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Directors and Officers (D&O) insurance insights:

Allianz

Geopolitical and global macroeconomic uncertainty, together with developing areas of risk like artificial intelligence (AI), cyber and even so-called forever chemicals, are elevating liability for directors and officers (D&Os) at both public and private companies.

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Global

How a fractured world is reshaping global insurance: Brokerslink

US effective tariff rate of 15% could trim global Property & Casualty premium growth by around 0.7 percentage points and Life premium growth by 1.2 percentage points between 2025 and 2027 relative to original tariff rates at 2024 levels.

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Global

Insurance's new operating system for 2026: AI: SAS

As insurers have entered the AI age, they've regarded the technology as something like a hot new phone app: They know they want it, but they are still figuring out the best way to use it.

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Global

Clyde & Co identifies key emerging risks for insurers in 2026

With social media platforms integrating more AI functions, including AI chatbots, insurers should be aware of evolving and expanding risks associated with claims alleging mental health issues or instances of physical harm prompted by users' interactions with AI.

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Asia

Why APAC insurers are turning to third-party fund managers: CWAN

Where once private markets and alternative investments were a more unusual feature, today's portfolios are more often than not punctuated with private debt, private equity, and infrastructure allocations.

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GCC

BlueFive Capital Launches BlueFive Insurance

he platform will actively pursue investments and acquisitions in both Sharia-compliant and conventional licensed insurers to build a market-leading, digitally native insurance group.

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China

China Okays New Property Insurer From Partners BNP Paribas, Volkswagen, and Xiaomi

China has approved the setting up of a joint venture property and casualty insurer by BNP Paribas Cardif, Xiaomi, and Volkswagen, marking an increase in foreign involvement in the country's insurance market.

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Egypt

Inflation drives demand for unit-linked life policies

Rising demand for investment-linked products over traditional policies that have been heavily impacted by decades of high inflation.

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Hong Kong

Insurers coordinate claims support following Tai Po estate blaze

Hong Kong's insurance industry has launched coordinated claims and support measures following a fatal fire at Wang Fuk Court in Tai Po, a high-rise public housing estate that was under renovation.

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Kenya

Bolttech Acquires Kenya's Digital Insurance Platform Mtek

The firm has partnered with major underwriters including GA Insurance, Sanlam, and Britam, and earlier this year entered a collaboration with Mastercard to roll out embedded insurance solutions across the region.

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Malaysia

Bjak celebrates Malaysia's largest online insurance partnership

Recognised as an approved financial adviser by Bank Negara Malaysia, Bjak now hosts partnerships with 16 leading insurers, forming the country's largest online insurance ecosystem.

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Namibia

Insurance companies pay N\$4.4m in refunds

Insurance companies had to refund clients with N\$4.4 million after several complaints had been filed.

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Nigeria

Aviation Insurance - NCAA Advices Insurers On Global Best Practices

Maximum retention per aviation risk capped at 5 per cent of shareholders' funds; senior level authorisation for all aviation placements; compliance with international standards.

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Rwanda

Rwanda explores layered disaster risk transfer, with cat bonds on the table

Instead of reacting after a disaster and seeking emergency funding, Rwanda aims to plan ahead and have financial tools set in place in order to respond quickly and efficiently for when such an event occurs.

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Singapore

Soaring insurance costs signal pressure on 2026 premiums in Singapore

Health insurance costs in Singapore have become a key driver to the country's rising inflation figure, reaching its nine-month high in October.

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South Africa

Santam Set to Launch Syndicate 1918 at Lloyd's in UK

This strategic expansion will enable Santam to underwrite specialist risks in one of the world's oldest and most renowned insurance marketplaces.

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Turkiye

Insurance body calls for shift from family-based to institutional long-term care model

The traditional family-based care practice is no longer sustainable, indicated the Deputy Secretary-General of the Insurance Association of Türkiye (TSB) Senol S Senturk.

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Turkiye

Insurance prices are at their lowest level in 10 years

Some lowered prices, others lifted the age limit and began insuring vehicles over 15 years old, and still others offered installment plans for up to 12 months.

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UAE

Mr Mohammed Mazhar Hamadeh, Insurance Industry Leader of the Year

Mr Hamadeh has led the firm through consistent growth, operational resilience, and constant profitability, maintaining strong UAE market presence renowned for financial stability.

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Reinsurance News

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Compagnie Centrale de Réassurance: capital increase

Compagnie Centrale de Réassurance (CCR) has increased its share capital from 30 billion DZD (228.4 million USD) to 40 billion DZD (304.5 million USD).

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Hong Kong

Best's Commentary: Hong Kong Fire Expected to be Credit Negative for (Re)Insurers

AM Best expects a material portion of the gross incurred loss in the deadly Hong Kong apartment fire to be transferred to reinsurers, which may halt downward pressure on Hong Kong property reinsurance rates amid a global reinsurance softening backdrop.

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Malaysia

Labuan Re boosts reinsurance confidence with AMD EPYC™ CPUs

Labuan Reinsurance refreshed its infrastructure with HPE servers powered by AMD EPYC CPUs to boost performance, reliability, and sustainability.

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South Africa

Gallagher Re to acquire South African reinsurance broker Resilea

The reinsurance broker expects the Resilea team to bring a greater level of scale and strength to itself and its clients.

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Regulation News

Côte d'Ivoire

Côte d'Ivoire Imposes New Mandatory Insurance to Regulate Construction Risks

This insurance protects both the construction company and the project owner by ensuring the continuity of the project in case of issues.

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Egypt

FRA Issues First "Comprehensive Services Guide" to Enhance Transparency and Data Availability

The Guide serves as the official and sole reference for all companies, institutions and individuals under FRA's supervision. These areas encompass the Capital Market, Insurance Activity and Non-Banking Financing Activities.

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Egypt

Egypt Rolls Out Groundbreaking Medical Liability Insurance Policy

The Fund covers liabilities arising from medical errors resulting in death, disability, or physical injury. All legally licensed medical service providers.

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India

Insurance complaints under regulator's radar

IRDAI urged insurers to adopt a more proactive, policyholder-centric approach and to strengthen their internal systems to ensure strict compliance with prescribed timelines.

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Japan

Japan phases out health insurance cards in switch to My Number ID system

New system offers advantages such as allowing medical institutions to easily refer a patient's health records and prescription history.

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Malaysia

Policy Document on Broader Application of Ta'awun in Takaful

Bank Negara Malaysia (BNM) issued the Policy Document on Broader Application of Ta'awun in Takaful which sets out the Shariah and regulatory requirements to unlock the full potential of takaful in promoting financial resilience as well as financial inclusion, in line with the objectives of Shariah (maqasid Shariah).

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Nigeria

Conflicting insurance laws may slow sector growth

HMCAN, has warned that contradictions between the National Health Insurance Authority, NHIA, Act and the Nigerian Insurance Industry Reform Act, NIIRA, could slow growth in the healthcare and insurance sectors if not addressed.

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Oman

Towards the implementation of a unified motor insurance claims-processing model

harmonizing insurance procedures and practices across companies, with the goal of promoting consistency and safeguarding the rights of policyholders.

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South Korea

Samsung Life's 'Deviant Accounting' Exception Faces Reversal

The core issue revolves around whether dividends owed to policyholders of participating insurance policies sold by Samsung Life Insurance in the past should be classified as a liability.

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Rating News

Income Insurance Ltd. 'AA-' Rating Affirmed; Outlook Stable: S&P

The rating affirmation reflects our view that Income Insurance Ltd. is highly likely to receive extraordinary support from the Singapore government should the need arise.

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AM Best Affirms Credit Ratings of African Reinsurance Corporation

AM Best has affirmed the Financial Strength Rating of A (Excellent) and the Long-Term Issuer Credit Rating of "a" (Excellent) of African Reinsurance Corporation (ARC) (Nigeria). The outlook of these Credit Ratings (ratings) is stable.

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AM Best Affirms Credit Ratings of China Taiping Insurance (HK) Company Limited

AM Best has affirmed the Financial Strength Rating of A (Excellent) and the Long-Term Issuer Credit Rating of "a" (Excellent) of China Taiping Insurance (HK) Company Limited [CTPI (HK)] (Hong Kong). The outlook of these Credit Ratings (ratings) is stable.

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AM Best Affirms Credit Ratings of Dubai National Insurance & Reinsurance P.S.C.

AM Best has affirmed the Financial Strength Rating of A- (Excellent) and the Long-Term Issuer Credit Rating of "a-" (Excellent) of Dubai National Insurance & Reinsurance P.S.C. (DNI) (United Arab Emirates). The outlook of these Credit Ratings (ratings) is stable.

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AM Best Assigns Credit Ratings and National Scale Rating to Royal Insurance Company

AM Best has assigned a Financial Strength Rating of B (Fair) and a Long-Term Issuer Credit Rating of "bb" (Fair) to Royal Insurance Company (Royal) (Egypt). The outlook is stable.

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AM Best Affirms Credit Ratings of Bao Minh Insurance Corporation

AM Best has affirmed the Financial Strength Rating of B++ (Good), the Long-Term Issuer Credit Rating of "bbb" (Good) and the Vietnam National Scale Rating (NSR) of aaa.VN (Exceptional) of Bao Minh Insurance Corporation (BMI). The outlook of these Credit Ratings (ratings) is stable.

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AM Best Affirms Credit Ratings of Continental Reinsurance Plc

AM Best has affirmed the Financial Strength Rating of B+ (Good) and the Long-Term Issuer Credit Rating of "bbb-" (Good) of Continental Reinsurance Plc (CRE Nigeria) (Nigeria). The outlook of these Credit Ratings (ratings) is stable.

