



Actuaries Without Borders: introduction

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ACTUARIES WITHOUT BORDERS
SECTION DES ACTUAIRES SANS FRONTIÈRES DE L'AAI

Actuaries Without Borders

- ▶ Special interest section of the IAA
 - “AWB...facilitates the provision of temporary actuarial services, through the volunteer efforts of its (AWB) members, in geographies where there is a lack of such resources”
- ▶ Assignments
 - ▶ Actuarial education seminars
 - ▶ Government / regulatory training
 - ▶ Fledgling actuarial society support
- ▶ Structure
 - ▶ Members: ordinary, observer, donor
 - ▶ AWB leadership committee and AWB members
 - ▶ AWB Committee: max 13, min 8; 10 elected AWB members, 2 IAA delegates and 1 ED appointed by AWB Committee; Chair/Vice-chair/Secretary/Treasurer

AWB: Where Do We Work?



AWB: Recent Projects

- Bogota, Colombia – October 2013
- Ho Chi Minh, Vietnam – May 2013
- Lomé, Togo – April 2013
- Colombo, Sri Lanka, and Dhaka, Bangladesh – January 2013
- Baku, Azerbaijan – November 2012
- Bucharest, Romania – September 2012
- Kathmandu, Nepal – April 2012
- Tirana, Albania – March 2012
- Caribbean Actuarial Association – Summer 2011
- Baku, Azerbaijan – December 2009



AWB projects in progress

- ▶ Actuarial Bookstore
- ▶ Zambia – mentoring lecturer at Zambia university for use of FAP modules of SoA– ongoing
- ▶ Kazakhstan – life/non-life/reinsurance pricing & reserving
- ▶ Uganda – social security and professionalism (depening upon risk situation=
- ▶ Nepal & Bhetan?

How to apply for AWB support?

- ▶ Actuarial association or regulator or supranational institution should file an AWB request as per form on website
- ▶ Future: Executive Director will contact the requesting party and discuss the request (at this moment, in the absence of ED, RDL); eventually the project manager will immediately be part of the discussions
- ▶ Requesting party should take care of local expenses for the AWB volunteers (lodging, transport,...) and the venue of the event (room, tea/coffee breaks, lunch)
- ▶ AWB eventually supported by requesting party will seek for additional funding for the airfees (AWB looks for donors)
- ▶ AWB looks for volunteers
- ▶ Requesting party will sign commitment letter
- ▶ Time span: depends upon easiness to find donors, organise the logistics but usually at least three months...

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Request an
AWB Project



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Request an AWB Project

Actuaries Without Borders (AWB) welcomes project requests or suggestions from any party. You do not need to be a Member of AWB, or an actuary, to request or suggest a particular project for AWB.

The AWB Committee evaluates requested and other potential projects for compatibility with our **Mission and Strategy Document**. We also evaluate the project's resource demands against what resources AWB has available and accessible.

Requestor's Name:

Requestor's Email:

Requestor's Country:

Location of Project:

Requestor's Affiliation:

Name of organisation:

Name of Affiliated Entity:

Other:

Project Sponsor/Co-Sponsor
[if different than Affiliated entity, if any]

Funding source [if any]

Brief description of project
and target beneficiaries:

AWB: Volunteer Opportunities

- ▶ **Actuarial Education**
 - ▶ Teach an Exam Seminar
 - ▶ Teach a University Course Online
- ▶ **Project Coordination**
- ▶ **Student Mentoring**
- ▶ **Industry Application Seminars**
 - ▶ Basic Reserving
 - ▶ Regulatory Mechanics
 - ▶ Social security
 - ▶ Professionalism

- ▶ **But you must join:**

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AWB: when will it be your turn?





