Berlin Special Newsletter

Audience: All

This Special Newsletter reports on the discussions and action items arising from the IAA Council and Committee meetings held in Berlin from May 30-June 3, 2018.

Highlights from this issue include:

- Presidential Town Hall
- IFRS Update and Cross-Topic Sessions
  - OECD Initiatives
  - IAIS Initiatives
  - Mortality Initiatives
- Lunch Speaker — Jonathan Dixon, IAIS Secretary General
- Executive Committee and Presidents’ Report
- New Associate Member — Actuarial Society of Iran
- Items Approved by Council
- Official Dinner
- Outcomes of Committee and Working Group Meetings
- Outcome of Section Committee Meetings
- Presidents’ Forum
- Next Meetings — Mexico City

New Website Accounts and Communications Preferences for GDPR Compliance

Audience: All
Last month, the new IAA website was launched. As IAA volunteers, you would have received a communication asking to update your website account password and to confirm your email communication preferences to conform with GDPR rules. Unfortunately, a very small number of our volunteers have done so. We understand some emails were flagged as junk. In order to avoid losing access to IAA email communications in the future, please update your profile immediately.

What can you do?
1. Check for a noreply@actuaries.org email in your junk or spam box.
2. If you have not received the email, or cannot find it anymore, please contact IAA IT Web Services at webservices@actuaries.org for assistance.
3. Please note that your login for the old website does not work anymore, your personal email address is now your login username.

Once you have successfully logged into your new account, select the “Communication Preferences” tab under your profile. Instructions for updating these preferences can be found here. You must opt-in to receive IAA communications then SAVE. Afterwards, you may tailor your communication preferences if you wish to receive specific communication types.

Reminder: Call for Nominations for Audit & Finance Committee 2019 Vacancies (Deadline: July 3, 2018)

Audience: Full Member Associations Council Delegates

Council approved the Nominations Committee’s recommendations in Berlin on June 2, 2018, to the structure of the Audit & Finance Committee. Please send your association’s nominations to Norah Neill at the IAA Secretariat no later than July 3, 2018 for the following vacancies:

Vice chair, 2-year term (followed by 2 years as Chair)
Member, 1-year term (to fill the remainder of the vacant term due to member resigning early)

For more information on the Audit and Finance Committee’s role you may visit the committee’s web page and click the last tab on the right titled “Terms of Reference”.

On behalf of Tom Terry
Chairperson, Nominations Committee

Virtual ICA (VICA)

Audience: Member Association Correspondents and Chief Executive Officers

The International Congress of Actuaries in Berlin may be over, but your members can still benefit from the virtual content, which includes over 150+ hours of recorded sessions, including all five informative and interesting plenary sessions such as Future of Longevity, Future of Insurance, Future of Low Interest Rate Environment, Future of Mobility and Future of Regulation. Complete details of the VICA Program are available online.

How can your members access VICA content?
If your members want to access the VICA, they can become a member of at least of one of the following IAA sections (AFIR-ERM, ASTIN, IAALS, IACA). Information on how to become a member of the sections can be found on www.actuaries.org. Once you are a member, you will get a personal registration code for the VICA 2018 platform.

We encourage all member associations to share this information with your members.
For any questions or further details, please contact Juan Laverde, Sections Coordinator.

2019 Section Colloquium — Cape Town

Audience: Member Association Correspondents

The Actuarial Society of South Africa will be hosting a joint colloquium of five IAA Sections. The 1st Announcement and Call for Papers is attached.

We would kindly ask association Correspondents to share this information with your membership as you see fit. Thank you for your cooperation.

For any questions or further details, please contact Juan Laverde, Sections Coordinator.

President’s Email Address

Audience: All

We have received several reports of emails seemingly coming from the IAA President using an AOL.com email address. If you have received such an email, please forward it to webservices@actuaries.org and delete it afterwards. This incident has been reported to AOL technical support.

Please note that the IAA President’s email address is president@actuaries.org

Thank you for your cooperation and we apologize for any inconvenience.

Upcoming Deadlines

Audience: Member Association Correspondents

- 30 June: Consultation on Exposure Draft of Proposed ISAP 4 on IFRS 17 Insurance Contracts
  Exposure Draft for ISAP 4 - Consultation period 27 February to 30 June 2018
  Transmittal Memo (27 February 2018)
  Exposure Draft for ISAP 4 - Clean Version (Comment Deadline 30 June 2018)
  Amendments to Glossary for ISAP 4 Exposure Draft
  Comment Template (Please use this MSWord template to submit comments)

- 14 July: Nigeria Actuarial Society Full Membership Application: 30-day Exposure Period