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Fitch Assigns RSBF 'BB-' IFS and 'AAA(nga)' National IFS Ratings ; Outlooks Stable

The ratings reflect RSBF's high-risk guarantee portfolio and modest capitalisation, partially offset by a conservative investment policy and sound expected financial performance.

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Movement News

FTUSA

New president elected

The Tunisian Federation of Insurance Companies has announced a new stage in governance with the election of Mondher Khabcheche, General Manager of UIB Assurances, as President of FTUSA.

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Algérienne Vie

Appoints new chief executive

Samy Touhouche has been promoted to Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the Algerian Gulf Life Insurance Company (AGLIC).

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Allianz Life Malaysia

Appoints new chief executive

Allianz Malaysia Berhad has named Giulio Slavich as chief executive officer of Allianz Life Insurance Malaysia Berhad (Allianz Life).

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LIC

Appointed new Managing Director

Ramakrishnan Chander has been promoted to Managing Director of Life Insurance Corporation of India (LIC) with the appointment taking effect on 1 December 2025.

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البنك المركزي الأردني ينظم جلسة حوارية بعنوان: "حماية البيانات الشخصية في إطار أعمال التأمين" تعريف البيانات الشخصية والبيانات الشخصية الحساسة والبيانات وقواعد البيانات والمعالجة والشخص المعني والمسؤول والمراقب والمعالج، والتطرق الى الاستثناءات في القانون التي تعتبر المعالجة قانونية ومشروعة.

للمزيد

الامارات

محمد مظهر حمادة يتوج أفضل شخصية تأمينية في الشرق الأوسط 2025

منح محمد مظهر حمادة الرئيس التنفيذي لشركة «العين الأهلية للتأمين» لقب أفضل شخصية تأمينية في الشرق الأوسط للعام 2025، وذلك خلال النسخة الثانية عشرة من جوائز صناعة التأمين في الشرق الأوسط 2025.

وبحسب «جوائز صناعة التأمين في الشرق الأوسط»، تمكن حمادة من تطوير قطاع التأمين الإقليمي على مدار 5 عقود، وأسهم في نمو شركة العين الأهلية للتأمين.

للمزيد

الامارات

«سالك» تمكن 1.3 مليون سائق من خدمات تأمين رقمية للمركبات أعلنت «سالك»، المُشغل الحصري لبوابات التعرف المرورية في دبي، عن تمكين 1.3 مليون سائق من الحصول على حلول تأمين رقمية متقدمة للمركبات.

للمزيد

العراق

158 مليون دولار أقساط شركات التأمين العراقية في الربع الثالث أعلنت شركة التأمين العراقية، اليوم السبت، عن ارتفاع نسبة نمو أقساط شركات التأمين إلى 75%، وتسجيل أقساط بأكثر من 200 مليار دينار (158 مليون دولار) في 3 أشهر.

للمزيد

عمان

هيئة الخدمات المالية تبحث تطوير نموذج موحد لممارسات تأمين المركبات

هدف مراجعة الممارسات القائمة حاليًا في إدارة المطالبات التأمينية، والوقوف على الإطار الموحد للممارسات التأمينية الخاصة بتأمين المركبات، بما يرتقي بالمعايير المهنية في قطاع التأمين.

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مصر

الهيئة العامة للرقابة المالية تُحدث "قفزة نوعية" في القطاع المالي غير المصرفي: إصدار أول "دليل خدمات متكامل" لتعزيز الشفافية وإتاحة البيانات تم تصميم الدليل ليعمل على تحقيق أقصى درجات الشفافية من خلال توحيد الإجراءات عبر تعريفات دقيقة لكل خدمة، وتحديد واضح للمستندات المطلوبة وآلية التقديم، مما يقضي على الاجتهادات الشخصية.

للمزيد

مصر

قطاع التأمين يواصل الصعود القوي.. الأقساط تتجاوز 30.8 مليار جنيه والتعويضات تقفز 58% في الربع الثالث 2025 أظهر التقرير ارتفاع إجمالي الأقساط التأمينية المحصلة إلى 30.8 مليار جنيه خلال الفترة من يوليو إلى سبتمبر 2025، مقارنة بـ 25.3 مليار جنيه خلال نفس الفترة من العام الماضي، محققًا معدل نمو سنوي بلغ 21.9%.

للمزيد

المغرب

وزير العدل يعتبر شركات التأمين "أصولاً وطنية" ضرورة الحفاظ عليها أهمية شركات التأمين باعتبارها ثروة وطنية توفر آلاف فرص الشغل، مؤكداً أن المشروع يوازن بين حماية المواطنين والحفاظ على استقرار هذا القطاع الاقتصادي الحيوي.

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المغرب

حموني يطالب بإحالة مشروع قانون التأمين الإجباري على المجلس الاقتصادي والاجتماعي المشروع يتضمن دمج الصندوق الوطني لمنظمات الاحتياط الاجتماعي ضمن الصندوق الوطني للضمان الاجتماعي، مع إسناد الأخير مسؤولية تدبير جميع أنظمة التأمين الإجباري الأساسي عن المرض.

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