Presidents Forum: Role and Purpose?

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Agenda

• Context
  – Mission of the Presidents Forum
  – Questions raised in the IAA Governance Review Survey

• Questions for discussion
Presidents Forum: current state

• **Mission**: Build relationships and understanding among the current Presidents of the world’s actuarial associations.

• Group convenes twice yearly at IAA Committee and Council meetings.

• **Focus**: discuss matters of strategic importance to the worldwide profession.

• Independent of IAA formal structure.

• Restricted attendance: one current President at the inner table, maximum two additional at outer table.
IAA Governance Review Survey

• Majority of responses say Presidents Forum adds value (‘yes’ or ‘somewhat’).
• Support for Presidents Forum as opportunity for discussion of IAA strategic plan, and sounding board for key decisions before they are taken to Council.
• Majority do not feel that the Presidents Forum should become part of IAA formal structure.
Discussion Today

IAA objective: bring together leaders of the actuarial profession from across the world.

→ How can the Presidents Forum support this objective?

IAA objective: strengthen and develop the engagement of member associations.

→ What role can the Presidents Forum play in enhancing this engagement?