



On an occasion such as this I cannot resist repeating a mantra I have written a few years ago. It speaks to why we honour others and grant them public acclaim. It is for both altruistic and selfish reasons. We acclaim them for their sake and our sake.

> - Retired DCJ Justice Dikgang Moseneke -Whistleblowers Awards 2023



EVENT PROGRAMME

18:00 - 19:00 Arrival and Registration Guests arrive and are welcomed with refreshments. Venue: Reception Area

19:00 - 19:10 **Opening and Welcome** Program Director: Lerato Ditshego

19:10 - 19:15 Welcome to the Whistleblowers Awards Speaker: Adv Nkhensani Ntuli - Board Member, Public Interest SA

Introduction of Keynote Speaker

19:15 - 20:00

Keynote Address

Speaker: Justice Mahube Molemela - President of the Supreme Court of Appeal

20:05 - 20:15

Remarks by Partners' representatives (Eskom & GIZ) Guests are served dinner. Live entertainment.

20:15 - 21:00

Dinner Service

Guests are served dinner. Live entertainment.

21:10 - 21:20

Introduction of the Awards

Speaker: Prof Themba Maseko, Convenor of the Whistleblowers Awards 2024 Judging Panel

21:20 - 21:30

Special Tribute to Fallen Heroes of Integrity

A special video tribute to honour notable whistleblowers and witnesses who have made the ultimate sacrifice in the pursuit of integrity and justice.

21:30 - 21:40 Awards Ceremony Part 1

Presentation of the following awards: 1. The Sherpa Award for Whistleblower Support

2. Whistleblower Champion Award

Presenters: Members of the Judging Panel joined by Advocate Nkhensani Ntuli, Member of the Board of Directors of Public Interest SA.

21:40 - 21:50

Musical Performance/Interlude

Coffee, desserts served.

21:50 - 21:55

Ant-Video Corruption

Presentation of Heroes of Integrity Awards

21:55 - 22:10

Awards Ceremony Part 2

Presentation of the following awards:

- Investigative Journalism Excellence Award (Media House)
- Investigative Journalism Excellence Award (Individual)

3. Individual Whistleblower Excellence Award Presenters: Members of the Judging Panel joined by Tebogo Khaas, Chairperson of Public Interest SA & Convenor of the Whistleblowers Awards.

22:10 - 22:20

Closing Remarks

Speaker: Tebogo Khaas, Chairperson of Public Interest SA Closing words to wrap up the evening.

22:20 - 23:00

Networking and Socialising

Guests are invited to continue networking and socialising with coffee, dessert, and conversation. **End of Programme**

THANK YOU

True leadership is not measured by the power you wield, but by the integrity you uphold and the justice you fight for, even when no one is watching.

- Tebogo Khaas -



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