



WEEKLY NEWS BRIEF

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Mexico City Pre-Council Webinars

Audience: Full Member Associations Council Delegates and Leaders' Forum

Thank you to everyone who participated in our 2nd webinar on IAA Restructuring Options earlier this week. Combined with the 1st webinar, we hope that it provided everyone with a good background and restructuring options to consider leading up to productive discussions in Mexico City.

Please visit the [Council Webinars web page](#) to access the audio recordings, PowerPoint slides and attendance lists.

Communications Subcommittee

Audience: Council Delegates; Chairpersons of IAA Committees, Sections and Working Groups

At its meeting of October 23rd, the Executive Committee (EC) approved a new name and revised [terms of reference](#) for the Communications Subcommittee (a subcommittee of EC). Although "Branding" was removed from the subcommittee's name, the promotion and development of the IAA brand amongst our stakeholders remains an important focus of our work.

The subcommittee also completed its review of IAA public policy and received EC approval for a revision to the Guidelines for Committee, Working Group and Section Papers. These Guidelines are on the Council agenda for approval in Mexico City. The revision includes a reference to the [Peer Review Considerations and Readability Guidelines](#) which have been prepared by the subcommittee and will be used to review papers. We encourage chairs to familiarize themselves with these to ensure that papers are suitable for release under the IAA banner.

Additionally, the Secretariat has established a [webpage](#) which lists all current papers under development. The goal is to make member associations aware of the titles and status of all IAA papers.

Should you have any questions, please contact [Christian Levac](#), Director of Communications & Membership.

Request for December Newsletter Submissions

Audience: Member Association Correspondents; Chairpersons of IAA Committees, Sections and Working Groups, Patrons

The next regular IAA newsletter will be issued at the end of December. If your group has any news or events of international interest for this issue, please send your article(s) by **December 7th** to newslettersubmissions@actuaries.org.

Note to Member Associations: We are seeking member associations interested in being featured in our "MEET THE ASSOCIATION" section in upcoming Newsletter issues. If you are interested, please submit your interest to newslettersubmissions@actuaries.org for further details.

Note to Chairpersons: Please provide us with any presentations made to external organizations by members of your committee/group/section, or of any planned presentations. Please also convey news from any task forces, working groups or subcommittees reporting to your committee. If you would like to submit an article but do not have time to write it, please ask your vice-chair(s) to help you out. Note that any information related to your meetings in Mexico City will be reported in our post-Mexico Special Newsletter. A follow-up email will be sent to chairs who have not yet sent me their submission.

Upcoming Deadlines

- December 31: Provide comments on the IFRS 17 Coordination Task Force Discussion Paper

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