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The CFI/CEO Mr. Olusegun Ayo Omosehin, ably represented by Deputy Commissioner of Insurance (Finance and Administration) NAICOM, Mr. Ekerete Ola Gam-Ikon, unveiling of the A-Z Insurance Book for Pupils and Teens, at the Year 2026 Opening Ceremony of the Insurance Week held at Yetunde Ilori's Hall, Insurers House, Victoria Island, Lagos.



R-L: CIIN Past President, Mr. Edwin Igbiti FIIN, CIIN Deputy President, Mr. Jide Orimolade, FIIN, CIIN President, Mrs. Yetunde Ilori, FIIN, Mrs. Funmi Omo, FIIN, Mrs. Adetutu A. Arusiuka, FIIN, CIIN Registrar, Mrs Abimbola Tiamiyu, FIIN, PhD, at Year 2026 Insurance Awareness Walk held from NEM Insurance building to National Stadium, Surulere, Lagos.

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in the Nigerian Insurance Industry*



# EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

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## Highlights Of CIIN Insurance Week 2026

Chartered Insurance Institute of Nigeria (CIIN) successfully concluded its 2026 Insurance Week, a week-long series of activities aimed at promoting insurance awareness, financial literacy, innovation, and community engagement across Nigeria.

Held from May 15 to May 22, 2026, the event was championed by the President/Chairman of Council, Mrs. Yetunde Ilori, FIIN, as part of the Institute's strategic efforts to increase public understanding of insurance and foster stronger connections between the industry and the communities it serves.

The Insurance Week commenced on Friday, May 15, with a special Muslim prayer session attended by members of the Institute and stakeholders from across the insurance industry. The session focused on prayers for national development, economic prosperity, and the continued growth of the insurance sector.

A major highlight of the week was the Fitness and Insurance Awareness Walk held on Saturday, May 16. The walk began at NEM Insurance Plc and proceeded through major routes in Lagos before culminating at the National Stadium, Surulere. Hundreds of insurance professionals, stakeholders, students, and members of the public participated in the exercise, carrying banners and engaging passers-by on the importance of insurance in protecting lives, businesses, and investments.

The awareness walk not only promoted healthy living but also served as a powerful platform for taking the message of insurance directly to the public. Participants distributed informational materials and interacted with residents along the route, helping to dispel misconceptions about insurance while encouraging greater adoption of insurance products.



**CIIN President/Chairman of Council, Mrs. Yetunde Ilori giving her opening speech at the Year 2026 Insurance Week Opening Ceremony held at Yetunde Ilori's Hall, Insurers House, Victoria Island, Lagos.**

Upon arrival at the National Stadium, Surulere, the atmosphere transformed into a vibrant celebration of unity and industry fellowship. Participants engaged in a variety of exciting sporting and recreational activities, including friendly competitions among insurance companies and stakeholders. The games fostered teamwork, camaraderie, networking, and healthy competition among industry players. The energetic display of sportsmanship and collaboration further strengthened relationships within the insurance community while creating a fun and memorable experience for all participants.

The activities continued on Sunday, May 17, with a Christian thanksgiving service where members gathered to express gratitude and seek divine guidance for the future of the insurance industry.

The official Opening Ceremony took place on Monday, May 18, at the Insurers House, Victoria Island, Lagos. The event brought together key stakeholders, insurance practitioners, regulators, business leaders, and members of the public to discuss the role of insurance in driving economic resilience and sustainable development. Speakers emphasized the need for increased insurance penetration, public trust, and innovation within the sector.

As part of its commitment to educational development and youth engagement, the Institute dedicated Tuesday, May 19, to School and MSMEs Engagements. Teams visited several schools where students were introduced to the fundamentals of insurance and its importance in everyday life. Educational materials and free books were distributed to pupils, reinforcing the Institute's commitment to nurturing future leaders and professionals.

On Wednesday, May 20, members of the Institute embarked on a Market Outreach Programme, taking insurance awareness directly to traders and business owners. The outreach provided an opportunity to educate market participants on the benefits of insurance coverage for businesses, properties, and livelihoods while addressing common concerns and misconceptions about insurance.

Innovation remained at the forefront of the week's activities with the Insurance Hackathon Competition held on Thursday, May 21. The competition attracted bright minds from various backgrounds who presented innovative solutions designed to address challenges within the insurance ecosystem. The winning team was awarded a grand prize of ₦1 million in recognition of its outstanding idea and potential contribution to the future of insurance in Nigeria.

