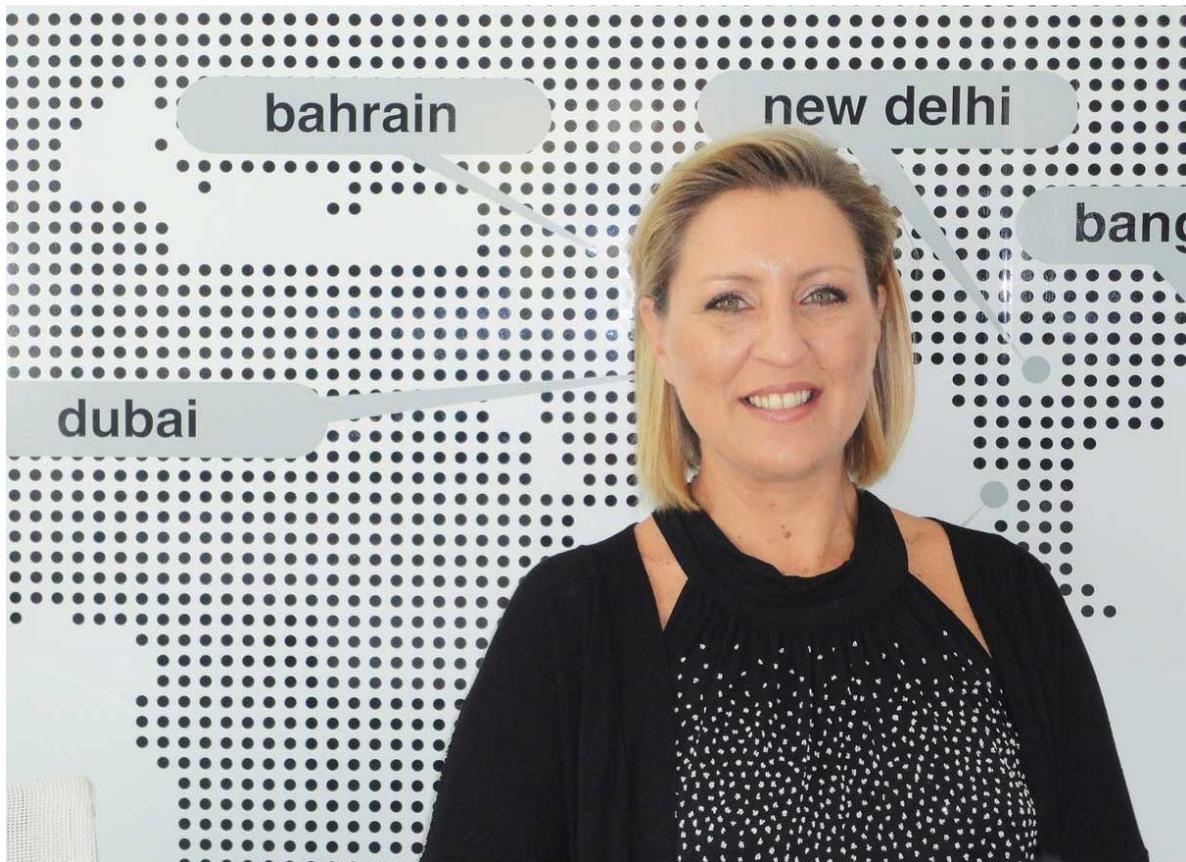


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## **New dwp Regional Business Development Director for the Middle East**

Linda Van Der Walt promoted to new position within international architecture and interior design firm **dwp** | design worldwide partnership based out of the UAE



World-class architecture and interior design firm **dwp** recently appointed a new Regional Business Development Director to their **dwp UAE** office, responsible for the entire Middle East territories, for the **dwp** group. **dwp** has shown their continued commitment to the Middle East once again, by promoting Linda Van Der Walt, previously Business Development Director in their Bahrain office, to oversee the entire region and surrounding emerging markets.

"I am delighted to have been offered this prestigious opportunity to lead Business Development in the entire Middle East region, for **dwp** | design worldwide partnership. This innovative architecture and interior design firm already has an extensive and innovative portfolio, attracting much attention in the market and I intend to continue developing **dwp**'s personal approach, with individual attention to each client and deliver outstanding design, with the support of the whole international dwp management and design team network. I am also excited about living in Dubai again," Linda was quoted as saying.

Educated and trained in interior design, Linda has extensive experience in the corporate, retail, hospitality and lifestyle sectors. She has worked not only as an interior designer, across multiple disciplines, but is also a skilled marketing and business development expert. From South Africa to the Middle East, Linda set up and successfully ran her own company for 12 years, before making a

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strategic move, to apply her knowledge and know-how to assisting high profile firms in their interior design, marketing, business development, corporate strategy and communications requirements. She has a far-reaching grasp of both client needs and visionary design concepts and has been a valuable asset to the dwp team for the last 2 years already.

Regarding the creation of this post, **dwp** CEO, Brenton Mauriello, noted: “Linda is most deserving of this promotion, having continually shown her dedication and passion to creating new opportunities for **dwp**. Her professionalism and client relations, in securing new business and creating client loyalty, are second to none.”

**dwp** has a total of 12 offices in 10 countries worldwide, including Australia, Bahrain, China, Hong Kong, India, Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand, UAE and Vietnam.

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From small, voracious, entrepreneurial beginnings, since 1994, dwp has flourished into an award-winning, one-stop integrated design service, with global reach. Even in the most challenging of locations, over 450 multi-cultural professionals work together to deliver architecture, interior design, planning consultancy and project management, across borders, to the highest international standards. With currently 12 offices in 10 different countries, **dwp** presents its finest iconic designs time and again.

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