




Accepting the Top Empowered Business of the Year Award is Dr Richard Friedland, CEO of Netcare Limited

10th
METROPOLITAN 
OLIVER
EMPOWERMENT AWARDS

After months of extensive research and a strict judging process, the 2011 winners of the prestigious 10th Metropolitan Oliver Empowerment Awards (MOEA) were announced on 24 March at a glittering gala event hosted at the Sandton Convention Centre. Both the finalists and winners were acknowledged and celebrated for their efforts made towards developing Black Economic Empowerment and transformation in South Africa.

On arrival at the glittering gala ceremony, guests were entertained by the ever-popular Jimi Gomez. Later in the evening, the festivities were complemented by Barcode, a group of dynamic young professional musicians who have joined forces to celebrate their South African heritage through music.

THE JUDGES FOR THE 2011 MOEA WERE:

- **Dionne Kerr:** Chairperson, National Association of BEE Consultants (NABC)
- **Kelly Masete:** Project Director, Members in Business at SAICA
- **Wiseman Mthimkhulu:** Partner, Sizwe Ntsaluba
- **Ishaq Lakhi:** Enterprise Development Manager, FNB Commercial Premium Business Banking BEE Solution
- **Zelphinia Mvula:** BEE Manager, Metropolitan
- **Willie Thabe:** Managing Director, Black Management Forum Investment
- **Tyrone Naidoo:** Business Development Manager, BEE Online
- **Walter Murimira:** Verification and Finance Manager, BEE Online

THE FINALISTS FOR THE 2011 MOEA WERE:

TOP EMPOWERED COMPANY AWARDS

Resources – Sponsored by Sijunda Resources
KZN Oils (Pty) Ltd
WOA Fuels & Oils
Total South Africa (Pty) Ltd

Basic & General Industries

Gibb (Pty) Ltd
Aurecon South Africa (Pty) Ltd
Mercedes-Benz South Africa (Pty) Ltd
Mott MacDonald South Africa (Pty) Ltd
Steinmuller Africa (Pty) Ltd
Dormac (Pty) Ltd
Eqstra Holdings Limited

Food & Beverages

Tsebo Outsourcing Group (Pty) Ltd
Oceana Group Limited
RoyalServe Catering (Pty) Ltd
Tongaat Hulett Limited

Healthcare & Pharmaceuticals

Bonitas Medical Fund
Netcare Limited
Pinnacle Health Solutions (Pty) Ltd

Retail – Sponsored by Edcon

Voltex (Pty) Ltd
Woolworths Holdings Limited
Spar Group Limited
Cashbuild Limited

Travel, Leisure & Entertainment

City Lodge Hotels Limited
Club Travel SA (Pty) Ltd
Coastlands Durban (Pty) Ltd
Southern Sun Hotels (Pty) Ltd
Travel with Flair (Pty) Ltd
The Exhibitions & Projects Group (Pty) Ltd
Tempest Car Hire (Pty) Ltd

Media

VWV Group (Pty) Ltd
Draftfcb South Africa (Pty) Ltd
Grid Worldwide Branding & Design (Pty) Ltd

