



## Terms and conditions

- 1 All people entering this competition (the entrants) agree that the competition rules as set out in these terms and conditions are binding on them. A copy of these competition rules is available to all entrants and can be downloaded from <https://www.absa.africa/forbesleadingwomensummit/>
- 2 The Organiser of this competition is Absa. For purposes of this competition “Absa Bank Limited” means Absa with Registration number: 1986/004794/06 and “Absa Group Limited” means a public company with Registration number: 1986/003934/06 incorporated under the Laws of the Republic of South Africa, a public company duly registered as a bank and incorporated in accordance with the Laws of the Republic of South Africa with its registered address at Absa Towers West, 7th Floor, 15 Troye Street, Johannesburg, 2001.
- 3 Absa, its directors, members, partners, employees, agents or consultants, the suppliers of goods or services and their respective spouses, life partners, business partners or immediate family members are not permitted to participate in this competition.
- 4 The entrant acknowledges that he/she has been given enough time to read these terms and conditions before entering into this competition. The entrant is aware of all the terms printed in bold.

## Personal Information:

- 5 By entering the competition and being selected as the winner, you consent to Absa collecting, storing and using your personal information, such as name, age, telephone number and email address for the purposes of your entry into the competition and for contacting you regarding your prize. This will not affect any existing marketing preferences that you have registered with Absa.
- 6 By entering the competition, your personal information may be transferred to our service providers and agents (including their sub-contractors) to store and use to administer the draw. We will never pass your information to any third party for them to use in their own direct marketing, without your consent.
- 7 Your personal information will be held on record for a short period of time as necessary to administer the competition and then securely destroyed.

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## **Rules of the competition**

8. This competition will have two phases/opportunities to win.

### **8.1 Phase 1 – Pre-Forbes Women Africa Leading Women Summit 2025 event competition**

8.1.1. Phase 1 will start on 21 February 2025 and end on 27 February 2025 at 19:00 GMT+2 (“the competition period”).

8.1.2. The Competition will run on the @AbsaSouthAfrica Social Media Channels – Facebook & Instagram.

8.1.3. Entrants entering must have an open Facebook or Instagram profile.

8.1.4. By tagging @AbsaSouthAfrica, Absa has rights to use the content only for the duration of the competition

8.2 In order to qualify as an entrant for Phase 1 – Pre-Forbes Women Africa Leading Women Summit 2025 event competition, the entrant must:

8.2.1. be a South African citizen and hold a South African Identity document;

8.2.2. provide correct and full personal contact details, as required;

8.2.3. be 18 years and older;

8.2.4. reside in South Africa; and

8.2.5. Be willing and able to pay for any transportation and/or accommodation not specified in the competition prize and carry all other sundry costs relating to attending the Forbes Women Africa Leading Women Summit 2025 conference and gala dinner on Tuesday, 5 March 2024 at SunBet Arena at Time Square, Pretoria

### **8.3 Phase 2 – Forbes Women Africa Leading Women Summit 2025 event competition**

8.3.1. Phase 2 will start on Tuesday, 5 March 2025 and end on Wednesday, 6 March 2025. (“the competition period”).

8.3.2. The Competition will run at the various Absa activation touchpoints at the Forbes Women Africa, Leading Women Summit 2025 on Tuesday, 5 March 2025 and on the @AbsaSouthAfrica social media channels.

8.3.3. Entrants who choose to enter this competition must have an open Facebook or Instagram profile.

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8.3.4. By tagging @AbsaSouthAfrica, Absa has rights to use the content only for the duration of the competition

**8.4.** In order to qualify as an entrant for Phase 2 – Forbes Women Africa Leading Women Summit 2025 event competition, the entrant must:

8.4.1. be a South African citizen and hold a South African Identity document;

8.4.2. provide correct and full personal contact details, as required;

8.4.3. be 18 years and older; and

8.4.4. reside in South Africa

## **9. Method of Entry**

### **9.1. Phase 1 – Pre-Forbes Women Africa Leading Women Summit 2025 event competition**

9.1.1. Share a short video (max 1 minute) or quote (max 200 characters) on Facebook or Instagram and about how you are shaping Africa's future in business, leadership, or your community and Tag @AbsaSouthAfrica on Instagram and/or Facebook and use #InMyLeadershipStory. Two competition winners will be selected.

### **9.1.2. Phase 2 – Forbes Women Africa Leading Women Summit 2025 event competition**

The entrant must visit one of the Absa activation touchpoints at the Forbes Women Africa, Leading Women Summit 2025 on Tuesday, 5 March 2025 or look out for the competition post on the @AbsaSouthAfrica social media channels.

Take a photo and upload it with a personal quote (maximum 50 characters) starting with In my leadership story I... to their Instagram and/or Facebook account, tag @Absa.SouthAfricatake and use the hashtag @InMyLeadershipStory

## **10. Prize**

### **10.1. Phase 1 – Pre-Forbes Women Africa Leading Women Summit 2025 event competition**

10.1.1. A single ticket to the Forbes Women Africa Leading Women Summit 2025 on Tuesday, 5 March 2025 at the Sunbet Arena, Time Square, Pretoria and one nights' accommodation at the Maslow, Time square Tuesday, 5 March 2025 to the value of R7000 (Seven thousand rand) not exchangeable/transferable.

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10.1.2. The prize mentioned above is intended for 1 (one) person residing in South Africa only.