The Insurance Week culminated in a grand finale on Friday, May 22, bringing together industry leaders, stakeholders, participants, and guests for a celebration of the achievements recorded throughout the week. In her closing remarks, the President/Chairman of Council, Mrs. Yetunde Ilori, FIIN, expressed appreciation to sponsors, partners, volunteers, participating companies, and all stakeholders whose support contributed to the success of the event.



# INDUSTRY RECOGNITION

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The second position was won by Okunnu Adekunle of NOOR Takaful Insurance Limited; while Odeniyan Comfort also of NOOR Takaful Insurance won the third position.

The ambassadorial position was keenly contested by 20 contestants from different insurance companies.

Also recognised at the event are:

Best Supporting MDA: Police Service Commission

Best Insurance Student at WAEC Examination: Akunyili Samuel Chukwukadibia

Teacher of the Award-Winning Student: Awotoruvie Randy Kemi, Insurance Teacher

Six Secondary Schools with the highest numbers of student enrollment in Insurance:

Ijaiye Ojokoro Senior High School, Ojokoro, Ogun State

Badagry Senior Grammar School, Badagry, Lagos State

Saint Peter's College, Olomore, Ogun State.



CIIN President/Chairman of Council, Mrs. Yetunde Ilori, FIN giving her Opening Speech at the Year 2026 Insurance Week Grand Finale held at Paradise Event Center Alagomeji, Yaba, Lagos.



L-R: NCRIB President, Mrs. Ekeoma Ezeibe, Presenting an award to the Best Student in Insurance Subject in WAEC 2025 Examination, Mr. Akunyili Chukwukadibia Samuel (Sacred Heart College, Apapa), CIIN President/ Chairman of Council, Mrs Yetunde Ilori, at the Grand Finale of the Year 2026 Insurance Week, held at Paradise Event Center, Alagomeji, Yaba, Lagos.

Egba High School, Asero, Ogun State.

Methodist Comprehensive College, Sagamu, Ogun State.

Ebenezer Grammar School, Iberekodo Ogun State.

State with the Highest Number of Students' Enrollment in insurance (WAEC): Ogun State

Presidential Recognition Award Insurance Week Pathfinder Award Adedamola Michael Oloko

Insurance Enthusiast Award: Gberibie Andrew

Insurance Enthusiast Award: Bamisile Oluwatosin

Exemplar Insurance Editor Award: Ughwode Faith

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Deputy Commissioner of Insurance (Finance and Administration) NAICOM, Mr. Ekerete Ola Gam-Ikon. giving the opening speech on behalf of the Commissioner of Insurance and Chief Executive Officer NAICOM, Mr. Olusegun Ayo Omosehin at the Year 2026 Insurance Week Opening Ceremony held at Insurers House, Victoria Island, Lagos.



The Insurance Week Chairman Mrs. Funmi Omo, giving her speech at the Year 2026 Insurance Week Grand Finale held at Alagomeji, Yaba, Lagos.



CIIN President /Chairman of Council, Mrs. Yetunde Ilori, FIN, Crowns Mr. Oduh Sunday, (NEM) as the Year 2026/2027 CIIN Ambassador.



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**CIIN President, Mrs. Yetunde Ilori, FFIN giving her speech before proceeding with the Year 2026 Insurance Awareness Walk held from NEM Insurance building to National Stadium, Surulere, Lagos.**



**Cross Section of the Year 2026 Insurance Awareness Walk held from NEM Insurance building to National Stadium, Surulere, Lagos.**



**Christian Sunday Prayer CIIN Abuja Chapter gives Worship to God.**



**CIIN President/Chairman of the Council, Mrs. Yetunde Ilori led a Delegation of CIIN Members/Leaders to Year 2026 Insurance Week School Outreach at The Salvation Army Nursery and Primary School, Ebute-Meta, Lagos.**



**CIIN President/Chairman of the Council, Mrs. Yetunde Ilori educating Insurance to pupils of The Salvation Army Nursery and Primary School Ebute-Meta at the Year 2026 Insurance Week School Outreach at Ebute-Meta, Lagos.**



**CIIN President/Chairman of Council Mrs. Yetunde Ilori, FFIN, giving her Speech at the Year 2026 Insurance Week Hackathon Competition held at CIMF, Asese, Ogun State.**



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## CIIN Insurance Week Celebration Grand Finale





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## CIIN State Chapters' Awareness Campaign

