



Dawn Speros of Gowrie Group Named to YBAA Advisory Board and Selected as Panelist for YBAA's New England Brokerage Seminar

Newport, RI. June 2011. Dawn M. Speros, a twenty year veteran of the marine insurance industry and Senior Yacht Insurance Specialist at Gowrie Group, was recently elected to be on the prestigious Advisory Board for the Yacht Brokers Association of America (YBAA). Her position on the board is head of the Insurance Task Force. In this role she will focus on helping yacht brokers' better serve their yacht clients and the marine industry in general, through increased education, awareness, and integration with the marine insurance industry.

Expert Panelist for YBAA. Dawn has also been selected to be part of a panel of marine industry experts at YBAA's upcoming New England Yacht Brokerage University seminar in Providence, RI on June 14, 2011. She will provide the audience of yacht brokers and marine industry experts, insights on many topics including:

- How to make inroads into the Canadian and European yacht sales markets
- How to preserve your position as an expert in a marketplace where the consumer has access to endless information through the internet
- Understanding the risks yacht sales professionals, and the firms they work for, take by not having errors and omissions insurance
- Understanding what factors are playing the biggest roles in the improvement of the yacht brokerage industry

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