

The Workers' Comp Expert

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Allan Kerin, chief actuary and executive vice president for Berkshire Hathaway Guard Insurance Companies, died in August 2020.

A member of the [American Academy of Actuaries](#), he earned a BS in mathematics and an MS in applied mathematics and statistics from the State University of New York at Stony Brook.

Kerin was a long-serving member of several CAS Committees. He was active on the Syllabus and Exam Committee from 1995 to 2003, and in 2002 he served on the Design Task Force for Exams 3 and 4. From 1997 to 2000, he served on the Ratemaking Committee. He also served AR from 2002 to 2008.

A workers' compensation expert, Kerin wrote "[Workers Compensation Pricing Perspectives: Factors Affecting Workers Compensation Insurance Efficiency and Cost](#)," which was published in the May 31, 2019, edition of the prestigious insurance industry publication The Standard. In the article he shared his thoughts on workers' compensation pricing and the factors that were driving rate reductions.