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At its annual conference this week, the Institute of Retirement Funds honoured funds that had good strategies for communicating with their members. Pictured here with their Communications Challenge awards are from left to right: Myrsheila Wessels and Craig Chidrawl from Alexander Forbes Retirement Fund, the winner of the umbrella fund category; Yusuf Latha of Hannover Reinsurance Africa Limited Pension and Provident Fund, merit award winner for financial literacy efforts; Tebogo Tlatsana from the Nedgroup Defined Contribution Provident Fund, the overall winner of the Communications Challenge; Frikkie Schroeder of the Sentinel Mine Employees Pension Fund, the winner the Winners Circle Category; Ferdi Maritz of Billiton Retirement Fund, the winner of the medium fund category award; Agatha Sejoe of the Debswana Pension Fund, winner of a merit award for recognition of the needs of pensioners; and Rob Macdonald of the Nedgroup Defined Contribution Provident Fund, which also won the large fund category award.