



# **2025** WIT Key Dates Calendar



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# 2025 Calendar At-A-Glance

December TBD	Driver of the Year Award Nominations Open
January 1	Distinguished Woman in Logistics Award Nomination Open
January 3	Top Women to Watch Nominations Close
January 27	Driver of the Year Award Nominations Close
January 31	Salute to Women Behind the Wheel Event Sponsorship Deadline
February 7	Redefining the Road Magazine Advertising Deadline for Edition 1
February 12	Distinguished Woman in Logistics Award Nominations Close
February 21	Redefining the Road Magazine Ad Files/ Materials Due for Edition 1
February 25	Two Day Strategic Planning Session in Dallas, TX
March 6	Mentor Mixer
March 7	Redefining the Road Magazine Edition 1 Published
March 8	Top Women to Watch Winner Congratulatory Ads Published in RTR Magazine
March 28	Salute to Women Behind the Wheel Event in Louisville, KY at MATS
March 29	Accelerate! Conference & Expo Speaker Submission Deadline
May 9	Top Companies for Women to Work in Transportation Nominations Close
June 1	I HEART Trucking Photo Contest Open for Submissions
June 5	Mentor Mixer
June 6	Redefining the Road Advertising Deadline for Edition 2
June 20	Redefining the Road Magazine Ad Files/ Materials Due for Edition 2
June 30	I HEART Trucking Photo Contest Closes
July 1	I HEART Trucking Photo Contest Voting Open
July 14	I HEART Trucking Photo Contest Voting Closes
July 28	Redefining the Road Magazine Edition 2 Published
July 30	Influential Woman in Trucking Award Nominations Open
September 4	Mentor Mixer
September 10	Influential Woman in Trucking Award Nominations Close
September 12	Redefining the Road Magazine Advertising Deadline for Edition 3
September 26	Redefining the Road Magazine Ad Files/ Materials Due for Edition 3
October 29	Redefining the Road Magazine Edition 3 Published
October 29	Top Companies for Women to Work in Transportation published in RTR Magazine
November 9	Accelerate! Conference & Expo in Dallas, TX Nov. 9-12
December 4	Mentor Mixer
Weekly	SiriusXM Women In Trucking Show Saturdays on Road Dog Trucking Channel 146
Monthly	Member of the Month Recognition
Ongoing	WIT Index Data Submission
Ongoing	Digital Advertising Opportunities



# **Driver of the Year Award**

# Nominations open: December 2024

Nominations close: January 27, 2025

- Recognize an outstanding female professional driver with this award sponsored by Walmart
- Winner announced at the Salute to Women Behind the Wheel event in Louisville, KY at MATS on Friday, March 28.

# **MORE DETAILS**

# **Distinguised Woman in Logistics Award**

#### Nominations open: January 1, 2025 Nominations close: February 12, 2025

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- Recognize a female leader in logistics with this award sponsored by Truckstop and TIA
- Winner announced at the TIA Conference April 11

# **MORE DETAILS**

# **Influential Woman in Trucking Award**

# Nominations open: July 30, 2025

#### Nominations close: September 10, 2025

- Recognize an outstanding female leader who is creating change and inspiring others with this award sponsored by Daimler Truck North America
- Winner announced at the Accelerate! Conference & Expo on Nov. 11 in Dallas, TX

# **MORE DETAILS**

# **Top Women to Watch**

#### Nominations open: Ongoing Nominations close: January 3, 2025

- Recognize women who are positively impacting their companies
- Employee and company recognition
- Top Women to Watch, sponsored by PACCAR, is published in the *RTR* Magazine Edition 1
- Congratulatory ads published in RTR Magazine Edition 1, Mar. 8, 2025

# **MORE DETAILS**

# **Top Companies for Women to Work in Transportation**

#### Nominations open: Open/Ongoing Nominations close: May 9, 2025

- Recognize companies with a proven track record of attracting and retaining women
- Top Companies for Women to Work for in transportation, sponsored by Navistar, are published in the *RTR* Magazine Edition 3
- Congratulatory ads are published in *RTR* Magazine Edition 3, Oct. 30, 2025

