the country. The CIBA Namibia 2026 Conference is built around that reality. Over three days, regulators, business leaders, and finance professionals will explore how the profession must evolve as capital moves faster, governance expectations increase, and financial decisions carry greater economic consequences. The event is structured to deliver both strategic insight, practical tools and growth for your business.

Day 1 – Golf & Business Networking Day

A relaxed environment where members, partners, regulators, and business leaders build professional relationships before the conference begins.

Day 2 – Main Conference

A full day of discussions on regulation, governance, technology, and financial leadership in fast-changing economic environments with a spit braai dinner networking event.

Day 3 – Practical Workshops

Hands-on sessions that provide tools, frameworks, and insights you can apply directly in your practice or organisation.

Across these three days, the focus remains the same:

Helping finance professionals operate with confidence, authority, and credibility when the rules are shifting and the decisions they make increasingly shape business growth and economic outcomes.

Event Highlights

The End of Safe Compliance

Why waiting for perfect regulatory clarity can destroy value, and how professionals make defensible decisions under uncertainty.

Namibia at a Crossroads: Capital, Control & Consequence

How energy investment, infrastructure development, and economic reform are changing the governance role of finance professionals.

Regulation in a Changing Environment

Practical insight from regulators on evolving expectations and how to make responsible decisions when guidance is still developing.

AI and the Future of Financial Decision-Making

How artificial intelligence is changing financial analysis, reporting, and risk management, and why professional judgment matters more than ever.

From Technical Expert to Boardroom Authority

How finance professionals translate financial insight into clear recommendations leaders can act on.

Ethics and Professional Courage

How professionals navigate difficult decisions where legality, integrity, and organisational pressure collide.



CIBA **Namibia** Golf Day

4 June 2026 | Windhoek Country Club Resort | Windhoek, Namibia

The CIBA Namibia Conference begins with a Golf & Business Networking Day, creating a relaxed environment for members, partners, regulators, and business leaders to connect before the main conference.

With only 80 player spots available, the golf day offers delegates the opportunity to build meaningful professional relationships while enjoying a day on the course. The day concludes with a prize-giving ceremony and networking session, giving players additional time to engage with fellow professionals and industry partners.

The Golf Day provides a unique opportunity for delegates and partners to connect in an informal setting while strengthening professional relationships ahead of the main conference.

What's Included:

- Official CIBA Golf Shirt
- CIBA Golf Cap
- 18-hole Green Fee
- Golf Cart Availability
- Halfway Refreshment
- Professional Scoring & Leaderboard Management
- Registration Pac
- Entry to the Prize-Giving Ceremony with Snack



LIMITED Spaces

Participation is limited to 80 players, and early registration is recommended to secure a place.

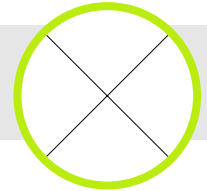
CIBA Namibia 2026 Conference Programme

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07:30 – 08:30 Registration & Welcome Coffee Delegate arrival and Registration

08:30 – 08:35 Opening Remarks Welcome and housekeeping

Faith Ngwenya
Head of Education - CIBA



08:35 – 08:40 Namibian Anthem

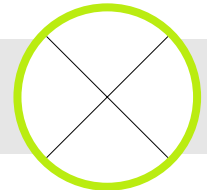
08:40 – 09:00 CEO Address Message from the CEO

Nicolaas van Wyk
CEO, CIBA



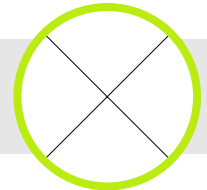
09:05 – 10:00 Opening Keynote
The End of Safe Compliance

Dr Julius Kandjeke
Auditor General - Office of the
Auditor-General of Namibia



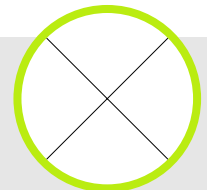
10:05 – 10:25 Session 1
Namibia at a Crossroads: Capital, Control & Consequence

Nesdah de Jong
Head of SME
Banking - FNB Namibia



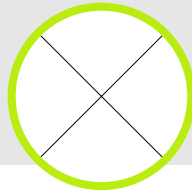
10:30 – 10:50 Panel Discussion
When capital moves fast, who carries responsibility for defensible decisions?

Faith Ngwenya
Head of Education - CIBA

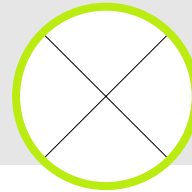


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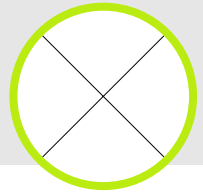
Julius Kandjeke
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Ombudsman of Namibia - Office of the
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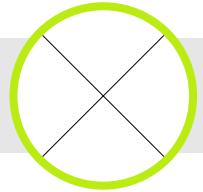
10:55 – 11:05 Sponsor Presentation

11:05 – 11:20 Comfort Break

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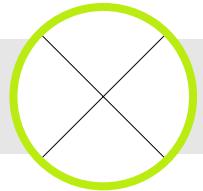
11:20 – 11:40 **Session 2**
Regulation Is No Longer Stable. So Why Are Your Decisions?

Gladice Pickering
Executive Director - Office of
the Prime Minister



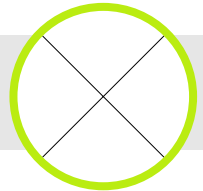
11:45 – 12:05 **Session 3**
What's Coming, And Why It Will Change How You Work

Raphael Likando
CEO - Business and Intellectual
Property Authority



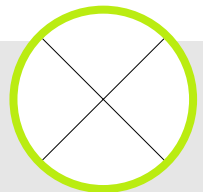
12:10 – 12:30 **Session 4**
Risk Is Not the Enemy. Fear Is.

Katherine Amakali
Attorney - Electricity Control Board



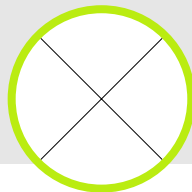
12:35 – 12:55 **Panel Discussion**
When the Rules Lag Reality

Faith Ngwenya
Head of Education - CIBA

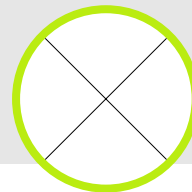


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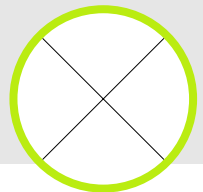
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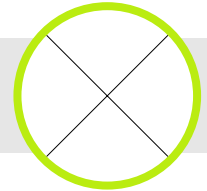


13:00 – 13:10 Sponsor Presentation

13:10 – 14:10 Lunch - Networking

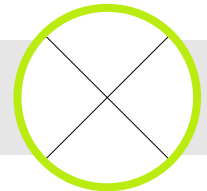
14:10 – 14:30 Session 5
AI Won't Replace You, But It Will Expose You

Reghardt Joubert
Senior Cybersecurity Advisor and Pre-Sales
Solutions Architect - MTN South Africa



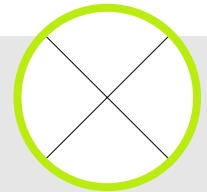
14:35 – 14:55 Session 6
The Boardroom Has Changed. Have You?

Tiaan Bazuin
CEO - Namibia Securities Exchange



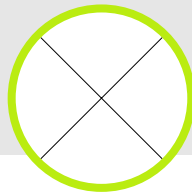
15:00 – 15:20 Panel Discussion
Governance Issues Around AI

Faith Ngwenya
Head of Education - CIBA

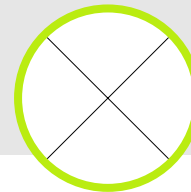


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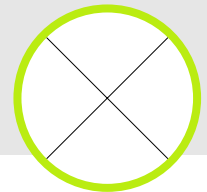
Chisom Obiudo
Chief Legal Officer - Ministry of Justice:
Directorate Law reform, Policy and Legislation



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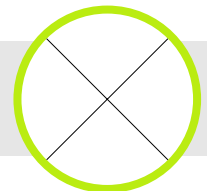


15:25 – 15:35 Sponsor Presentation

15:35 – 15:50 Comfort Break

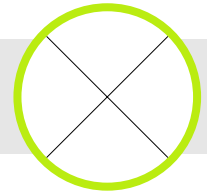
15:50 – 16:10 Session 7
Growth, Jobs, and the Accountant's Silent Power

Johan Nel
Director - Namibian Tax



16:15 – 16:35 Session 8
Ethics Without Apology

Lehana Nel
Namibia Representative - CIBA



16:40 – 16:50 Sponsor

Presentation TBC

16:55 – 17:15 Closing Session
From Professional to Strategic Operator

Nicolaas van Wyk
CEO, CIBA



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CIBA Spit Braai Dinner

5 June 2026

The conference day concludes with the CIBA Social Spit Braai Dinner, giving delegates the opportunity to unwind and continue conversations in a relaxed setting. After a full day of discussions, the evening creates space for members, speakers, partners, and guests to connect, share insights, and strengthen professional relationships within the CIBA community.



What to Expect

Traditional Namibian spit braai dinner. Informal networking with speakers, sponsors, stakeholders and fellow colleagues. A relaxed close to the main conference day

The Spit Braai is an important part of the conference experience, allowing delegates to build connections that extend beyond the formal programme.

Practical Workshops

6 June 2026

The Namibia Conference concludes with a half-day workshop programme designed to provide practical insights and tools that members can apply directly in their practices and organisations. These interactive sessions focus on technical updates, practice development, and partner-led demonstrations that support accounting professionals in delivering higher-value services to their clients.

Workshop Programme

07:00 – 08:00	Registration
08:00 – 10:00	Tax Workshop Johan Nel & NAMRA
10:00 – 10:30	Comfort Break
10:30 – 13:30	Practice Partners Workshops Sage, DataGrows, DraftWorx, Smart Practice
13:30 – 14:30	LunchNetworking Lunch
14:30 – 15:00	Closing Session CIBA

What to Expect

Practical tax guidance and regulatory updates
Technology and practice tools from industry partners
Opportunities to engage directly with solution providers
Networking with fellow professionals in an interactive environment
The workshop day complements the conference by providing practical tools and insights you can apply directly in your practice or organisation.



Who Should Attend

This conference is designed for:

- ✓ Accounting professionals
- ✓ Practice owners and partners
- ✓ Financial managers and CFOs
- ✓ Auditors and tax practitioners
- ✓ Business advisors and consultants
- ✓ Regulators and governance professionals

Registration Options

Join us for one day or experience the full three-day programme.

With a combined event value of R4 100, the full package offers the best value for delegates attending the Golf Day, Main Conference, and Saturday Workshops.

Ticket Options



Thursday Only	Golf Day	R1 100
Friday Only	Main Conference + Networking Dinner	R1 800
Saturday Only	Tax & Partner Workshops	R1 200
Thursday to Saturday	Full Package Deal	R2 600
Full Package Value		
Total Individual Value	Package Price	Your Saving
R4 100	R2 600	R1 500

Why Choose the Full Package?

Thursday: Golf Day networking with business leaders and finance professionals

Friday: Full conference programme plus the CIBA Social Spit Braai Dinner

Saturday: Tax and partner workshops with practical tools and implementation insights

The full package gives you access to the complete CIBA Namibia 2026 experience:

If you want to maximise networking, CPD value, and practical learning, the full package offers the best overall value. Registration closes on 31 May 2026.

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