



Full name of Association, when and by whom founded:

Malta Association of Women in Business
founded: 10 July 1991
by a group of Maltese Women

President and Board members:

Honorary Life President: Kate Bonello Sullivan
President: Rosanne Galea
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Membership and information on regional/local divisions:

The Association has 36 members, which build the business network.

Aims and objectives:

- \$ to foster the interests of MAWB members in the pursuit of innovative and effective changes in the business, economic, social, and public arenas
- \$ to bring together all women, who own, manage or influence a business concern, be it manufacturing, retail, service or professional
- \$ to encourage reciprocal support, exchange of ideas and sharing of experiences
- \$ to strengthen business and economic opportunities between its members both nationally and internationally
- \$ to organize and participate in seminars and workshops in order to ensure that its members at all times are aware of the latest technical, economic, and legal developments
- \$ to ensure that the business environment is focussed on providing opportunities for women to move forward as leaders in both business, managerial, administrative and other high ranking posts

Profile of Activities and highlights:

- \$ organization of seminars, workshops, social, and informative evenings

\$ In 2000 the European Economic and Social Committee presented the 'Euro-Med Women's Solidarity Award' for Malta to Ms. Kate Bonello Sullivan for her project proposal (EdUKate) entitled: 'Information/Education Centres for Women in the Euro-Mediterranean Countries'

Cooperation with associations in other countries:

\$ MAWB is a full member of 'Les Femmes Chefs d'Entreprises Mondiales (FCEM)' and through this affiliation it has maintained contact with international chapters such as:

\$ United Nations (FCEM has representative status at the UN in New York)

\$ International Labour Organization (ILO), Geneva

\$ United Nations Industrial Development Organization, Vienna

\$ The Council of Europe, Strasbourg

\$ European Parliament, Brussels