**10.2. Phase 2 – Forbes Women Africa Leading Women Summit 2025 event competition**

10.2.1. Profiling in the Forbes Women Africa June addition magazine and a 5-minute segment on Cardova Expresso (Advertorial, Photoshoot and featuring on Cardova Expresso courtesy of Absa) to the value of R200,000 (Two hundred thousand rand).

10.2.2. The prize mentioned above is intended for 1 (one) person residing in South Africa only and the winner must be willing and able to be available within the predetermined timeframe to participate and redeem the prize.

11. Incomplete or illegible entries, bulk entries, entries from third parties and entries which do not satisfy the requirements of these terms and conditions in full will be disqualified and will not be considered.

12. The winner for Phase 1 – Pre-Forbes Women Africa Leading Women Summit 2025 event social media competition will be for two (2) winners who will be randomly chosen from all qualifying entrants by Absa's social media agency by means of a lucky draw to take place at the premises of Flume, 68 Hobart Rd, Bryanston, Sandton, 2191 on 28 February 2025, one (1) business day after the competition closed.

13. The winner for the Phase 2 – Forbes Women Africa Leading Women Summit 2025 event competition will be randomly chosen from all qualifying entrants by Absa's social media agency by means of a lucky draw to take place at the premises of Flume, 68 Hobart Rd, Bryanston, Sandton, 2191 on 10 March 2025, two (2) business days after the competition closed.

14. The winner for Phase 1 – Pre-Forbes Women Africa Leading Women Summit 2025 event social media competition for the two (2) winners will be contacted through Instagram or Facebook direct message through an Absa Community Manager on 28 February 2025. Absa undertakes to try at least contact the winner at least three (3) times across two (2) consecutive days to notify the winner.

15. The winner for Phase 2 – Forbes Women Africa Leading Women Summit 2025 event competition for the (one (1) winner will be contacted through Instagram or Facebook direct message through an Absa Community Manager on 10 March 2025. Absa undertakes to try at least contact the winner at least three (3) times across three (3) consecutive days to notify the winner.

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16. If the prize is declined or if the winner cannot be contacted from the details supplied on their submission within 1 (one) business days of Absa attempting to contact them, a replacement winner will be drawn at Absa's discretion and the replacement winner will be notified by Absa via their personal Instagram account and the "winner contact" process will be followed. The same process will be followed should the replacement winner also decline or the prize be unclaimed or the replacement winner cannot be contacted.
17. Upon accepting the prize via Instagram and/or Facebook, Absa will request the winner's email address in order to send details via email. Should the winner not revert within 1 (one) business working days, a replacement winner will be drawn at Absa's discretion and the replacement winner will be notified by Absa via their personal Instagram account and the "winner contact" process will be followed. The same process will be followed should the replacement winner also decline or the prize be unclaimed or the replacement winner cannot be contacted.
18. When the winner accepts his/her prize, Absa would appreciate the right to identify the winner by taking his/her photograph (at no fee) and publishing this in the relevant media as decided by Absa. Absa does however acknowledge the winner's right to choose not to be identified and may refuse to have his/her photograph taken and published in printed media or to appear on radio and television.
19. If the winner has given his/her written consent, Absa has the right to publish the winner's name and photographs (at no fee) in any advertising, promotional, print, point-of-sale or public relations material. The nature of these publications will be determined at the sole discretion of Absa, for a period of twelve (12) months from the date of the lucky draw.
20. Absa is not liable in any way for any direct or indirect loss or damage because of an entrant or winner's participation in the competition.
21. If Absa cannot continue with the competition for any reason beyond its reasonable control or if it is required by any regulatory terms or applicable law, Absa may end or alter the terms of the competition on condition that—

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21.1. no winner have been determined; and

21.2. reasonable notice has been given beforehand to all entrants.

22. If the competition is ended as set out in 21 above, no entrant will have any claim of any nature whatsoever against Absa.

23. Absa is not obliged to award more than the defined prize.

24. The prize –

24.1. cannot be transferred and will only be handed over if all details given are factually correct;

24.2. will not be exchanged for cash amounts or for any prize other than the prize offered in this competition.

25. Once the prize has been handed over in terms of these rules, the results of the promotion are final in all respects and no correspondence will be allowed.

26. Amendments to the Terms and Conditions:

26.1. Absa is entitled to amend the terms and conditions thereof in so far as same is deemed necessary and such amendments may relate to any aspect of such competition;

26.1.1. the amendments may include the addition and or deletion of any existing and or proposed terms and conditions of the competition, which amendments may also affect the identified prize including but not limited to cash prize of such competition;

26.1.2. the proposed amendments may be effected prior to the starting date of the competition and during the Competition Period, which amendments may result in the Competition Period being reduced and or extended as deemed necessary;

26.1.3. it is the entrant's responsibility to regularly check the website where the competition rules are made available as per clause 1 for any amendments.

27. In the event that the terms and conditions of this competition are amended in terms of clause 26, such amendments shall become effective immediately or on such date as may be determined by Absa. However, all entrants who have received confirmation of the prize prior to such will remain eligible to

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receive the prize that has been awarded to them in accordance with the terms and conditions in force when they were selected as winners.

28. No entrant shall have any recourse or claim against Absa as a result of any amendment to these terms and conditions or as a result of Absa's cancellation, termination or suspension of the competition in line with these terms and conditions.

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