# MORE DETAILS

# I HEART Trucking Photo Contest

Submissions open: June 1, 2025 Submissions close: June 30, 2025

- Showcase pride for the trucking industry in pictures and recognize your company and employees
- Voting will take place Jul. 1-14, 2025
- I HEART Trucking Photo Contest results are published in the *WIT eNews* (WIT Newsletter)

#### **MORE DETAILS**

# **Member of the Month**

#### Nominations open: Open/Ongoing

- Each month a WIT Member is highlight for their success. A great way to recognize employees and your company.
- Press Release at the beginning of each month
- Initiative is ongoing, submit your story anytime to MyStory@WomenInTrucking.org

# **MORE DETAILS**

# **Member MVP Award Contest**

The member who refers the most new members from March 1 - October 1 will be recognized as our Member MVP at the 2025 Accelerate! Conference & Expo in November.



# **WIT Strategic Planning Session**

#### Event dates: February 25-27, 2025

- Board of Directors, Partners, and Staff meet for an in-depth strategic planning meeting
- Located at the Hilton Anatole in Dallas, TX

# **Salute to Women Behind the Wheel**

#### Sponsor deadline: February 28, 2025 | Event date: March 28, 2025

- Free reception for female CDL holders and family at MATS in Louisville, KY
- Sponsorship/tables available to show support for drivers

#### **MORE DETAILS**

# Accelerate! Conference & Expo

#### Speaker deadline: March 31, 2025 | Event date: November 9-12, 2025

- Annual professional development and networking conference and expo
- Exhibitor and sponsorship opportunities available AND Speaker opportunities available
- Event located at the Hilton Anatole in Dallas, TX

#### **MORE DETAILS**

# SiriusXM WIT Show

#### Every Saturday 10 a.m. – 12 p.m. CT

- Be a guest on the SiriusXM Women In Trucking Show, hosted by Ellen Voie, WIT Founder
- The show features industry professionals such as drivers, technicians, engineers, CEOs, etc.
- Guest spots can be between 15 minutes and one hour during the two-hour show.
- The show is live on Saturdays 10 a.m. 12 p.m. CT on Road Dog Channel 146, shows rebroadcast on Saturdays at 10 p.m. CT; Sundays at 9 p.m. CT and available on the SXM app for up to three weeks after it airs.

**MORE DETAILS** 



# Research

# **Market Research**

#### Submissions: Open/Ongoing

• WIT can conduct original market research and/or whitepapers through unique/customized lead generation, sponsored content, and thought leadership programs.

**MORE DETAILS** 



# **Redefining the Road Magazine**

Deadlines: Ed. 1 – January 17, 2025 | Ed. 2 – June 6, 2025 | Ed. 3 – September 12, 2025

- WIT's official magazine published three times per year, in-print and digital
- Reach 20k readers: drivers/industry professionals through sponsored content and advertising
- Edition 1: Top Women to Watch Winner Congratulatory Ad opportunity
- Edition 1: Workforce Resource Guide Ad opportunity
- Edition 2: Entrepreneur's Guide
- Edition 3: Top Companies for Women to Work Congratulatory Ad opportunity in Edition 3
- Edition 3: Transportation Resource Guide
  - Page 8 in the media kit

# **MORE DETAILS**

# **Digital Channels**

# **Open/Ongoing**

#### WIT eNews and Social Channels

- Reach demographic of 8k eNews readers and 120k followers in the industry
- WIT's newsletter, Facebook, LinkedIn, Instagram, TikTok and Twitter channels
- Pages 12-15 in the media kit

#### **Professional Driver Hub**

- Recruitment video placed on WIT's Professional Driver Hub
- Reach women looking to get into driving or for driving positions
- Page 11 in the media kit

# Women In Trucking Member Approved Provider Program (WIT MAP)

- WIT reviews, approves, and endorses one provider per market segment
- Use of WIT Map Gold Seal logo, integrated strategic plan to showcase company
- Page 16 in the media kit

Career Center

Post jobs on the <u>WIT Job Board</u>

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