

14th March 2018

Media Release

Prestigious Award for Ms. Dolores Sammut Bonnici

Ms. Dolores Sammut Bonnici has been awarded the Enterprising Woman of the Year Award during the 16th Enterprising Women of the Year Awards held in Miami Florida USA. This award is organised annually by the Enterprising Women Magazine USA and the ceremony is hosted by the National Association of Women Business owners (NAWBO).

The Enterprising Woman of the Year Award is given to women who, through strong initiative and a keen sense of entrepreneurship, created their own business, and contributed to society in various aspects of the business world. It is also awarded to women who have promoted entrepreneurship among other women, and mentored other budding women entrepreneurs, and to persons who were entrusted with high positions in various associations and institutions.

Ms. Sammut Bonnici is a well-known personality in the Maltese business community both in her role as the Managing Director and co-proprietor of the Green Skip Services Ltd, and G.S.Rec. Ltd, dealing in industrial waste management. She has served on the council of the Malta Employers' Association for a number of years and has been President of the Association since March 2017. Ms. Sammut Bonnici was President of Malta Association of Women in Business, whose mission is the promotion of female entrepreneurship, enhancement of Business education, mentoring and business networking. She also sits on the Enterprise Consultative Council, is a member of the Malta Association of Family Enterprise and of the Foundation of Human Resources Development.

As part of the event, Dolores Sammut Bonnici, being one of the Award Honorees, participated as mentee to a group of high school students who were aspiring to go for entrepreneurship, in the Young Enterprising Women Program. Some of these were given scholarships to further their studies, focusing on STEM careers. The conference also featured the participation of world renowned speakers, amongst them Anna Freeman – CEO of Speakout; Lesley Atkins.- president at LA Communications LLC; and Joanne Tabellija-Murphy – Director Constituent Relations Walmart who addressed the attendees on Banking relationships for business, Cyber Security, Capital Providers, Social Media Strategies, Deal Makers and Start-up case studies.