



CALL FOR PAPERS

Insurance Evolution: Change is the only Constant

The Actuarial Society of Hong Kong invites you to attend the Life Section Colloquium of the International Actuarial Association which will be held in Hong Kong from 25 to 27 April 2016. The overall theme of the conference, ***Insurance Evolution: Change is the only Constant***, recognises that the life insurance industry is continuing to evolve to meet the needs of its customers, and how the role of the actuary is changing and adapting within this. The Scientific Committee is starting the search for speakers to present at this prodigious event. Would you like to be part of the programme?

Key topics

To fit within the overall “evolutionary” theme of this Colloquium the Scientific Committee has identified three key technical topics for discussion, and we invite proposals that cover regulatory and/or strategic issues in each of these areas:

- A. Risk, capital and value
- B. Products, markets, customers and distribution
- C. Data, analytics and technology

These topics have been designed to encourage and inspire contributions; the Scientific Committee has chosen not to provide a more detailed list of specific topics as we do not wish to narrow the scope of the Colloquium. The programme will be shaped by attendees, for attendees.

In addition to the technical topics outlined above, we would like to consider how the role of the actuary is changing to meet the evolving needs of the life insurance industry, the skills the actuary of the future needs and how the professional bodies are helping to meet the challenges they face. We have therefore included a fourth topic:

- D. The role of the actuary and professional skills

The Scientific Committee welcomes session proposals that offer:

- New thinking (from academia, consulting firms or companies)
- Practical insights and/or case studies
- An international perspective (considering mature, emerging and frontier markets)
- Contributions from industry practitioners working outside the traditional actuarial roles (including non-actuaries)
- Professional and soft skills development



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To ensure we provide a first-class experience for participants we are looking for dynamic and entertaining speakers to generate thought-provoking discussion and debate!



GUIDELINES FOR PAPER

1. Synopsis submissions need to be submitted to iaa2016@icc.com.hk by **30 November 2015**. Please use the synopsis template provided for submissions. The synopsis provided should give a succinct and adequate account of the paper's purpose, methods, results, conclusions and links to existing literature.
2. The Scientific Committee will short-list contributions for presentation on the basis of the submitted synopses. Provisional acceptance, rejection and any additional feedback will be communicated to each submitting author no later than **31 December 2015**.
3. Completed papers and draft presentations need to be submitted to iaa2016@icc.com.hk by **15 February 2016** in .pdf format.

Papers should be written in English and, in terms of quality of content, meet the requirements of recognised professional and scientific journals. Papers should be no more than 30 pages long, use standard margins and font size 12. All papers must be submitted with a coversheet, and the main text should start on page 2. Pages must be numbered.

References must be organised alphabetically; multiple references for a single author must be ordered chronologically. Journal references must include author, year, title, journal title, volume and pages. Book references must include author, year, title, editor and city.

Presentations should be in English and need to be self-contained, including references. All submitted presentations should follow the Colloquium *presentation template*.

4. Submitted papers and draft presentations will be evaluated by the Scientific Committee, and final acceptance will be confirmed no later than **15 March 2016**.
5. Final presentation files need to be submitted to iaa2016@icc.com.hk by **31 March 2016** in .ppt format. Presentations should be in English and need to be self-contained, including references. All submitted presentations should follow the Colloquium *presentation template*.
6. A list of the accepted papers, the final papers and the presentation files will be published on the website.

Any queries about the procedures for submitting a paper and/or presentation should be directed to the Scientific Committee at iaa2016@icc.com.hk.

Note: All speakers shall incur the cost of attending the Colloquium at their own expense. There will be no subsidisation, discount, waiver or extension of special registration offers for presenters or delegates with respect to registration fees, flights or accommodation.

IMPORTANT DATES FOR PAPER SUBMISSION

Activity	Milestone	Actions
Synopsis submissions	30 November 2015	Submission of synopsis following the synopsis template
Provisional acceptance notification	31 December 2015	Accepted presenters notified by email Presentation template provided
Full submission	15 February 2016	Submission of completed papers and draft presentations in .pdf format
Final acceptance notification	15 March 2016	Accepted presenters notified by email
Final submission	31 March 2016	Submission of final presentation files in .ppt format

All submissions must be made to iaa2016@icc.com.hk and should be in English.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- When** : 25-27 April 2016
Where : Conrad Hong Kong
Pacific Place, 88 Queensway, Hong Kong
Hosts : International Actuarial Association (IAA)
and Actuarial Society of Hong Kong (ASHK)



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SYNOPSIS TEMPLATE

Please return the Synopsis to IAA Life Section Colloquium – Meeting Secretariat

Email: iaa2016@icc.com.hk

CONTACT DETAILS

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SUBMISSION DETAILS

Title of paper / Presentation to appear in the programme:	
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Author details (Name, position, company)

Author 1:		Author 2:	
Author 3:		Author 4:	

Topic:	<input type="checkbox"/> Risk, capital and value	<input type="checkbox"/> Products, markets, customers and distribution	<input type="checkbox"/> Data, analytics and technology	<input type="checkbox"/> The role of the actuary and professional skills
What form will the submission take:	<input type="checkbox"/> Presentation and paper		<input type="checkbox"/> Presentation only	
What level of knowledge will be required:	<input type="checkbox"/> No prior knowledge	<input type="checkbox"/> General background knowledge assumed	<input type="checkbox"/> Technical / specific knowledge required	

The presentations will be published on the Colloquium website. By submitting the papers and presentations to the IAA Life Section Colloquium, presenters will by default be granting permission for us to publish their papers and presentations. Do let us know if you DO NOT wish to have your presentation published and we will accommodate accordingly.

I/We agree to publish the papers and presentations:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
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SYNOPSIS

Keywords (max. 10 words):

Brief description (max. 220 words)

Synopsis: