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Actuarial science originated in England in 1792 in the early days of life insurance. Because of the technical nature of the business, the first actuaries were mathematicians. Eventually, their numerical growth resulted in the formation of the Institute of Actuaries in England in 1848. Eight years later, in Scotland, the Faculty of Actuaries was formed. In the United States, the Actuarial Society of America was formed in 1889 and the American Institute of Actuaries in 1909. These two American organizations merged in 1949 to become the Society of Actuaries.

In the early years of the 20th century in the United States, problems requiring actuarial treatment were emerging in sickness, disability, and casualty insurance—particularly in workers compensation, which was introduced in 1911. The differences between the new problems and those of traditional life insurance led to the organization of the Casualty Actuarial and Statistical Society of America in 1914. Dr. I.M. Rubinow, who was responsible for the Society’s formation, became its first president. At the time of its formation, the Casualty Actuarial and Statistical Society of America had 97 charter members of the grade of Fellow. The Society adopted its present name, the Casualty Actuarial Society, on May 24, 1921.

The purposes of the Society are to advance the body of knowledge of actuarial science applied to property, casualty, and similar risk exposures, to establish and maintain standards of qualification for membership, to promote and maintain high standards of conduct and competence for the members, and to increase the awareness of actuarial science. The Society’s activities in support of this purpose include communicating with those affected by insurance, presenting and discussing papers, conducting seminars and workshops, collecting a library, conducting research, and other means.

Since the problems of workers compensation were the most urgent at the time of the Society’s formation, many of the Society’s original members played a leading part in developing the scientific basis for that line of insurance. From the beginning, however, the Society has grown constantly, not only in membership, but also in range of interest and in scientific and related contributions to all lines of insurance other than life, including automobile, liability other than automobile, fire, homeowners, commercial multiple peril, and others. These contributions are found principally in original papers prepared by members of the Society and others involved with actuarial science. These papers are published in the Proceedings of the Casualty Actuarial Society and currently in Variance, the Society’s peer-reviewed journal. The presidential addresses, also published in the Proceedings, have called attention to the most pressing actuarial problems, some of them still unsolved, that have faced the industry over the years.

The membership of the Society includes actuaries employed by insurance companies, industry advisory organizations, national brokers, accounting firms, educational institutions, state insurance departments, and the federal government. It also includes independent consultants. The Society has three classes of members: Fellows, Associates, and Affiliates. Both Fellowship and Associateship require successful completion of education requirements (examination, Validation by Educational Experience, and the Course on Professionalism) specified in the CAS Syllabus of Basic Education. The CAS also has mutual recognition agreements with other actuarial organizations as described under “Join/Renew” on the CAS Web Site (www.casact.org). Affiliates are qualified actuaries who practice in the general insurance field and wish to be active in the CAS but do not meet the qualifications to become a Fellow or Associate.

The publications of the Society and their respective prices are listed in the Society’s Yearbook/Proceedings. The Syllabus of Examinations outlines the course of study recommended for the examinations. Both the Yearbook/Proceedings and the Syllabus of Examinations are available online at www.casact.org.
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AUDIT COMMITTEE

The CAS Audit Committee is responsible for overseeing the internal control structure of the CAS and the annual independent audit of the financial statements and supporting accounts of the CAS by an auditing firm. The CAS Audit Committee is authorized to accept the independent audit reports and will use them as a basis for preparing its own annual report to the CAS Board of Directors.

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CAS CENTENNIAL STEERING COMMITTEE

The CAS Centennial Steering Committee is responsible for developing all aspects of and timelines for CAS Centennial events in 2014.

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CAS CENTENNIAL COMMEMORATIVE STEERING SUBCOMMITTEE

The CAS Centennial Commemorative Steering Subcommittee is charged with developing commemorative publications and gifts celebrating the CAS Centennial in 2014.

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CAS CENTENNIAL HISTORY SUBCOMMITTEE

The CAS Centennial History Subcommittee will produce a commemorative history book of the Casualty Actuarial Society in observance of the Society’s centennial in 2014. The committee will design the book’s overall structure, recruit and assist authors, edit each contribution, search for and obtain photographs, and publish and distribute the book. Members are encouraged to contribute ideas to the committee.

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CAS CENTENNIAL FINANCE SUBCOMMITTEE

The Centennial Finance Subcommittee will develop and monitor the budget for the Centennial based upon financial projections of membership/attendance, revenues from registrations, reserve fund, and sponsors/exhibitors, and expenses. The subcommittee will also collaborate with the Marketing subcommittee in securing corporate exhibitors and sponsors. Finally, the subcommittee will provide financial advice to the Centennial Commemorative Steering Committee as needed.

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CAS CENTENNIAL MARKETING SUBCOMMITTEE

The Centennial Marketing Subcommittee will develop and execute an integrated marketing communications plan including print, electronic, and Web media to promote the celebration and meeting attendance, including attracting international actuarial dignitaries. The subcommittee will cooperate with the Finance subcommittee to identify and secure corporate sponsors and exhibitors.

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CAS RISK MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

The CAS Risk Management Committee ensures that all risks and opportunities have been identified and are being treated consistently across the CAS. It considers the integration of all risks and opportunities to identify correlations and diversification benefits. It also is an oversight committee in that risks and opportunities may be addressed within other CAS functions. By including representatives from each CAS functional area, the committee will facilitate the CAS risk management activities while minimizing overlap. The Risk Management Committee reports to the Board of Directors.

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CONSTITUTION/BYLAWS TASK FORCE (ASSOCIATE RIGHTS)

The Constitution/Bylaws Task Force is charged with reviewing the CAS Constitution and Bylaws and recommending edits with respect to any changes related to the Associate Rights Task Force recommendations. The recommendations were approved for a membership vote by the CAS Board in November 2010.

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The CAS Discipline Committee is responsible for considering recommendations for disciplinary actions against members presented by the appropriate investigatory body, e.g., Actuarial Board for Counseling and Discipline (ABCD) or the Canadian Institute of Actuaries (CIA), and for taking actions on those recommendations as it deems appropriate in accordance with procedures described in the Bylaws and the CAS Rules of Procedure for Disciplinary Actions.

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NO\-MINAT\-ING COMMITTEE

The Nominating Committee nominates candidates for offices of the Society and for Board directors and submits its selections to the Board (for vice presidents) and to Fellows of the Society (for president-elect and Board directors) prior to the annual elections. The Committee makes recommendations to the Board to fill interim vacancies in Society offices or in Board membership. The committee also selects the recipient of the annual Matthew Rodermund Service Award.

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STRATEGIC PLANNING COMMITTEE

The Strategic Planning Committee has five major objectives:

1. To recommend strategy to the Board of Directors to enable the Casualty Actuarial Society to better realize its mission as stated in the Constitution and achieve strategic objectives endorsed by the Board.

2. To develop related goals that support the strategic objectives and, at the same time, identify strategic risks and opportunities facing the CAS and coordinate with the CAS Risk Management Committee on the management of these risks and opportunities.

3. To liaise with the Executive Council with respect to the interaction of strategy with tactics pursued by the various CAS Committees and Task Forces.

4. To maintain liaison relationships with planning groups in other actuarial organizations, both domestically and internationally.

5. To perform such other tasks as the Board may assign to it.

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TASK FORCE ON BOARD OPERATIONS AND STRUCTURE*

The Task Force on Board Operations and Structure is charged with identifying improvements in Board operations and structure in order to increase the Board’s effectiveness, efficiency, and representation of the membership.

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*Committee was disbanded March 2011

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This Task Force will examine the current CAS nominating and election processes in detail and report back to the CAS Board of Directors with findings and any recommended changes. The Task Force should focus on identifying potential reputational risks that exist in the processes and propose plans to mitigate those risks.

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- Establish CAS positions on international issues involving IAA, NAAC, etc.;
- Discuss and develop a plan to systematically manage international travel opportunities presented to the CAS president and president-elect (and other leaders) that can be integrated with other travel commitments of the offices and implemented annually;
- Develop and foster international relationships and trust and transfer the relationships when new leaders take office;
- Prioritize invitations from and to other actuarial organizations outside of Canada and the United States;
- Establish expense parameters for IAA Meetings and other international travel;
- Appoint or recommend IAA delegates as appropriate;
- Recommend support for actuarial organizations in developing countries.

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The Volunteer Issues Task Force is charged with examining our current volunteer structure including time commitments, “career paths”, the budget impact of expanded expense support by the CAS (i.e., spreading the cost of those benefits across a wider pool than simply the volunteers and their employers), as well as identifying new approaches to volunteering that are more attractive to our younger members.

The task force report should be received by the Executive Council at its October 2010 meeting.

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VEE ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

The VEE Administration Committee (VEEAC) determines whether specific courses or educational experiences are appropriate to fulfill the Validation by Educational Experience (VEE) requirements.

Richard Soulsby, Chairperson
Robert Brown
Bryan Hearsey
Bruce Jones
Aaron Tenenbein
Rebecca Williams
Stuart Klugman, Staff Liaison
Gena Long, Staff Liaison
Thomas Downey, Staff Liaison

LIAISON REPRESENTATIVES

AAA Committee on Qualifications
John Gleba

SOA Education & Examination Management Committee
Daniel Roth
ENTERPRISE RISK MANAGEMENT (ERM) COMMITTEES

ERM COMMITTEE

The CAS ERM Committee is responsible for ERM activities on behalf of the CAS as they relate to broadening, enhancing, and advancing the understanding of ERM for CAS members, especially through research, education, and training. The Committee helps implement and administer the new global ERM designation for the CAS.

David M. Terne, Chairperson
Maryellen J. Coggins, Vice Chairperson

Stephen A. Belden
Albee Sohn Bensimon
Jeffrey Alan Courchene
A. David Cummings

Kevin G. Dickson
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Stephen P. Lowe
Margaret Tiller Sherwood
Robert W. Thompson

Lawrence L. Peacock, Staff Liaison

ERM LIAISON REPRESENTATIVES

Liaison to the Actuarial Profession (U.K.) (Formerly the Institute of Actuaries)
Barry Franklin

Liaison to the American Academy of Actuaries (AAA) ERM Task Force
Barry Franklin

Liaison to the AAA P/C Financial Soundness/Risk Management Committee
Barry Franklin

Liaison to the AAA Risk Management and Solvency Committee
Barry Franklin

Liaison to the Canadian Institute of Actuaries (CIA)
Barry Franklin

CERA External Reviewer
Gary Venter

CERA Treaty Board Delegates
John Kollar
Kevin Dickson

CERA Review Panel Representative
Stephen P. D’Arcy

CERA Treaty Contact
Cynthia Ziegler

Liaison to the Chartered Financial Analysts (CFA) Institute
Barry Franklin

Liaison to the Conference of Consulting Actuaries (CCA)
Barry Franklin

Enterprise Risk Management Institute International (ERMII) Board and Executive Committee
Shaun Wang
Wayne Fisher
Barry Franklin
Liaison to the Global Association of Risk Professionals (GARP)
Barry Franklin

Liaison to the Institute of Actuaries of Australia (IAAust)
Barry Franklin

Liaison to the National Association of Insurance Commissioners (NAIC)
Barry Franklin

Liaison to the Professional Risk Managers’ International Association (PRMIA)
Barry Franklin

Liaisons to the Risk and Insurance Management Society, Inc. (RIMS)
Barry Franklin
Kip Bohn

Risk Management Section (RMS) ERM Symposium Representative
Kevin Madigan

Liaison to the RMS Newsletter
J. Michael Boa

Liaison to the RMS Web Site
J. Michael Boa
EAST ASIA TASK FORCE

The charge of the East Asia Task Force is to develop a formal plan for the future organizational structure for the CAS in East Asia. This may or may not result in retaining the current Asia Regional Committee structure, but should allow for support of continuing education needs, university liaisons, and basic education/admissions needs. Additionally, consideration could be given as to whether a separate Regional Affiliate, or Affiliates, should be created for the social aspects/needs for the profession in East Asia.

Ronald T. Kozlowski, Chairperson
Ralph S. Blanchard
Robert F. Conger
Kris D. DeFrain
Zhen Zhen Lai
Manalur S. Sandilya
Chung Yi Scott Yen
Cynthia R. Ziegler

CAS AMBASSADOR PROGRAM

The charge of the Ambassador Program is to assist the CAS in attaining the Centennial Goal, to identify needs of members who reside or work outside North America, and to serve as resources to emerging actuarial organizations and academic programs.

Ron Kozlowski, Asia Regional Ambassador
Manalur S. Sandilya, Ambassador to India
Peter Murdza, Ambassador to Korea
Alejandra S. Nolibos, Ambassador to Latin America
Ming Yi Wong, Ambassador to Malaysia
Kahshin Leow, Ambassador to Singapore

INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF ACTUARIES (ICA) 2014 ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

Led by the CAS, the five U.S. actuarial organizations will be hosting the International Congress of Actuaries (ICA) meeting in Washington, D.C. The 2014 ICA Organizing Committee will be staffed with leadership from the American Academy of Actuaries, American Society of Pension Professionals and Actuaries, Council of Consulting Actuaries, and Society of Actuaries.

Robert F. Conger, Chairperson
Cecil D. Bykerk, Vice Chairperson
Cynthia R. Ziegler, Vice Chairperson
Maggie Conger
Kathleen R. Dean
Yves Guerard
Aaron M. Halpert
Roger M. Hayne
Gregory W. Heidrich
Christian Levac
Jean-Louis Masse
Michael S. McLaughlin
Deborah M. Rosenberg
Nicole Seguin
Thomas S. Terry
ICA 2014 FINANCE AND RISK MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

This committee is responsible for preparing a financial plan and for developing and managing budgets for ICA 2014 income and expenses, within the overall vision and architecture articulated by the Organizing Committee. In addition, the committee is responsible for developing the Risk Management Plan for ICA 2014 for approval by the Organizing Committee, and for implementing and monitoring the Risk Management Plan, working with and through other ICA 2014 committees as appropriate.

The committee is responsible for communicating relevant budget information and expectations to other ICA 2014 committees and for tracking progress against budgets. The committee handles day-to-day interface with the IAA regarding the bursary program for actuaries seeking financial support to attend ICA 2014. The committee is responsible for providing regular progress reports, exception reports, analyses, and recommendations to the Organizing Committee. The Finance Committee reports to the Organizing Committee.

Aaron M. Halpert, Chairperson
Robert F. Conger, Ex Officio
Cynthia R. Ziegler, Ex Officio
Kathleen R. Dean
Mark Freedman
Stacy Lin
Todd P. Rogers
Max J. Rudolph
Andrea M. Sweeney

ICA 2014 HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE

This committee is responsible for creating and managing a welcoming, helpful, interesting, and entertaining experience for delegates and their accompanying persons, exclusive of the meeting rooms and major events. Anticipated scope of Committee activities includes, but is not necessarily limited to recruiting, organizing, training, and deploying event staff; procuring and delivering delegate gifts; organizing and staffing daily hospitality lounges for accompanying persons; organizing and operating an internet lounge; organizing and coordinating guest tours and activities, including activities for children and tours before and after ICA 2014; and assuring convenient access to information about the city and activities.

The Hospitality Committee reports to the Organizing Committee and operates within the overall vision, architecture, and financial plan articulated by the Organizing Committee.

Maggie Conger, Chairperson
Peggy Black
Nancy Braithwaite
Lau Chan Buffin
Loree Bykerk
Kitty Hartman
Eileen Hayne
Sue Hohman
Helen Kollar
Judy Lehmann
Barbara MacGinnitie
Mary McLaughlin
Barbara Meyers
Laurie Miccolis
Teresa Parmenter
Karen Terry
Cynthia Ziegler

Kathleen Dean, Staff Liaison

ICA 2014 LOGISTICS COMMITTEE

This committee is responsible for planning and operating the infrastructure of ICA 2014 in support of the other committees, including meeting space, exhibitor space, social activity space, hotel and vendor management, food and beverage, transportation, signage, language translation, registration desk, printed materials, and audio-visual equipment. The Logistics Committee reports to the Organizing Committee and operates within the overall vision, architecture, and financial plan articulated by the Organizing Committee.

Kathleen Dean, Chairperson

Rita DeGraaf
ICA 2014 PHILANTHROPIC COMMITTEE

This committee is responsible for developing, managing, and operating community outreach activities in connection with ICA 2014, including charitable works and donations, and inviting university and high school professors to the daily sessions. The committee interfaces with and hosts The Actuarial Foundation and other philanthropic actuarial and business organizations that seek a presence at ICA 2014. The Philanthropic Committee reports to the Organizing Committee and operates within the overall vision, architecture, and financial plan articulated by the Organizing Committee.

Thomas S. Terry, Chairperson

ICA 2014 SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

This committee is responsible for the overall design and content of the educational sessions of ICA 2014, working within the overall vision, architecture, and financial plan articulated by the Organizing Committee. The Scientific Committee is responsible for the planning and development of keynote speakers, plenary sessions, and concurrent sessions. These sessions will include speakers, panel discussions, paper presentations, and other similar content. The Scientific Committee conducts any calls for papers in connection with ICA 2014 (except where agreed that some other organization such as an IAA section will conduct a call for papers).

The Scientific Committee serves as the point of contact, coordination, and oversight with any of the U.S. actuarial organizations, IAA sections, and other organizations that have been invited and have agreed to take responsibility for creating content for one or more sessions.

The Scientific Committee reports to the Organizing Committee.

Roger M. Hayne, Chairperson
Craig Baldwin
Tom Campbell
Chris Carlson
Rita DeGraff
Tom Herget
Godfrey Perrott
Marc Slutzky
Emile Stipp

ICA 2014 PUBLIC RELATIONS AND MARKETING COMMITTEE

This Committee is responsible for public relations and marketing activities in support of ICA 2014 within the overall vision, architecture, and financial plan articulated by the Organizing Committee. The Committee's responsibility includes brand and logo design, web site design, design and dissemination of brochures and similar collateral, and presence and visibility at key actuarial meetings around the world during 2009 through 2014. This Committee's responsibility also includes creating appropriate visibility for ICA 2014 (including attracting and managing media representative attendance at ICA 2014) in the actuarial, industry, and general business and financial media — before, during, and after ICA 2014. The Committee reports to the Organizing Committee.

Deborah M. Rosenberg, Chairperson
J. Michael Boa
Amy S. Bouska
Leslie Cummings
Anne E. Kelly
Megan O’Neill
Joanne S. Spalla
Mavis A. Walters
Cynthia R. Ziegler

ICA 2014 SPECIAL EVENTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

This committee is responsible for developing, planning, and operating the special events that are an integral part of ICA 2014, working within the overall vision, architecture, and financial plan articulated by the Organizing Committee. These events include, for example, marquis events, outings and evening events that are intended for ICA 2014 delegates, as well as entertainment and special activities during opening and closing sessions or delegate meals. These events do not include events for accompanying persons, or pre- and post-ICA 2014 tours and activities (see Hospitality Committee). The Special Events and Entertainment Committee reports to the Organizing Committee.
ICA 2014 SPONSORSHIP AND EXHIBITS COMMITTEE

This committee is responsible for designing and operating the sponsorship program, recruiting and obtaining sponsors of ICA 2014, handling the ongoing interface with sponsors, and working with other committees to assure the effective delivery of promised sponsor benefits. The committee will perform within the overall vision, architecture, and financial plan articulated by the Organizing Committee.

The committee is responsible for designing and operating the exhibitor program, recruiting and obtaining exhibitors for ICA 2014, handling the ongoing interface with exhibitors, and working with other committees to assure the effective delivery of promised exhibitor benefits, all within the overall vision, architecture and financial plan articulated by the Organizing Committee.

The Sponsorships and Exhibits Committee reports to the Organizing Committee.

S. Michael McLaughlin, Chairperson
Steven G. Lehmann, Vice Chairperson
Robert M. Beuerlein
J. Michael Boa
Colleen Fiore
Denise Fuesz
W. James MacGinnitie
Alice Rosenblatt
Bradley M. Smith
Robert W. Stein
Larry D. Zimpleman

INTERNATIONAL ACTUARIAL ASSOCIATION (IAA) DELEGATES COMMITTEE

The IAA Delegates Committee consists of CAS delegates to the various IAA Committees, Subcommittees, Task Forces, Working Groups, and Council (included in the term “committees” as used in the following). The delegates’ responsibilities include representing the CAS position and protecting the interest of CAS members on the issues and items addressed by these IAA committees, while also meeting their responsibility as an official IAA committee member. As such, they are expected to search out the CAS position and possible CAS member interests on the various issues and items addressed by their IAA committees.

Kris D. DeFrain, Chairperson, Council Delegate
Ralph S. Blanchard, Alternate

Amy S. Bouska
Paul Braithwaite
Robert F. Conger
Robert S. Miccolis
Mary Frances Miller
Peter J. Murdza
Alejandra S. Nolibos
Marc F. Oberholtzer

Cynthia R. Ziegler, Staff Liaison
INTERNATIONAL MEMBER SERVICES COMMITTEE

The committee’s purpose is to maintain and enhance the connection between the CAS and its international members. By working in conjunction with the international regional affiliates, the committee aims to better serve the CAS’s international membership and increase their connection to, and involvement with, the CAS and other CAS members. Reports to the VP-International.

Examples of service include:

- Assisting the international Regional Affiliates in developing and implementing programs for their membership.
- Facilitating and encouraging informal communication and interaction via maintenance of e-mail lists.
- Assisting actuaries who are relocating by putting them in touch with others who have relocated to that region.
- Creating possible newsletters and other communications.
- Sponsoring Webinars for education on international actuarial topics.
- Facilitating interactions between traveling CAS leadership and international members.

Jeffrey Alan Courchene, Chairperson

Roselyn M. Abbiw-Jackson
Athula Alwis
Robert G. Blanco
Kris D. DeFrain
Alana C. Farrell
Kendra M. Felisky
Steven A. Glickman
Qing He
Scott C. Kurban

ZhenZhen Lai
Weng Kah Leong
Gabriel O. Maravankin
Alejandra S. Nolibos
Juan Carlos Rodriguez Mayoral
Manalur S. Sandilya
David B. Sommer
Andrew Jon Staudt
Gabriel Matthew Ware

Cynthia R. Ziegler, Staff Liaison

LIAISON REPRESENTATIVES

China Association of Actuaries
Jenny Lai

General Insurance Research Organising (GIRO) Committee
Douglas Lacoss

International Actuarial Association (IAA) Council Delegates
Kris DeFrain
Ralph S. Blanchard (Alternate)

Institute of Actuaries of Australia
Rade T. Musulin

The Actuarial Profession (U.K.) General Insurance Practice Executive Committee
Kathryn Morgan (UKAP)

SOA Latin America Committee
Alejandra Nolibos
MARKETING AND COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEES

JOINT CAS/CIA/SOA COMMITTEE ON ACADEMIC RELATIONS

The charge of the Joint CAS/CIA/SOA Committee on Academic Relations is to bring intentionality to the evolving, synergistic relationship between the actuarial profession and the academic community in order to achieve partnership on key initiatives.

Frederick Douglas Ryan, *Chairperson*

David Scott Hamilton  
Mary Rosalyn Hardy  
Curtis E. Huntington  
Arnold F. Shapiro  
Ken Guthrie, *Staff Liaison*  
Gena Long, *Staff Liaison*  
Megan O’Neill, *Staff Liaison*

JOINT CAS/SOA COMMITTEE ON ACTUARIAL DIVERSITY

The Joint CAS/SOA Committee on Actuarial Diversity is responsible for encouraging the entrance of minority students into the actuarial profession.

David M. Terne, *Chairperson*

Fritzie R Archuleta  
Kim Boxell  
Susan M. Cleaver  
Robert F. Conger  
Lilian Y. Giraldo  
Victoria A. Gomez  
Brian E. Johnson  
Ramona C. Lee  
Barry J. McKeson  
Henry Edward Newman  
Aran Jee-Yun Paik  
Joy-Ann C. Payne  
Kevin S. Wolf  
Ruth Zea  
Kathryn Baker, *Staff Liaison*  
Megan O’Neill, *Staff Liaison*

JOINT CAS/SOA COMMITTEE ON CAREER ENCOURAGEMENT

This Committee is responsible for increasing the recognition of the actuarial profession among students, educators, and career counselors in high schools, colleges, and universities. The Committee conducts research to investigate trends, target markets for recruiting, and measure attitudes of those in the exam process. The Committee develops ways to provide information on actuarial careers, such as printed and electronic recruiting material and career fairs. It shares editorial board responsibilities of the joint CAS/SOA actuarial career Web site, www.BeAnActuary.org, with the Joint CAS/SOA Committee on Actuarial Diversity.

Michael John Noble, *Chairperson*

Johnathan D. Chemick  
Jennifer Elizabeth Clark  
Christian J. Coleianne  
Thomas J. DeFalco  
Jeffrey F. Deigl  
Richard Charles Frese  
Wesley John Griffiths  
Erin Ashley Groark  
R. Dale Hall  
Michael James Hartshorn  
Kelly J. Hernandez  
Gary I. Koupf  
Erin M. Olson  
Kirk Alan Peter  
David A. Pitts  
Wee Keat Kenny Tan  
Kathryn Baker, *Staff Liaison*  
Megan O’Neill, *Staff Liaison*
TASK FORCE ON IMPROVING COMMUNICATIONS WITHIN THE CAS

The Task Force on Improving Communications within the CAS will evaluate the effectiveness of current CAS communications with its members with a focus on the communication shortfalls identified through the Quinquennial Membership Survey. The Task Force will recommend ways to improve the effectiveness of member communications on these issues.

Allan M. Kaufman, Chairperson
Nancy L. Arico
Leslie R. Marlo
Joanne S. Spalla
Catherine M. Wilson
Timothy L. Wisecarver
Windrie Wong

J. Michael Boa, Staff Liaison

MEDIA RELATIONS COMMITTEE

The Media Relations Committee is charged with working through the national, state, and local media to enhance the external visibility of casualty actuaries and to increase the public awareness of the role actuaries play in traditional, non-traditional, and developing areas of practice. The committee works with the American Academy of Actuaries and Insurance Information Institute in support of media relations efforts on property/casualty issues.

Mary T. Hosford, Chairperson
Mark S. Allaben
Jennifer Elizabeth Clark
Robin A. Harbage
Pamela A. Kaplan
Alex Krutov
Michael L. Toothman
Navid Zarinejad

Kim McKeown, Liaison
Cary Schneider, Liaison
Susanne Scalfane, Liaison
Andrew Simonelli, Liaison

J. Michael Boa, Staff Liaison

MEMBER ADVISORY PANEL COMMITTEE

The Member Advisory Panel Committee provides a mechanism that can be used to measure and assess CAS membership satisfaction levels, with the goal of assuring that the benefits of association far exceed the costs for members. To achieve this, CAS leaders and committees communicate openly with a representative collection of members who are willing to participate in surveys and research conducted by the CAS.

David W. Warren, Chairperson
Robert J. Schutte, Vice Chairperson
Melisa L. Darnieder
Andrea Gardner
Charles Gruber
Dennis H. Lawton
Stephen V. Merkey
Michael E. Mielzynski
David L. Miller
William F. Murphy
Karen Lynn Rivara
Wei-Chyin Tan
Dan Omer Tevet

J. Michael Boa, Staff Liaison
MEMBER ADVISORY PANEL

The Member Advisory Panel (MAP) was formed to provide CAS leaders and committees with access to a representative collection of members who are willing to participate in surveys and research conducted by the CAS. The MAP is managed by the Member Advisory Panel Committee.

Jeffrey R. Adcock
Kevin L. Anderson
Jonathan L. Ankney
Deborah Herman Ardern
Rose D. Barrett
Michael Christopher Beck
Saeeda Behbahany
Regina M. Berens
Robert G. Blanco
Michael P. Blivess
Neil M. Bodoff
David R. Bradley
Sara T. Broadrick
Elaine K. Brunner
Andrea W. Cablayan
Stephanie T. Carlson
William M. Carpenter
Maureen A. Cavanaugh
Debra S. Charlop
Wai Yip Chow
Gregory J. Ciezadlo
Eric R. Clark
J. Edward Costner
Jeanne E. Crowell
Kelly K. Cusick
Willie L. Davis
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Thomas J. DeFalco
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Howard M. Eugelfeld
Anthony D. Edwards
Caroline B. Edwards
Jonathan Palmer Evans
Philip A. Evensen
Joseph Gerard Evleth
John S. Ewert
Doreen S. Faga
Janet L. Fagan
Caryl Marie Fank
Alana C. Farrell
Ginda Kaplan Fisher
Sarah J. Fore
Jonathan W. Fox
Marie LeShongeon Fredericks
Kevin Jon Fried
Bruce E. Friedberg
Andrea Gardiner
Louis Ganteay
Nicholas P. Giuntini
Philippe Gosselin
Francis X. Gribbon
Charles R. Grilliot
John A. Hagglund
James A. Hall
Sandra K. Halpin
Trevor C. Handley
Brady L. Herrmans
Todd J. Hess
Anthony D. Hill
Aaron Nicholas Hillebrandt
Patricia A. Hladun
Gary Hoo
Long-Fong Hsu
Jeffrey R. Hughes
Min Jiang
Philippe Jodin
Daniel Keith Johnson
Jennifer Polson Johnson
Kurt J. Johnson
William Rosco Jones
Jeremy M. Jump
Stephen H. Kantor
C.K. Stan Kruey
Leon W. Koch
Kenneth A. Kurtzman
Francois Lacroix
Dean K. Lamb
Dennis H. Lawton
Todd W. Lehmann
Maria Mahon
Kevin Christopher Mahoney
Donald E. Manis
Zachary J. Martin
Jeffrey B. McDonald
Thomas S. McIntyre
Kelly S. McKethan
Mary Ann McMahon
Stephen V. Merkey
Daniel John Messner
Jennifer Lynn Meyer
Richard B. Moncher
Christopher J. Monsour
Timothy C. Mosler
Conrad P. Mueller
William F. Murphy
Helen Patricia Neglia
William S. Ober
Kevin Jon Olsen
Wade H. Oshiro
Joanne M. Ottone
John R. Pedrick
Tracie L. Pencak
Christopher Kent Perry
George N. Phillips
Joseph W. Pitts
Etienne Plante-Dube
Igor Pogrebinsky
Amber Bentley Popovitch
Warren T. Printz
David S. Pugel
Karen L. Queen
Kenneth Quintilian
Ezra Jonathan Robison
Rebecca L. Roever
Steven Carl Rominske
Gail M. Ross
Kenneth W. Rupert
John Christopher Sadloske
Stephen Paul Sauthoff
Letitia M. Saylor
Doris Y. Schirmacher
Karen L. Schmitt
Debbie Schubart
Jeffery C. Schwandt
Lyndsey J. Schwengler
Elizabeth L. Sogge
Anthony A. Solorz
Jeffrey L. Subeck
Neeza Thandi
Jonas F. Thissner
Anne M. Thomas
John Frank Thomas
Robert W. Thompson
Phoebe A. Tinney
Michael L. Tothman
Turgay F. Turnacioglu
Brian K. Turner
Brian A. Viscusi
Tice R. Walker
Alfred O. Weller
Scott Werfel
Lawrence White
Kirby W. Wisan
Linda Yang
Richard P. Yocum
Edward J. Yorty
Bin Yuan
Michael R. Zarember
NEW MEMBERS COMMITTEE

The New Members Committee is responsible for effectively integrating new members into the CAS and for ensuring that new member perspective are readily available to CAS committee in their work. Initially, the New Members Committee is asked to consider the recommendations of the Task Force on New Members with respect to new member recognition and class spirit and to be a resource to the Leadership Development Committee as it explores development programs for the CAS.

A New Member is defined as any Associate or Fellow whose most recent credential has been awarded within the past ten years.

Sean M. McAllister, Chairperson

John R. Emig
Richard Charles Frese
Stephen M. Harter
Kristin Harp Monopolis
Ronald S. Scott
Kimberly Yeomans

Matthew Caruso, Staff Liaison

COMMITTEE ON ONLINE SERVICES

The Committee on Online Services is responsible for assessing and providing guidance to staff on the configuration, content, and “look” of the CAS Web Site. At the direction of the Executive Council and the Board, the Committee will also provide support as the CAS explores and experiments with other emerging communication technologies.

G. Chris Nyce, Chairperson

Andrew Martin Chandler
Shan Lin
Joanne S. Spalla
Xiaomin Wang

Jennifer D. Walton, Staff Liaison

COMMITTEE ON SPONSORSHIPS AND ADVERTISING

The Committee on Sponsorships and Advertising is responsible for managing all aspects of the CAS Sponsorship and Advertising Program. This Committee will implement the recommendations of the CAS Revenue Opportunities Task Force, lead the identification and consideration of potential new sources of CAS non-dues revenue sources, recommend appropriate policies and guidelines for managing the program, and regularly assess the effectiveness of the program from both member and sponsor perspectives. The Committee will prepare an annual report for the Board on the CAS Sponsorship and Advertising Program.

Joanne S. Spalla, Chairperson

Nancy A. Braithwaite, Ex Officio
Chester John Szczepanski, Ex Officio

Eric J. Hornick
Richard B. Moncher
Kimberley A. Ward
Cynthia R. Ziegler

J. Michael Boa, Staff Liaison
Kathleen R. Dean, Staff Liaison
Megan O’Neill, Staff Liaison
Leanne Wieczorek, Staff Liaison
UNIVERSITY RELATIONS COMMITTEE

The CAS University Relations Committee is responsible for managing the CAS University Liaison and Academic Correspondent Programs. The Committee encourages and facilitates activities within the programs and actively promotes the programs to attract new participants. The Committee maintains liaison relationships with other committees involved in university activities to assure integration and coordination of efforts.

Jeffrey L. Kucera, Chairperson
Gwendolyn L. Anderson
Jason Arthur Clay
Elizabeth Cashman Merritt
Ginette Pacansky
Mark Priven
Eric W.L. Ratti
Robert K. Smith
Kathryn Ann Walker
Anping Wang
Jennifer M. Webb
Elizabeth A. Wellington
Mark S. Wenger
Megan O’Neill, Staff Liaison

CAS TRUST SCHOLARSHIP SUBCOMMITTEE

The CAS Trust Scholarship Subcommittee is responsible for all aspects of the CAS Trust Scholarship Program. The Subcommittee, which falls under the University Relations Committee, establishes eligibility requirements and application procedures, reviews applications and selects award winners, actively promotes the availability of the scholarship, and develops an annual recommendation for the number of scholarships and award amount in consultation with the CAS Trustees.

Letitia M. Saylor, Chairperson
Kenneth L. Leonard, Vice Chairperson
Silvia Bach
Robert J. Curry
Doreen M. Faga
Aaron Nicholas Hillebrandt
Kenneth L. Leonard
Julie Perron
Elizabeth A. Wellington
Megan O’Neill, Staff Liaison

UNIVERSITY LIAISONS

Established in 1999, the CAS University Liaison Program is made up of CAS members who have volunteered to be liaisons to colleges and universities. Managed by the University Relations Committee, the program matches CAS members with academics to provide the academics a one-on-one contact with a practicing actuary. The program helps facilitate the partnership between the academic community and the actuarial profession.
Marketing and Communications Committees

David R. Chernick
Kin Lun (Victor) Choi
Wanchun W. Chou
Rita E. Ciccarello
Stephen Daniel Clapp
Kay A. Cleary
Christopher Paul Coelho
Howard L. Cohen
Christian J. Coleianne
Matthew P. Collins
Jeffrey Alan Courchene
Ryan J. Crawford
Catherine Cresswell
Jonathan Scott Curlee
Thomas V. Daley
John Edward Daniel
Edgar W. Davenport
Robin Davis
Robert V. DeLiberato
Sean R. Devlin
Gordon F. Diss
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PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION COMMITTEES

JOINT PROGRAM FOR THE CIA/CAS APPOINTED ACTUARY SEMINAR

The Joint Program Committee for the CIA/CAS Appointed Actuary Seminar is a joint Casualty Actuarial Society/Canadian Institute of Actuaries Committee that is responsible for developing a program for the annual CIA/CAS Appointed Actuary Seminar.

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JOINT CAS/SOA COMMITTEE FOR THE ENTERPRISE RISK MANAGEMENT SYMPOSIUM

The joint program committee of the CAS and the SOA is charged with sponsoring and conducting a symposium on enterprise risk management (ERM) issues. The Professional Risk Management International Association (PRMIA) and Canadian Institute of Actuaries are additional program sponsors. By providing extensive opportunities for interaction with faculty and peers, this symposium is ideal for learning more about current emerging risk management trends and practices, as well as keeping up to speed with the latest ERM developments.

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PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION POLICY COMMITTEE

The Professional Education Policy Committee endeavors to broaden the knowledge of the Casualty Actuarial Society membership in all areas of actuarial and related fields. The committee surveys the Society membership regarding its interests; works with the Program Planning Committee and other committees in planning topics for CAS meetings, special interest seminars, and limited attendance seminars; develops alternative continuing education vehicles; stimulates authorship of specified continuing education topics; and evaluates continuing education requirements.

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COMMITTEE ON PROFESSIONALISM EDUCATION

It is the mission of the Committee on Professionalism Education to provide the CAS and appropriate Canadian Institute of Actuaries (CIA) membership with the professionalism education needed to meet applicable qualification standards and membership requirements.

In this capacity, members of the committee endeavor to conduct the Casualty Actuarial Society Course on Professionalism so that potential new members satisfy the applicable membership requirements as well as understand the ramifications of acceptance into a professional actuarial organization.

In addition, the members of the committee work with the American Academy of Actuaries and CIA in the development of qualification standards that have an impact on and apply to casualty actuaries. Thes of the committee support these qualification standards through creation and sponsorship of appropriate educational opportunities for the membership.

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PROGRAM PLANNING COMMITTEE

The Program Planning Committee is responsible for the actuarial content of Society meetings, identifying and securing the services of faculty and speakers for the various segments of programs, and obtaining feedback from attendees on the effectiveness of various aspects of programs. The committee is also responsible for overseeing the coordination of all physical arrangements with hotels, resorts, conference centers, tour operations, etc., needed to house and accommodate the various functions at Society meetings.

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RATEMAKING AND PRODUCT MANAGEMENT SEMINAR PLANNING (RPM) COMMITTEE

The Ratemaking and Product Management Seminar Committee is responsible for developing a program for the annual RPM Seminar.

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REGIONAL AFFILIATES COMMITTEE

The Regional Affiliates Committee (RAC) serves as a communications channel between the Regional Affiliates, including Special Interest Sections, and the Casualty Actuarial Society (CAS). This Committee is responsible for communicating the services currently available to Regional Affiliates from the CAS and making recommendations to the CAS on additional services that are desired by the Regional Affiliates. The RAC is also responsible for providing appropriate forums aimed at increasing communications among the Regional Affiliates themselves.

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Professional Education Committees

REINSURANCE SEMINAR PLANNING COMMITTEE

The Joint Program Committee for Reinsurance Seminars is a joint Casualty Actuaries in Reinsurance (CARe)/CAS Committee that is responsible for continuing education seminars on the subject of property and casualty reinsurance. These seminars include, but are not limited to, the annual CARe/CAS Reinsurance Seminar and limited attendance seminars providing in-depth reviews of reinsurance topics.

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WEBINAR COMMITTEE

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ACCOUNTING CHANGES TASK FORCE

The Accounting Changes Task Force, reporting to the VP-Research & Development, is a “rapid response” group that will evaluate proposed changes to international and US accounting regulations.

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CLIMATE CHANGE COMMITTEE

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COMMITTEE ON DYNAMIC RISK MODELING

The Committee on Dynamic Risk Modeling will facilitate research and provide direction, guidance, and support to the profession, regulators, and others regarding dynamic modeling of property/casualty risks. The committee is also responsible for monitoring and coordinating activities with other organizations or CAS committees working in the areas related to property/casualty dynamic risk modeling. The committee also expects to support and enhance the Enterprise Risk Management process by researching and developing risk modeling tools and concepts for the practicing ERM professional.

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HACHEMEISTER PRIZE COMMITTEE

The committee’s purpose is to administer the awarding of the Hachemeister Prize, with the evaluation of eligible papers taking place predominately during the second quarter of each year. Eligible papers are those published in the ASTIN bulletin or presented as part of the ASTIN Colloquium in the prior calendar year, with additional criteria as posted on the CAS website. The committee strives to achieve a broad geographic mix for its committee members, consistent with the international focus of ASTIN.

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COMMITTEE ON HEALTH CARE ISSUES

The Committee on Health Care Issues addresses actuarial issues related to property and casualty implications of health care. The committee’s charge includes furthering the development and dissemination of research and information regarding health care as they pertain to property and casualty issues; identifying topics for research and discussion; monitoring professional developments and legislative/regulatory activities; and working with continuing education and program committees in sponsoring panels, seminars, and other public forums on health care issues.

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 COMMITTEE ON MANAGEMENT DATA AND INFORMATION

The Committee on Management Data and Information addresses actuarial issues of property and casualty insurance data and information systems. The committee’s charge includes furthering the development and dissemination of data management theory and principles; identifying topics for research and discussion; monitoring professional developments and regulatory activities; establishing liaisons with other organizations working in this area; and sponsoring panels, seminars, and other public forums on data management issues.

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 COMMITTEE ON RATERMAKING

The Committee on Ratemaking addresses actuarial issues of property and casualty insurance ratemaking including risk classification. The committee’s charge includes furthering the development and dissemination of ratemaking theory and principles; identifying topics for research and discussion; monitoring professional developments and regulatory activities; and sponsoring panels, seminars, and other public forums on ratemaking issues.

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 COMMITTEE ON REINSURANCE RESEARCH

The Committee on Reinsurance Research addresses actuarial issues related to property and casualty ceded and assumed reinsurance. The committee’s charge includes furthering the development and dissemination of actuarial practice, theory, and principles of reinsurance; identifying topics for research and discussion; monitoring professional developments and regulatory activities; establishing liaisons with other organizations working in this area; and sponsoring panels, seminars, and other public forums on reinsurance issues.

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RESEARCH GRANTS TASK FORCE

The Research Grants Task Force is charged with reviewing letters of intent and grant proposals submitted to the annual Individual Grants Competition to determine CAS interest in the research projects. The Task Force makes recommendations to the CAS Vice President—Research and Development as to which (if any) of the proposals the CAS may be interested in funding.

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RESEARCH INITIATIVES COORDINATOR

The Research Initiatives Coordinator serves as a resource for the CAS Research and Development Committees regarding the implementation of new research initiatives. These initiatives include working parties, the research paper template, stricter call paper editorial standards, the taxonomy for casualty actuarial science, and the categorization of prior research.

Linda M. Howell, Coordinator

COMMITTEE ON RESERVES

The Committee on Reserves addresses actuarial issues related to reserves associated with property and casualty exposures including loss and loss adjustment expense reserves, premium reserves, and other contingent reserves. The committee's charge includes furthering the development and dissemination of reserving theory, principles and practices; identifying reserving topics for research and discussion; and monitoring professional development and regulatory activities. The committee strives to maintain a balanced and diverse membership in terms of geography, employment (insurer/consultant/regulator), and background (personal/commercial/reinsurance) with significant and current reserving experience being a pre-requisite for membership.

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COMMITTEE ON VALUATION, FINANCE, AND INVESTMENTS

The Valuation, Finance, and Investments Committee is charged with providing direction, guidance, and support to the profession, regulators, and others regarding valuation and financing of property and casualty risks and investments. The committee is also responsible for monitoring and coordinating activities with other organizations or CAS committees working in areas related to property and casualty valuation, finance, and investments.

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COMMITTEE ON THEORY OF RISK

The Committee on the Theory of Risk (COTOR) is charged to propose, encourage, and monitor research and other projects concerning the actuarial and financial evaluation of risk in insurance contracts and operations in support of the CAS Centennial goals.

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WORKING PARTY ON BORNHUETTTER–FERGUSON–INITIAL EXPECTED LOSSES

The goal of this working party is to produce a paper regarding the initial expected loss assumption in the Bornhuetter-Ferguson reserving method. The working party is not expected to engage in primary research, but instead to leverage initial expected loss approaches already in use. With many competent actuaries using the Bornhuetter-Ferguson method, there are probably many very good initial expected loss approaches already in use but not documented.

Lynne M. Bloom, Chairperson

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DRM HANDBOOK WORKING PARTY

The current version of the DRM Research Handbook was developed several years ago by the Working Party on the Dynamic Risk Modeling Handbook. The completed chapters may be viewed at http://www.casact.org/research/drm/. Chapters 6 and 7 on Price Modeling and Reserve Modeling remain incomplete.

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ECONOMIC CAPITAL MODEL WORKING PARTY

The Economic Capital Model Working Party is charged with developing a stochastic, principles-based economic capital model that meets Solvency II objectives and that can be used by insurers, rating agencies, and regulators for solvency monitoring. The Working Party is also preparing a white paper and presentation for insurers, rating agencies, and regulators to explain how to apply such a stochastic model. This paper will provide input to the American Academy of Actuaries, which in turn will provide input to the NAIC.

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HEALTH ECONOMICS WORKING PARTY

The Health Economics Working Party will research the impact of health care costs on casualty insurance coverages. Through the preparation of a research paper, or perhaps a series of papers, that addresses the impact of medical cost drivers on the prices of casualty coverages (e.g., auto liability, medical professional liability, workers compensation), this Working Party will educate the membership and promote the CAS’s profile related to health care issues. A longer term goal would be to address behavioral issues of casualty carriers in response to U.S. health care reform.

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WORKING PARTY ON PUBLIC-ACCESS DFA MODEL

This working party will have two charges:

• First, the working party will make short-term updates and enhancements to the public-access DFA model. For example, the recent research project, performed under the auspices of the CAS and the SOA, regarding economic variables and scenarios will be incorporated into the model. Overall, the working party will consider a variety of possible updates and enhancements to the existing model.

• Second, the working party will develop a plan for possibly ultimately evolving this model into an open-source framework. In this format, it is envisioned that the model would be posted on the CAS Web Site, and CAS members or others could propose independent updates and enhancements to the model. The new version would be submitted to the Dynamic Risk Modeling Committee (DRMC) with a description of the updates; the DRMC would review the model and documentation and, if appropriate, post the new version on the CAS Web Site.

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R WORKING PARTY

The purpose of the R Working Party is to make advanced R-based reserving, ratemaking, and predictive modeling procedures available, accessible, and of practical value to a wider audience. The R Working Party is looking to develop tutorials and R interfaces which will help those interested in R-based predictive modeling and advanced analysis overcome some of the current obstacles. These efforts will introduce improved functionality and new routines and address existing dataset size constraints. The Working Party is jointly sponsored by the Committees on Ratemaking and Reserves.

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RATEMAKING SURVEY WORKING PARTY

Former Committee Chair John Lewandowski is currently leading an effort of the Committee on Ratemaking to compile a survey on Ratemaking topics. They will aim to produce a survey covering all aspects of pricing: personal lines, commercial lines, London market, and reinsurance. The questions will determine what people are actually using and will include a mixture of multiple choice questions and open ended questions. The survey will be conducted on-line, but where possible it will target individuals at companies to ensure a good level of coverage. The Working Party will coordinate a global list of questions common to all three parts of the investigation, but will also include some region-specific questions (in particular looking at the impact of regulation on pricing). The data will be analyzed locally and globally and the results shared with the profession at the GIRO conference (U.K., October) and the Annual Meeting (CAS, November).

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RISK-BASED CAPITAL (RBC) DEPENDENCIES WORKING PARTY

The RBC Dependencies Working Party will be researching how to handle dependencies and correlations in the National Association of Insurance Commissioners’ property/casualty RBC formula, including the extent to which risk diversification should be reflected in the P&C formula.

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TAIL FACTORS WORKING PARTY

Tail factors are widely used and have a huge impact on results, yet there is minimal literature on the subject. The product of this working party will be a paper that will survey existing literature and then identify additional methods in use. The objective is both to educate students and to help practitioners.

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UNDERWRITING RISK WORKING PARTY

The Underwriting Risk Working Party will be researching approaches for quantifying the reserve and premium risks in the property/casualty formula for risk-based capital.

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1999-'01  Gary R. Josephson
2002-'04  Donald F. Mango
2005-'07  Roger M. Hayne
2008-  Louise A. Francis

YEAR  VICE PRESIDENT-ERM
2005-06  John J. Kollar
2007-10  Kevin G. Dickson
2011-  Barry A. Franklin

OTHER OFFICERS

YEAR  SECRETARY-TREASURER
1914-'17  *Claude E. Scattergood
1918-'52  *Richard Fondiller
1953-'68  *Albert Z. Skelding
1969-'71  *Ronald L. Bornhuetter
1972-'73  *Robert B. Foster

YEAR  SECRETARY
1974  *Robert B. Foster
1975-77 Darrell W. Ehlert
1978-'80  David P. Flynn
1981-'82  Brian E. Scott

YEAR  TREASURER
1974-'78  Walter J. Fitzgibbon Jr.
1979-'81  Michael A. Walters
1982  *Herbert J. Phillips

YEAR  EDITOR
1914  *Winfield W. Greene
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1922-'23  *Olive E. Outwater
1924-'32  *Robert J. McManus
1933-'43  *Clarence W. Hobbs
1944-'54  *Emma C. Maycrink
1955-'58  *Edward S. Allen
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YEAR  LIBRARIAN
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1915  *Richard Fondiller
1916-'21  *L. I. Dublin
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1925-'36  *William Breiby
1937-'47  *Thomas O. Carlson
1948-'50  *Samuel M. Ross
1951-'57  *Gilbert R. Livingston
1958-'69  Richard Lino
1970  *William S. Gilliam

YEAR  GENERAL CHAIRMAN EXAMINATION COMMITTEE
1949-'51  *Roger A. Johnson
1952-'56  John W. Wieder Jr.
1957-'61  *William J. Hazam
1962-'68  *Norman J. Bennett
1969-'71  M. Stanley Hughey
1972-'73  George D. Morrison
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* Deceased
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CASUALTY ACTUARIAL SOCIETY MISSION STATEMENT
(as adopted by the CAS Board of Directors, November 7, 2010)

The purposes of the Casualty Actuarial Society are:

- to advance the body of knowledge of actuarial science applied to general insurance, including property, casualty, and similar risk exposures;
- to expand the application of actuarial science to enterprise risks and systemic risks;
- to establish and maintain standards of qualification for membership;
- to promote and maintain high standards of conduct and competence;
- to increase the awareness of actuarial science; and
- to contribute to the well being of society as a whole.

CASUALTY ACTUARIAL SOCIETY VISION STATEMENT
(as adopted by the CAS Board of Directors, November 7, 2010)

Actuaries are recognized for their authoritative advice and valued comment wherever there is financial risk and uncertainty.

CASUALTY ACTUARIAL SOCIETY DEFINITION OF A CASUALTY ACTUARY
(as adopted by the CAS Board of Directors, November 7, 2010)

A casualty actuary is a professional skilled in the analysis, evaluation, and management of the financial implications of future contingent events primarily with respect to general insurance, including property, casualty, and similar risk exposures. A casualty actuary has practical knowledge of how these various risks interact with each other and the environment in which these risks occur.
This organization shall be called the “Casualty Actuarial Society.” (CAS)

ARTICLE II.—Statement of Purpose
The purposes of the Casualty Actuarial Society are to advance the body of knowledge of actuarial science applied to property, casualty, and similar risk exposures, to establish and maintain standards of qualification for membership, to promote and maintain high standards of conduct and competence for the members, and to increase the awareness of actuarial science.

ARTICLE III.—Membership

SECTION 1.—CLASSES OF MEMBERS
The membership of the Casualty Actuarial Society shall be composed of three classes:

a) Fellows
The Fellows of the Society shall be the present Fellows and those who may be duly admitted to Fellowship as hereinafter provided. Fellows shall be eligible to vote, hold office, make nominations, and generally exercise the rights of full membership. Fellows are authorized to append to their names the initials F.C.A.S.

b) Associates
The Associates shall be the present Associates and those who may be duly admitted to Associateship as hereinafter provided. Associates shall be entitled to attend meetings of the Casualty Actuarial Society and to participate at Society functions. Associates are authorized to append to their names the initials A.C.A.S.

c) Affiliates
The Affiliates shall be the present Affiliates and those who may be duly admitted as Affiliates. Affiliates shall be entitled to attend meetings of the Casualty Actuarial Society and to participate at Society functions. Affiliates are encouraged to refer to themselves as such, but are not authorized to append CAS initials to their name. In referring to themselves Affiliates may refer to themselves as “Affiliate of the Casualty Actuarial Society” or “Affiliate Member of the Casualty Actuarial Society.” They may not refer to themselves as “Member of the Casualty Actuarial Society.

SECTION 2.—REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO MEMBERSHIP

a) Associateship
Any applicant shall be enrolled as an Associate upon notification by the Casualty Actuarial Society provided that:

(i) the applicant successfully completes the examinations prescribed by the Board of Directors for Associateship and complies with any further requirements the Board may prescribe; and

(ii) the applicant is approved by a majority vote of the Board of Directors.

b) Fellowship
An Associate shall be enrolled as a Fellow of the Society following notification of successful completion of the examinations prescribed by the Board of Directors for Fellowship, subject to any further requirements the Board may prescribe.

c) Affiliates
An actuary who is not otherwise a member shall be enrolled as an Affiliate upon action of the Board of Directors, subject to such requirements as the Board may prescribe.

d) Waiver of Examinations
The Board of Directors may waive, subject to such other requirements as it may prescribe, any examination of the Casualty Actuarial Society if the applicant has passed an examination required by another recognized actuarial organization that the Board of Directors deems equivalent to such examination of the Casualty Actuarial Society.

e) Mutual Recognition
The Board of Directors may negotiate and implement Mutual Recognition Agreements with other actuarial organizations that qualify actuaries through a process that includes rigorous testing of a comprehensive property and casualty specialization. Such Mutual Recognition Agreements will include requirements that applicants:

(i) complete the property and casualty specialization requirements and all other requirements for full membership in their home organization,

(ii) complete the CAS professionalism education requirements, and

(iii) complete property and casualty experience requirements to be specified by the Board.
The Board may include additional requirements in the Mutual Recognition Agreements. Any applicant who meets the Mutual Recognition requirements so agreed, and any other requirements prescribed by the Board, and who is approved by a majority vote of the Board of Directors shall be enrolled as a Fellow.

**ARTICLE IV.—Officers**

**SECTION 1.—OFFICERS**
The President, President-Elect and the Vice Presidents, all of whom shall be Fellows, shall be Officers of the Society. The Chief Staff Executive is also an Officer. An Officer shall be designated by the Board as Secretary/Treasurer of the Society.

**SECTION 2.—ELECTION AND TERM OF OFFICE**
At the close of the annual meeting, the President-Elect shall assume the office of President for a term of one year. Annually, a new President-Elect shall be elected by the Fellows in a secret ballot for a term of one year. Before the close of the annual meeting, the Board of Directors shall, by majority vote of the Directors present and voting, elect the Vice Presidents for a term of one year.

The term of all Officers shall begin at the close of the annual meeting in the calendar year of their election and continue until their successors take office.

**SECTION 3.—DUTIES**
The duties of the Officers shall be such as are customarily incident to their respective offices and such other duties as specified in the Bylaws.

**SECTION 4. REMOVAL FROM OFFICE**
The process for the removal from office of the President-Elect or President can be initiated by either a petition of 5% of the Fellows, a two-thirds majority vote of the Officers of the CAS (with the person proposed to be removed not voting), or a majority vote of the Board of Directors (with the person proposed to be removed not voting). Reasons for the removal include: violation of the code of conduct; abuse of power; behavior materially incompatible with the proper function and purpose of the office.

Procedures relating to the removal process shall be adopted by the Board. Once the removal process has been initiated, a hearing and vote of the Board will be held within 45 days. A vote to recommend removal requires a two-thirds majority of the Board members voting (with the person proposed to be removed not voting). A Board recommendation for removal shall be subject to approval by a vote of the Fellows, to be held within 45 days of the Board vote. A two-thirds majority of the Fellows voting is required for removal.

**ARTICLE V.—Board of Directors**

**SECTION 1.—COMPOSITION**
The Board of Directors shall consist of the President, the President-Elect, the immediate past President, 12 other elected Fellows and up to three additional appointed members.

**SECTION 2.—ELECTION AND TERM OF OFFICE**
Annually, in a secret ballot of the Fellows, four Fellows shall be elected to the Board of Directors for a term of three years. A retiring elected Director shall not be eligible for reelection for at least one year after the expiration of the term for which the Director was elected. Appointed Directors will be elected by the Board of Directors and will serve a term of one year, renewable for up to three years.

**SECTION 3.—DUTIES**
The duties of the Board of Directors shall be to pass upon candidates for membership, to supervise the publication of papers presented at meetings of the Society, to supervise the examination of candidates and prescribe fees for such examinations, to call meetings, to ratify such committee and other special appointments as may be made by the President, to authorize promulgation of statements of principles, and, in general, to manage the affairs of the Society, and, for the latter purpose, shall determine all questions arising with respect to the interpretation or administration of this Constitution and the Society's Bylaws not inconsistent therewith.

The Board of Directors may, at its discretion, delegate authority to fulfill specific duties to the Executive Council, subject to policies adopted by the Board of Directors and ongoing monitoring and oversight by the Board.

**SECTION 4. REMOVAL FROM OFFICE**
The process for the removal from the Board of the immediate past President or any elected Director can be initiated by either a petition of 5% of the Fellows, a two-thirds majority vote of the Officers of the CAS (with the person proposed to be removed not voting), or a majority vote of the Board of Directors (with the person proposed to be removed not voting). Reasons for the removal include: violation of the code of conduct; abuse of power; behavior materially incompatible with the proper function and purpose of the office.

Procedures relating to the removal process shall be adopted by the Board. Once the removal process has been initiated, a hearing and vote of the Board will be held within 45 days. A vote to recommend removal requires a two-thirds majority of the Board members voting (with the person proposed to be removed not voting). A Board recommendation for removal shall be subject to approval by a vote of the Fellows, to be held within 45 days of the Board vote. A two-thirds majority of the Fellows voting is required for removal.
ARTICLE VI.—Executive Council

SECTION 1.—COMPOSITION
The Executive Council shall consist of the President, the President-Elect, the Vice Presidents and the Chief Staff Executive. The number and duties of Vice Presidents shall be determined by the Board of Directors.

SECTION 2.—DUTIES
The Executive Council shall act on matters specifically delegated to it by the Board of Directors. It shall act as the principal forum in which the operational activities of the Society are coordinated and monitored, subject to policies adopted by the Board of Directors and monitoring and oversight by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE VII.—Meetings
There shall be an annual meeting of the Society on such date in the last quarter of each calendar year as may be fixed by the Board of Directors, but other Society meetings may be called by the Board from time to time and shall be called by the President at any time upon the written request of 5% of the Fellows. At least two weeks notice of all Society meetings shall be given to the members. At Society meetings, the presiding officer shall vote only in case of a tie.

ARTICLE VIII.—Quorum
A majority of the members of the Board of Directors shall constitute a quorum. Five percent of the Fellows of the Society shall constitute a quorum at every meeting of the Society.

ARTICLE IX.—Public Expression of Professional Opinion
No opinion with respect to questions of public interest shall be publicly expressed by, or on behalf of, the Casualty Actuarial Society, the Board of Directors, or any committee except on matters within the special professional competence of actuaries and then only in accordance with authority given and procedures determined in each instance by the Board and in accordance with the following conditions:

(i) An opinion of the Casualty Actuarial Society (CAS) shall require advance approval by an affirmative vote of at least ninety percent of the Fellows who vote in a mail ballot. However, the Board of Directors of the CAS may, by a two thirds vote of all members of the Board, direct the CAS’s delegate to the International Actuarial Association (IAA) to vote on behalf of the CAS on a proposed public expression of professional opinion to be issued by the IAA and allow the IAA to list the CAS as a supporting organization of that public expression of professional opinion when the vote is positive.

(ii) An opinion of the Board of Directors or a committee authorized by the Board to express an opinion shall indicate that it does not purport to represent the views of the Casualty Actuarial Society, but only of the Board of Directors or the committee, as the case may be.

ARTICLE X.—Resignation and Discipline of Members
Any member who is not in default in payment of dues, and against whom no complaints are pending, may resign at any time by filing a resignation request in writing with the Casualty Actuarial Society Office. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Board of Directors may, in its discretion, approve the resignation of a member in default of payment of dues or against whom a complaint or charge is pending before the Actuarial Board for Counseling and Discipline, the Canadian Institute of Actuaries, or other appropriate investigatory body, or against whom a recommendation for public disciplinary action has been made to the Society by the Actuarial Board for Counseling and Discipline, the Canadian Institute of Actuaries, or other appropriate investigatory body. The Board, on written application of any member who has resigned, may reinstate such member subject to such conditions as it may prescribe.

No member of the Society shall be subject to public disciplinary action except upon action of the Discipline Committee or, in the case of an appeal, the Appeals Panel acting on behalf of the Board of Directors as provided for in the Bylaws of the Society.

ARTICLE XI.—Use of Financial Resources: Dissolution
The funds of the Casualty Actuarial Society shall be devoted exclusively to the purposes stated in Article II hereof. No part of the net earnings of the Society shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, Directors, Officers, or other private persons, except that the Society shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article II hereof. If the Casualty Actuarial Society is dissolved, all of its remaining assets shall be transferred to one or more organizations organized and operating exclusively for purposes similar to those of the Casualty Actuarial Society and which qualifies as an exempt organization under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE XII.—Amendments
This Constitution may be amended by an affirmative vote of 10% of the Fellows or two-thirds of the Fellows voting, whichever is greater. Notice of such proposed amendment shall be sent to each Fellow by the Casualty Actuarial Society Office at least one month before the vote is taken.

An amendment to the Constitution can be proposed by a two-thirds majority vote of the Board members voting. Alternatively, an amendment can be proposed by a petition of 5% of the Fellows, unless such petition is vetoed by a two-thirds majority vote of the Board members voting.
ARTICLE I.—Order of Business

The Board of Directors shall authorize the procedure for determining the agenda and order of business at all meetings.

ARTICLE II.—Meetings of the Board of Directors

Meetings of the Board of Directors shall be chaired by the immediate past President and shall be called whenever the immediate past President or three members of the Board so request. Notice shall be sent to each member of the Board seven or more days before the time appointed. Such notice shall state the objects intended to be brought before the meeting, and, should any other matter be passed upon, any member of the Board shall have the right to reopen the question at the next meeting. At Board meetings, the presiding officer may vote in all cases.

A two thirds vote of the Board members voting is required for approval or promulgation of statements of principles.

ARTICLE III.—Duties of Officers

SECTION 1.—President

The President shall preside at meetings of the Society and at meetings of the Executive Council. The President shall appoint all committees and shall perform all duties customarily incident to the Office of President and such other duties as may be prescribed by the Board of Directors from time to time.

SECTION 2.—President-Elect

The President Elect shall have such duties as may be assigned by the President or the Board of Directors. In the absence of the President, or in the event of the President’s inability or refusal to act, the President-Elect shall perform the duties of the President.

SECTION 3.—Vice Presidents

Each of the Vice Presidents shall have such duties as may be assigned by the President or the Board of Directors. In the absence of both the President and President Elect, one of the Vice Presidents shall be designated by the Board of Directors to preside at meetings of the Society.

ARTICLE IV.—Chief Staff Executive

The Chief Staff Executive shall be responsible for keeping a full and accurate record of the proceedings of meetings of the Society and of the Board of Directors and for sending notices of such meetings. Subject to the direction of the Board, the Chief Staff Executive shall have immediate charge of the archives of the Society, and shall have charge of the books, pamphlets, manuscripts, and other literary or scientific material collected by the Society.

The Chief Staff Executive shall also be responsible for collecting the annual dues of members, paying all bills for ordinary expenditures incurred by the Society and any other bills as authorized by the Board of Directors, keeping a detailed record of all receipts and expenditures, and presenting an accounting of same at the annual meetings. After the financial statements have been audited and reviewed by a committee appointed by the Board of Directors a financial report will be released reflecting the audited results.

The Chief Staff Executive shall have such other duties as may be assigned by the President or the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE V.—Elections and Filling of Vacancies

Procedures for nominations and elections shall be established by a majority vote of the Directors present and voting at a meeting of the Board of Directors. These procedures shall be provided to the membership annually at the beginning of the election process. A majority of the votes cast by Fellows shall be necessary for the election of the President-Elect. For the election of Directors, the four candidates with the highest number of votes cast shall be elected, subject to a requirement that one-third of the valid ballots cast for Director shall be necessary for the election of a Director.

The Board of Directors may fill vacancies in the term of any Officer or member of the Board. Any Officer so appointed shall serve until the next annual meeting. Any member of the Board so appointed shall serve, subject to ratification by the Fellows at the next meeting of the Society, until the expiration of the term of office of the Board member being replaced.

ARTICLE VI.— Discipline of Members

SECTION 1.—Complaints and Questions

a. Complaints concerning alleged violations of the Code of Professional Conduct, and all questions which may arise as to the conduct of a member of the Society, in the member’s relationship to the Society or its members, or in the member’s professional practice, or questions affecting the interests of the actuarial profession, constitute matters for serious consideration.

b. Such complaints, questions, or requests for advice shall be referred to the national organizations responsible for profession-wide investigation, counseling and/or discipline, e.g., the Actuarial Board for Counseling and Discipline (ABCD) and the Canadian Institute of Actuaries (CIA).
SECTION 2.—Referral and Consideration of Public Disciplinary Action

Acting pursuant to Section 1, and if circumstances warrant, the appropriate investigatory body shall present a recommendation for disciplinary action to the Society. The member whose activities are the subject of the disciplinary recommendation is referred to here as the subject actuary. Disciplinary action includes a public or private reprimand by, or suspension or expulsion from, the Society.

If an appropriate investigatory body recommends disciplinary action to the Society, the matter shall be referred to the CAS Discipline Committee, which shall consider the matter and may take such disciplinary action with respect to the CAS member (the subject actuary) as it deems appropriate in accordance with Rules of Procedure adopted from time to time by the Board of Directors.

The CAS Discipline Committee shall consist of ten Fellows. The Chairperson shall form a Discipline Committee Panel consisting of seven members of the Discipline Committee each time a recommendation for disciplinary action against a member is received from an investigatory body.

The Discipline Committee Panel shall schedule a hearing at which the subject actuary shall have the right to appear personally and with counsel and/or other advisor (at the subject actuary’s expense) to explain why the recommendation of the investigatory body should not be followed. A hearing of the Discipline Committee Panel shall require a quorum to be present, which shall be five members of the Panel.

The Discipline Committee Panel shall provide written notice of this hearing, including the time, date, and place where the Discipline Committee will consider the matter, to the subject actuary not less than 45 days in advance of the hearing date. The 45-day time limit may be waived by mutual written consent of the parties.

A Discipline Committee Panel decision to render an order to publicly reprimand, suspend or expel the subject actuary requires an affirmative vote of at least five members of the Discipline Committee Panel. The decision of the Discipline Committee Panel shall include a written report of its findings and the rationale for the conclusion. The decision of the Discipline Committee Panel action shall be provided to the subject actuary within 30 days after the decision is reached.

The decision of the Discipline Committee Panel shall be considered final and binding unless written notice of appeal is submitted to the subject actuary within 45 days of receipt of the decision of the Panel.

SECTION 3.—Appeals

The subject actuary shall be entitled to appeal the decision of the Discipline Committee Panel by submitting a written request for an appeal to the CAS President within 45 days from receipt of the Discipline Committee Panel decision.

The CAS President shall designate five members of the Board of Directors as eligible to serve on an Appeals Panel, from which the subject actuary shall select three members to serve on the Appeals Panel. The Appeals Panel shall act on behalf of the CAS Board of Directors and in accordance with the Rules of Procedure.

The full written record, decision, findings and vote of the Discipline Committee Panel shall be made available to the Appeals Panel. The appeal shall be based entirely upon the written record and shall not include any appearance by the subject actuary but may include a written submission by the subject actuary, and any reply submission by the Chairperson of the Discipline Committee Panel.

The Appeals Panel shall conduct and complete the appeal within 90 days after receipt of the request for appeal. The Appeals Panel may affirm, modify or reverse the decision of the Discipline Committee Panel. A decision to do other than affirm shall require a determination by the Appeals Panel that: (1) the Discipline Committee Panel’s factual determinations were clearly erroneous and, absent such errors, a different action is warranted; or (2) the Discipline Committee Panel failed to conform to the Rules of Procedure in a manner that was unduly prejudicial and which led to an unwarranted result; or (3) the disciplinary action imposed by the Discipline Committee Panel was clearly inconsistent with the magnitude of the Code of Professional Conduct violation or the harm that was done. The decision of the Appeals Panel shall require the vote of at least two members of the Appeals Panel.

The Appeals Panel shall include a written statement of the Panel’s findings and conclusions and shall be provided to the subject actuary, the Chairperson of the Discipline Committee Panel, the Panel members, the CAS President and Chief Staff Executive, the CAS Board of Directors and the authorized representative of the relevant investigatory body. The Appeals Panel decision shall be final.

SECTION 4.—Reinstatement

An individual who has been expelled may be reinstated only upon request to and approval of the Board of Directors.

SECTION 5.—Confidentiality and Notification

All proceedings under this Article shall be confidential in accordance with the Rules of Procedure.

The Board of Directors shall notify the members in all instances in which the Discipline Committee Panel orders public disciplinary action. Notification shall not be given until the time to appeal has expired or, in the event of an appeal, until such appeal has been resolved. At the same time notification is given to the members, the Board of Directors shall also give notice of any public disciplinary action to the appropriate investigatory body, all other actuarial organizations of which the individual is a member, and to other persons and organizations, including government entities, which, in the opinion of the Board, should also receive notice of the action as being in the best interest of the public.

In the event of subsequent reinstatement of the member, the Board of Directors shall give notice of such action to all members and to entities previously advised by the Board of the public disciplinary action.
SECTION 6.—Case Reviews
The Board of Directors retains the right to review a decision by a national organization responsible for profession-wide counseling and discipline which does not result in a recommendation for disciplinary action with respect to a CAS member.

ARTICLE VII.—Indemnification of Officers, Members of the Board of Directors, Committee Members, Presidential Appointees and Employees
Persons who at any time shall serve, or shall have served, as Officers, members of the Board of Directors, committee members, Presidential appointees, members of any disciplinary board of the Society, or who are employees, or who were employees of the Casualty Actuarial Society (and their heirs, executors, administrators, and personal representatives) shall be indemnified by the Society against all costs and expenses (including but not limited to legal fees, amounts of judgments paid, and amounts paid in settlements) reasonably incurred in connection with the defense of any claim, action, suit, or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative, or other, in which they may be involved by virtue of such persons being or having been Officers, members of the Board of Directors, committee members, Presidential appointees, members of any disciplinary board of the Society, or who are employees, or who were employees of the Casualty Actuarial Society, or in connection with any appeal therein; provided, however, that in the event of a settlement the indemnification herein provided shall apply only when the Board of Directors approves such settlement; and provided further that such indemnity shall not be operative with respect to any matter as to which such person shall have been finally adjudged liable in such claim, action, suit, or proceeding on account of their own willful misconduct.

The rights accruing to any persons under this Article shall be without prejudice to any rights or benefits given by the Board of Directors inconsistent therewith in special cases and shall not exclude any other rights or benefits to which they may be lawfully entitled.

ARTICLE VIII.—Dues

SECTION 1.—Amount
The Board of Directors shall fix the annual dues for Fellows, Associates and Affiliates.

SECTION 2.—Failure to Pay
The Casualty Actuarial Society shall be responsible for notifying by mail any Fellow, Associate or Affiliate whose dues may be six months in arrears, and to accompany such notice by a copy of this Article. If a Fellow, Associate or Affiliate shall fail to make payment within three months from the date such notice is mailed, the Fellow, Associate or Affiliate shall cease to be a member, except at the discretion of the Board of Directors this provision may be waived.

SECTION 3.—Exemption, Deferral or Waiver
The Board of Directors may, at its discretion and in accordance with established policy, exempt, defer or waive, partially or fully, the dues of any member who submits a written request to the Board of Directors before dues have become six months in arrears, citing the reason for the request.

SECTION 4.—Reinstatement
A Fellow, Associate or Affiliate who has ceased to be a member because of failure to pay dues, or by voluntary resignation, may be reinstated by a majority vote of the Board of Directors upon payment of a reapplication fee, to be set by the Board of Directors, and such payment may be partially or fully waived by the Board at its discretion.

ARTICLE IX.—Amendments
These Bylaws may be amended by an affirmative vote of 10% of the Fellows or two thirds of the Fellows voting, whichever is greater. Notice of such proposed amendment shall be sent to each Fellow by the Casualty Actuarial Society at least one month before the vote is taken.

An amendment to the Bylaws can be proposed by a two-thirds majority vote of the Board members voting. Alternatively, an amendment can be proposed by a petition of 5% of the Fellows, unless such petition is vetoed by a two-thirds majority vote of the Board members voting.
CAS CENTENNIAL GOAL

(Adopted by CAS Board, March 2007)

The CAS will be recognized globally as a leading resource in educating casualty actuaries and conducting research in casualty actuarial science. CAS members will advance their expertise in pricing, reserving, and capital modeling, and leverage their skills in risk analysis to become recognized as experts in the evaluation of enterprise risks, particularly for the property and casualty insurance industry.
The Board of Directors of the Casualty Actuarial Society (CAS) has promulgated these Rules of Procedure to govern the consideration and recommendations for disciplinary action against members presented by the appropriate investigatory body, e.g., the Actuarial Board for Counseling and Discipline (ABCD) or the Canadian Institute of Actuaries (CIA). These Rules are intended to provide fundamental fairness and due process in the procedure for disciplinary action by requiring adequate notice, an opportunity to respond, and a fair and impartial decision maker in the discipline process. The Board reserves the right to amend or otherwise alter these Rules of Procedure as it deems necessary and delegates the interpretation of these rules to the CAS Discipline Committee.

Introduction

The CAS Discipline Committee shall consist of 10 Fellows. The Chairperson shall form a Discipline Committee Panel consisting of 7 members of the Discipline Committee each time a recommendation for disciplinary action against a member is received from an investigatory body. If 7 members of the Committee without a conflict of interest cannot be found the President shall appoint (a) special member(s) to the Discipline Committee Panel to complete the formation of the Panel. The Discipline Committee Panel shall be responsible for considering recommendations for disciplinary actions against members presented by the appropriate investigatory body and for taking actions on those recommendations as it deems appropriate. The member whose activities are the subject of the disciplinary recommendation is referred to here as the subject actuary.

A. Consideration of Disciplinary Action

1. When the CAS receives from the appropriate investigatory body a written report recommending reprimand, suspension, or expulsion of a member of the CAS (the subject actuary) the matter shall be referred to the Chairperson of the Discipline Committee.

2. The Chairperson shall review the recommendation and record provided by the investigatory body and may seek further information from them or delegate further fact-finding or investigation to other members of the Committee.

3. The Chairperson shall schedule a hearing at which the subject actuary shall have the right to appear personally and with counsel and/or other advisor (at the subject actuary’s expense) to explain why the recommendation of the investigatory body should not be followed.

4. The Chairperson, with the assistance of the CAS Executive Director, may engage legal counsel to advise the CAS and to explain relevant legal principles.

5. The Chairperson shall provide written notice of this hearing, including the time, date, and place where the Discipline Committee Panel will consider the matter to the subject actuary not less than 45 days in advance of the hearing. The 45-day time limit may be waived by mutual written consent of the parties.

6. The notice shall also be provided to the members of the CAS Discipline Committee, the CAS President, the CAS Executive Director and the authorized representative of the investigatory body that recommended discipline.

The notice shall:

a. advise the subject actuary that disciplinary action has been recommended by the investigatory body, state the charge(s) made, and cite the specific Code of Professional Conduct violations that are alleged;

b. advise the subject actuary of the right to submit any new evidence which was not previously made available to or considered by the investigatory body;

c. advise the subject actuary of the right to appear at the Discipline Committee Panel hearing with or without counsel and/or other advisor at the expense of the subject actuary;

d. list the Fellows who will serve on the Discipline Committee Panel and advise the subject actuary of the right to object to any Panel member he or she believes might have an actual or potential conflict of interest, provided that he or she must state the basis for that conflict in writing within 30 days of receipt of the written notice from the Chairperson; in the event that the subject actuary objects to a Panel member, the Chairperson (or, in the event that the person alleged to have the conflict is the Chairperson, the President of the CAS) shall determine if an actual conflict exists and if determined so to exist, shall appoint a replacement Panel member without a conflict of interest to consider the matter.

e. The Chairperson of the Discipline Committee shall serve as the Chairperson of the Discipline Committee Panel. If the Chairperson has a conflict of interest the CAS President shall designate one of the Panel members as the Panel Chairperson.

This notification may be made by certified mail or in such other manner in which receipt may be verified as the Discipline Committee Chairperson may direct.

7. If the subject actuary does not request an appearance, the Chairperson shall so advise the Panel members and the Panel shall then meet in person or by teleconference to consider the matter under review and render a decision in accordance with these Procedures.

8. If the subject actuary requests an appearance before the Discipline Committee Panel, any additional factual materials or new evidence which he or she wishes to be considered by the Panel must be submitted in writing at least 15 days in advance of the hearing.
9. A hearing of the Discipline Committee Panel shall require a quorum to be present, which shall be 5 members of the Panel. A Discipline Committee Panel decision to render an order to reprimand, suspend or expel the subject actuary requires the affirmative vote of at least 5 members of the Discipline Committee Panel. Members of the Committee Panel who were not in attendance at the hearing may not vote on the outcome.

10. A transcript shall be made of the hearing of the Discipline Committee Panel by a court reporter selected by the CAS. No other recording of the hearing will be permitted. However, since the hearing is intended to address the professional conduct of the subject actuary, professional dialogue between the subject actuary and Panel members should not be impeded by formal legal rules of evidence or procedure. Accordingly, there shall be no discovery, no depositions or interrogatories, and no new information or testimony presented by the subject actuary that was not provided in writing at least 15 days prior to the appearance.

11. The subject actuary may make an oral presentation of reasonable length and respond to any questions posed by the Discipline Committee Panel members. The subject actuary may be accompanied by legal counsel or other advisor, and may consult with such counsel. However, the role of such counsel shall be limited to providing advice to the client and explaining relevant legal principles.

12. The deliberations of the Discipline Committee Panel shall be limited to Panel members and counsel to the CAS. The Discipline Committee Panel has discretion to accept, reject, or modify the recommendation received from the investigatory body.

13. The Discipline Committee Panel decision shall be based on the investigative report, written record and any further information provided by the investigatory body as well as any additional fact-finding or investigation by the Discipline Committee Panel, and any new evidence submitted in writing by the subject actuary at least 15 days in advance of the hearing. In reaching its decision the Panel shall consider without limitation the intent of the subject actuary, whether the violation was willful, the economic loss or other harm caused by the conduct alleged, the seriousness of the violation, the experience of the subject actuary, any alleged prejudicial material errors in the process of the investigatory body, and any other factors the Panel deems appropriate. The Panel may also take into consideration whether the subject actuary has been disciplined before and the Chairperson is authorized to inquire with the CAS Executive Director or any other body in this regard.

14. The decision of the Discipline Committee Panel shall include a written report of its findings and the rationale for the conclusion. If the Panel determines that a violation of the Code of Professional Conduct has not occurred the decision should explain why the Panel’s conclusion differs from that of the investigatory body. If the Panel determines that a violation has occurred the decision should cite the specific Code provisions violated and explain how the subject actuary’s conduct constituted a Code violation. The Panel decision should also contain the rationale for the disciplinary action chosen.

15. The decision of the Discipline Committee Panel, including the vote, shall be provided to the subject actuary within 30 days after the decision is reached. Copies of the Panel decision shall be provided to the CAS President, the CAS Executive Director and the authorized representative of the investigatory body. The decision of the Panel shall be considered final and binding unless written notice of appeal is submitted by the subject actuary within 45 days of receipt of the decision of the Panel.

B. Appeals

1. The subject actuary shall be entitled to appeal the decision of the Discipline Committee Panel by submitting a written request for an appeal to the CAS President within 45 days from receipt of the Discipline Committee Panel decision.

2. Upon receipt of the written request for appeal, the CAS President shall designate 5 members of the Board of Directors who do not have a conflict of interest as eligible to serve on an Appeals Panel and provide those names to the subject actuary.

3. Within 5 days of receipt of those names the subject actuary shall select three of those designated Board members to serve on the Appeals Panel and provide those choices to the CAS President. The President shall select one of those three to serve as the Chairperson of the Appeals Panel and shall so notify the three panel members, the subject actuary and the CAS Executive Director. The Appeals Panel shall act on behalf of the CAS Board of Directors.

4. In the event of a request for appeal by the subject actuary, the full written record, decision, findings and vote of the Discipline Committee Panel shall be made available to the Appeals Panel. The appeal shall be based entirely upon the written record and shall not include any appearance by the subject actuary but may include a written submission by the subject actuary, and any reply submission by the Chairperson of the Discipline Committee Panel.

5. The Appeals Panel shall conduct and complete the appeal within 90 days after receipt of the request for appeal. The Appeals Panel may affirm, modify or reverse the decision of the Discipline Committee Panel. A decision to do other than affirm shall require a determination by the Appeals Panel that: (1) the Discipline Committee Panel’s determinations were clearly erroneous and, absent such errors, a different action is warranted; or (2) the Discipline Committee Panel failed to conform to the Rules of Procedure in a manner that was unduly prejudicial and which led to an unwarranted result; or (3) the disciplinary action imposed by the Discipline Committee Panel was clearly inconsistent with the seriousness of the Code of Professional Conduct violation(s) or the harm that was done. The decision of the Appeals Panel shall require the vote of at least 2 members of the Appeals Panel.

The Appeals Panel decision shall include a written statement of the Panel’s findings and conclusions and shall be provided to the subject actuary, the Chairperson of the Discipline Committee Panel, the Panel members, the CAS President and Executive Director, the CAS Board of Directors and the authorized representative of the relevant investigatory body. The Appeals Panel decision shall be final.
C. Confidentiality of Process

1. All proceedings with respect to communications, investigations, and deliberations as provided in these Rules, shall be confidential. This requirement shall not preclude the investigatory body from advising, at its discretion, complainants about the outcome of their complaints. And, this requirement of confidentiality shall not preclude the investigatory body from reviewing previously closed files as they relate, in any manner, to the consideration of a new matter before it.

2. Notwithstanding the above, should there be any unauthorized disclosure of information with respect to these confidential proceedings, the CAS shall have the right to respond to such disclosure by providing factual information about the deliberations and proceedings.

3. The Board of Directors shall notify the members in all instances in which the Discipline Committee Panel orders public disciplinary action. Notification shall not be given until the time to appeal has expired or, in the event of an appeal, until such appeal has been resolved. At the same time notification is given to the members, the Board of Directors shall also give notice of any disciplinary action to the appropriate investigatory body, all other actuarial organizations of which the actuary is a member, and to other persons or organizations, including governmental entities, which, in the opinion of the Board, should also receive notice of the action as being in the best interest of the public.

4. In the event of subsequent reinstatement of the subject actuary, the Board of Directors shall give notice of such action to all members and to entities previously advised by the Board of the public disciplinary action.

D. Disposition

Upon the completion of an appeal, or in the case of no appeal upon the expiration of the period for appeal, the President shall initiate the action necessary to comply with the final order. In the event of public disciplinary action, the President shall notify the membership, other actuarial organizations (including the investigatory body that recommended disciplinary action), and other interested parties of such action. Such disclosure shall not take place until two business days after the subject actuary has received notice of the decision of the Appeals Panel or otherwise reasonable efforts have been made to effect that notification. In the event that the Discipline Committee Panel hearing or the appeal results in no public disciplinary action, the President shall authorize the specified private disciplinary action, if any. In all cases, the matter shall otherwise continue to be treated in a confidential manner, with all records of the hearing and any appeal sealed and retained by the CAS Office under the control of the Executive Director. The Discipline Committee Panel Chairperson, the President, or the Executive Director may, however, be required to divulge such records by court order or other legal process in some circumstances, or as necessary to fulfill their appointed functions.

E. Report on Activities

The Discipline Committee shall issue an annual report to the Board of Directors and to the membership that shall include a description of its activities, including commentary on the types of cases pending, resolved, and dismissed. This annual report shall be subject to the confidentiality requirements and provisions set forth above.
CROSS-BORDER DISCIPLINE AGREEMENT

(Effective November 1, 2005)

This is an agreement between the Canadian Institute of Actuaries (“CIA”) and the American Academy of Actuaries (“AAA”), the American Society of Pension Professionals and Actuaries, the Casualty Actuarial Society, the Conference of Consulting Actuaries, and the Society of Actuaries (collectively “the U.S.-based organizations”). The CIA and the U.S.-based organizations agree that it is in the best interests of their members to reduce the risk that their members will be subjected to multiple disciplinary investigations arising out of a single complaint, inquiry or incident involving an alleged breach of the professional standards of the CIA and/or the U.S.-based organizations. Consequently, with regard to their members practicing in the United States and Canada, the CIA and the U.S.-based organizations agree as follows:

1. Members of the U.S.-based organizations practicing in Canada are required by the U.S.-based organizations to comply with the Rules of Professional Conduct, Standards of Practice and eligibility requirements of the CIA. Members of the CIA practicing in the United States are required by the CIA to comply with the Codes of Professional Conduct, Qualification Standards and Actuarial Standards of Practice of the U.S.-based organizations. The location(s) of the member’s practice in each case is determined by the ultimate purpose(s) of the member’s work, as determined by the facts and circumstances of the case. As between the United States and Canada, the ultimate purpose(s) of a member’s work is determined by whether the work is performed pursuant to the legal or regulatory requirements of the United States or Canada, or whether it is intended for use in the United States or Canada. (Thus, for example, an actuary who performed work to be filed with a United States governmental body would be deemed to have practiced in the United States when performing that work; similarly, an actuary who performed work to be filed with a Canadian governmental body would be deemed to have practiced in Canada when performing that work.) The residence or physical location of the actuary is irrelevant to the determination of whether the actuary has practiced in the United States or Canada.

2. Questions concerning members’ practice in Canada are investigated by the CIA in accordance with its rules and bylaws. Questions concerning members’ practice in the United States are investigated by the Actuarial Board for Counseling and Discipline and acted upon by the U.S.-based organizations in accordance with their rules and bylaws.

3. If a question arises concerning a CIA member’s practice in the United States and the CIA member is not also a member of one or more of the U.S.-based organizations, the question will be investigated by the Actuarial Board for Counseling and Discipline and reviewed by the Academy in accordance with its rules and bylaws as if the CIA member were a member of the Academy.

4. The parties hereby agree that, in instances where it is unclear whether a complaint, inquiry, or incident involving a member should be investigated by the CIA or by the ABCD, the CIA’s executive director and legal counsel to the ABCD will initiate discussions between the CIA and ABCD to determine which organization will undertake the investigation.

5. A determination by the CIA that a member of one or more of the U.S.-based organizations breached the applicable rules of the CIA when practicing in Canada will be made solely by the CIA, and will be deemed final by all the parties to this agreement when the appeal process of the CIA has been exhausted. A determination by one or more of the U.S.-based organizations that a member of the CIA breached the applicable rules of the U.S.-based organization(s) when practicing in the United States will be made solely by the U.S.-based organizations pursuant to findings and recommendation of the ABCD, and will be deemed final by all the parties to this agreement as to each U.S.-based organization when the appeal process of that U.S.-based organization has been exhausted.

6. The CIA will retain sole authority to determine the penalty to be imposed by the CIA upon one of its members based upon a finding by one or more of the U.S.-based organizations that a CIA member breached applicable rules when practicing in the United States. Each of the U.S.-based organizations will retain sole authority to determine the penalty to be imposed by that organization upon one of its members based upon a finding by the CIA that the member breached applicable rules when practicing in Canada.

7. The CIA agrees to communicate to the relevant U.S.-based organizations any public finding that a member of the U.S.-based organizations breached applicable rules when practicing in Canada, regardless of whether the member is also a member of the CIA, and to provide each of the relevant U.S.-based organizations with a copy of the Appeal Tribunal transcript, if any, or the transcript of the Disciplinary Tribunal and the findings of the Appeal Tribunal, if any, or the findings of the Disciplinary Tribunal. The CIA will also provide to the U.S.-based organizations upon request any and all additional documents and evidence considered by the tribunal in rendering its decision not subject to the solicitor-client or litigation privileges. Each of the U.S.-based organizations agrees to communicate to the CIA any finding that a member of that U.S.-based organization who is also a member of the CIA breached applicable rules when practicing in the U.S., and to provide a copy of the ABCD’s findings and conclusions and a summary of the U.S.-based organization’s conclusions, as well as other documents not subject to the attorney-client or attorney work product privileges, upon request from the CIA. The Academy agrees to communicate to the CIA any finding that a CIA member who is not also a member of any U.S.-based organization breached applicable rules when practicing in the United States, and to provide a copy of the ABCD’s findings and conclusions and a summary of the Academy’s conclusions, as well as other documents not subject to the attorney-client or attorney work product privileges upon request from the CIA. The parties will communicate to each other any finding of breach of applicable rules that results in public discipline, but will not com-
municate or provide copies of documents generated through investigation of a complaint or question concerning an actuary's conduct that did not result in public discipline.

8. The CIA and each of the U.S.-based organizations will not recommend to each other that any specific penalty be imposed upon a member based upon a finding that a member breached applicable rules of conduct, qualification or practice, but they will recommend that public disciplinary action be considered against a member if that member has been found to have breached applicable rules of conduct, qualification or practice.

9. Where, in accordance with the Cross-Border Discipline Agreement, the CIA communicates to the relevant U.S.-based organization(s) a finding that a member of one or more of the U.S.-based organizations has breached applicable rules of conduct, qualification or practice when practicing in Canada, or the U.S.-based organization communicates to the CIA a finding that a CIA member has breached applicable rules of conduct, qualification, or practice when practicing in the United States, the parties hereby agree that each of the recommending organization(s) designates the following representative to assist in answering any questions that the penalizing organization(s) may have with respect to the recommendation(s):

- Academy: Executive Director
- ASPPA: Executive Director
- CAS: Executive Director
- CCA: Executive Director
- CIA: Executive Director
- SOA: Executive Director

Nothing in this agreement prevents a penalizing organization, when it receives a recommendation for discipline pursuant to this agreement, from undertaking whatever action it deems necessary, consistent with its own disciplinary procedures, for the limited purpose of determining whether a material breach of its own Code of Professional Conduct or Rules of Professional Conduct warranting discipline occurred.

10. The parties will each take the necessary steps to amend their rules and bylaws to implement this agreement.

This agreement will take effect for all complaints, inquiries or incidents involving members; practice as between the United States and Canada that are under consideration by the parties as of November 1, 2005.
DUES SCHEDULE: The schedule of CAS membership dues as approved by the Board of Directors for 2011 is as follows:

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For U.S. members who are not also members of the American Academy of Actuaries, an additional $80.00 is added to the CAS dues for the cost of operating the Actuarial Standards Board (ASB) and the Actuarial Board for Counseling and Discipline (ABCD).

LATE FEE: A late fee of $75 will be assessed to member dues that have not been paid by January 31, 2011.

WAIVER OR DEFERRAL OF DUES: As prescribed by the CAS bylaws, a member may submit a written request for waiver of dues to the Board of Directors before dues have become six months in arrears citing the reason for the request.

The request for a dues waiver, either partial or full, will be granted in the following situations:

Permanent Dues Waivers:
1. Attainment of age 70 (full dues waiver).
2. Attainment of age 55 and deriving little or no earned income (full dues waiver).

Temporary Dues Waivers:
1. Retiring before the age of 55, deriving little or no earned income, and volunteering on a committee (CAS or Regional Affiliate), authoring a paper, participating as a panelist, or otherwise contributing to the Society (full dues waiver).
2. Retiring before the age of 55, deriving little or no earned income, and not actively contributing to the Society (50% partial dues waiver).
3. A Member on temporary leave from the actuarial profession because of active military service. This waiver is for one year and may be renewed each year upon written request.
4. A Member on temporary leave from the actuarial profession and deriving little or no earned income because of
   a. a disability, or
   b. full-time attendance at an accredited school of higher education, or
   c. participating in a voluntary humanitarian service (Peace Corps, etc.), or
   d. raising children or caring for another family member.

A Temporary Waiver granted for any of the reasons listed under item 4 above is for one year and may be renewed four additional years upon written request (maximum of five). Thereafter, additional requests for a temporary dues waiver for the reasons identified in item 4a-4c will require special consideration by the Board. Additional temporary full dues waivers for item 4d, may be granted to a member who is currently volunteering on a committee (CAS or Regional Affiliate), authoring a paper, participating as a panelist, or otherwise contributing to the Society. If not actively contributing to the Society, those members applying under item 4d may be granted unlimited additional 50% partial dues waivers.

There is no lifetime limit imposed for temporary waivers granted under the reasons identified in items 1, 2, 3, and the extension to 4d described in the preceding paragraph.

Dues Deferral: A member who is unemployed and actively seeking employment may submit a written request for deferral of dues to the Board of Directors before dues have become six months in arrears. The request will be granted for one year and may be renewed for one additional year upon written request. Deferred dues are payable when the member becomes employed.

Other Dues Waiver Requests: The Board will consider written requests for waivers for other reasons and may, at its discretion, by a majority vote waive the dues of a member.

Failure to Pay: Failure to pay dues when no waiver or deferral has been granted will cause the member to be dropped from the rolls and be subject to the reinstatement policy.

Publications for Member with Dues Waived: The rights and privileges appertaining to membership are not affected by a member's dues-waived or deferred status, with the exception that members in a full dues-waived status may elect to receive the Variance Journals for a fee of $50.00 U.S. Members in a partial dues waived status will continue to receive Variance at no additional charge.
The Casualty Actuarial Society (CAS) has a class of membership, Affiliate, to serve qualified actuaries who practice in the general insurance field and wish to be active in the CAS, but do not meet the qualifications to become an Associate or Fellow of the CAS. Affiliate Membership recognizes that the Affiliate Member has been granted professional status as an actuary by another actuarial organization and practices in the property/casualty field.

Affiliates are governed by the CAS Constitution, Bylaws and Code of Professional Conduct, and are subject to CAS disciplinary procedures (documents may be viewed on the CAS Web Site). Practice rights are not granted to Affiliate Members; rather they must adhere to U.S., Canadian, or other nation specific qualification standards to determine eligibility to practice.

Affiliates are entitled to attend meetings and seminars of the CAS by paying the fees specified for members, participate at Society functions, and serve on CAS committees (except for Admissions and Board committees). Affiliates are assessed 50% of the annual dues for Associates and Fellows. Affiliate dues for 2011 are $220 (U.S. funds).

Affiliates receive all CAS publications including Actuarial Review (a quarterly newsletter) and Variance (a scientific journal). They also are granted access to the Member Directory on the CAS Web Site (upon application for a password).

They are not authorized to append CAS initials to their name or to refer to themselves as “Member of the Casualty Actuarial Society.” Rather, they can refer to themselves as “Affiliate Member of the CAS” or “Affiliate of the CAS.” Affiliates do not have CAS voting rights.

Applicants for Affiliate Membership must be sponsored by a CAS Fellow (including a letter of recommendation from the sponsoring Fellow); provide evidence of attaining membership of an organization that is a member of the International Actuarial Association; and provide evidence of significant practice in the property/casualty field.

The requirement for significant practice in the property/casualty field can be met by practice in any application of actuarial science other than life insurance or pensions. If the candidate does not practice outside the life or pension fields on a fulltime basis, significant practice should be demonstrated through recent, responsible actuarial work on several projects, indicating an intention to continue practice outside the life and pension fields.

To apply for Affiliate Membership, please print and complete the application (http://www.casact.org/join/affiliate.pdf), and provide documentation as prescribed. The CAS Board of Directors will review each application for Affiliate membership.
The Subscriber Program is for nonmembers (other than Academic Correspondents) who have an interest in the activities of the Casualty Actuarial Society. Individuals and organizations (e.g., companies or state insurance departments) are eligible for the Program. Enrollment as a Subscriber requires payment of $505 per year (U.S. funds) and acceptance of the guidelines regarding activities at CAS meetings and Society-sponsored seminars.

Subscribers receive *Variance* (a scientific journal), the *Actuarial Review* (a quarterly newsletter), and notices of CAS meetings and seminars. Subscribers may attend CAS meetings and seminars by paying the standard registration fee. For an organization, one person may attend each meeting or seminar for each paid subscribership.

An additional benefit to the program is the ability to obtain a username and password to access certain password-protected areas of the CAS Web Site, such as the searchable Directory of Members, the membership list by employer type, and the online dues payment area. Also, when subscribers log in, meeting registration forms and online store order forms are automatically populated with their names and addresses. Interested individuals should indicate their preferred usernames and passwords on the application form.

Subscribership does not bestow upon the designated individual the professional status attained by those fulfilling the examination and other requirements for membership in the Society, nor does it grant to the individual or the participating organization recognition in the regular membership roster of the Society.
The Academic Correspondent program is for nonmembers who are involved in teaching actuarial science, mathematics, economics, business, or related courses, and who have an interest in the Casualty Actuarial Society. Such persons, by indicating their teaching involvement and their interest, and by payment of an annual fee of $75 (U.S. funds) to the Society, are enrolled as Academic Correspondents. Academic Correspondents receive copies of Variance (a scientific journal), the Actuarial Review (a quarterly newsletter), Future Fellows (the candidate newsletter), and other publications of the Society. Academic Correspondents also receive notice of CAS meetings and seminars. Registration fees for up to three CAS meetings and continuing education seminars annually will be waived for Academic Correspondents. The CAS will make a grant to an Academic Correspondent’s educational institution when the Academic Correspondent attains a CAS designation ($7,500 for Fellow and $5,000 for Associate).

Any organization, such as a university mathematics department, may become an Academic Correspondent and have one person attend each meeting. It should be noted that the Academic Correspondent program does not bestow upon a nonmember the professional status attained by those fulfilling the examination and other requirements for membership in the Society, nor does it grant to the individual or the participating organization recognition in the regular membership roster of the Society or privileges of membership other than specified above.

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CODE OF PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

(As Amended November 12, 2000)
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The purpose of this Code of Professional Conduct (“Code”) is to require Actuaries to adhere to the high standards of conduct, practice, and qualifications of the actuarial profession, thereby supporting the actuarial profession in fulfilling its responsibility to the public. An Actuary shall comply with the Code. An Actuary who commits a material violation of the provisions of the Code shall be subject to the profession’s counseling and discipline procedures.

The Precepts of the Code identify the professional and ethical standards with which an Actuary must comply in order to fulfill the Actuary’s responsibility to the public and to the actuarial profession. The Annotations provide additional explanatory, educational, and advisory material on how the Precepts are to be interpreted and applied.

In addition to this Code, an Actuary is subject to applicable rules of professional conduct or ethical standards that have been promulgated by a Recognized Actuarial Organization for the jurisdictions in which the Actuary renders Actuarial Services. Actuarial Services are considered to be rendered in the jurisdictions in which the Actuary intends them to be used unless specified otherwise by an agreement between a Recognized Actuarial Organization for any such jurisdiction and the organizations that have adopted the Code.

Laws may also impose obligations upon an Actuary. Where requirements of Law conflict with the Code, the requirements of Law shall take precedence.

An Actuary must be familiar with, and keep current with, not only the Code, but also applicable Law and rules of professional conduct for the jurisdictions in which the Actuary renders Actuarial Services. An Actuary is responsible for securing translations of such Laws or rules of conduct as may be necessary.

Definitions:

As used throughout the Code, the following terms are capitalized and have the meanings indicated:

Actuarial Communication: A written, electronic, or oral communication issued by an Actuary with respect to Actuarial Services.

Actuarial Services: Professional Services provided to a Principal by an individual acting in the capacity of an actuary. Such services include the rendering of advice, recommendations, findings, or opinions based upon actuarial considerations.

Actuary: An individual who has been admitted to a class of membership to which the Code applies by action of any organization having adopted the Code. When the term “actuary” is used without being capitalized, it refers to any individual practicing as an actuary, regardless of organizational membership or classification.

Confidential Information: Information not in the public domain of which an Actuary becomes aware as a result of providing Actuarial Services to a Principal. It includes information of a proprietary nature and information that is legally restricted from circulation.

Law: Statutes, regulations, judicial decisions, and other statements having legally binding authority.

Principal: A client or employer of the Actuary.

Recognized Actuarial Organization: An organization that has been accepted for full membership in the International Actuarial Association or a standards setting, counseling, or discipline body to which authority has been delegated by such an organization.

Professional Integrity

PRECEPT 1. An Actuary shall act honestly, with integrity and competence, and in a manner to fulfill the profession’s responsibility to the public and to uphold the reputation of the actuarial profession.

ANNOTATION 1-1. An Actuary shall perform Actuarial Services with skill and care.

ANNOTATION 1-2. An Actuary shall not provide Actuarial Services for any Principal if the Actuary has reason to believe that such services may be used to violate or evade the Law or in a manner that would be detrimental to the reputation of the actuarial profession.

ANNOTATION 1-3. An Actuary shall not use a relationship with a third party or with a present or prospective Principal to attempt to obtain illegal or materially improper treatment from one such party on behalf of the other party.

ANNOTATION 1-4. An Actuary shall not engage in any professional conduct involving dishonesty, fraud, deceit, or misrepresentation or commit any act that reflects adversely on the actuarial profession.

Qualification Standards

PRECEPT 2. An Actuary shall perform Actuarial Services only when the Actuary is qualified to do so on the basis of basic and continuing education and experience and only when the Actuary satisfies applicable qualification standards.

ANNOTATION 2-1. It is the professional responsibility of an Actuary to observe applicable qualification standards that have been promulgated by a Recognized Actuarial Organization for the jurisdictions in which the Actuary renders Actuarial Services and to keep current regarding changes in these standards.
ANNOTATION 2-2. The absence of applicable qualification standards for a particular type of assignment or for the jurisdictions in which an Actuary renders Actuarial Services does not relieve the Actuary of the responsibility to perform such Actuarial Services only when qualified to do so in accordance with this Precept.

Standards of Practice

PRECEPT 3. An Actuary shall ensure that Actuarial Services performed by or under the direction of the Actuary satisfy applicable standards of practice.

ANNOTATION 3-1. It is the professional responsibility of an Actuary to observe applicable standards of practice that have been promulgated by a Recognized Actuarial Organization for the jurisdictions in which the Actuary renders Actuarial Services and to keep current regarding changes in these standards.

ANNOTATION 3-2. Where a question arises with regard to the applicability of a standard of practice, or where no applicable standard exists, an Actuary shall utilize professional judgment, taking into account generally accepted actuarial principles and practices.

ANNOTATION 3-3. When an Actuary uses procedures that depart materially from those set forth in an applicable standard of practice, the Actuary must be prepared to justify the use of such procedures.

Communications and Disclosure

PRECEPT 4. An Actuary who issues an Actuarial Communication shall take appropriate steps to ensure that the Actuarial Communication is clear and appropriate to the circumstances and its intended audience and satisfies applicable standards of practice.

ANNOTATION 4-1. An Actuary who issues an Actuarial Communication shall ensure that the Actuarial Communication clearly identifies the Actuary as being responsible for it.

ANNOTATION 4-2. An Actuary who issues an Actuarial Communication should indicate the extent to which the Actuary or other sources are available to provide supplementary information and explanation.

PRECEPT 5. An Actuary who issues an Actuarial Communication shall, as appropriate, identify the Principal(s) for whom the Actuarial Communication is issued and describe the capacity in which the Actuary serves.

PRECEPT 6. An Actuary shall make appropriate and timely disclosure to a present or prospective Principal of the sources of all direct and indirect material compensation that the Actuary or the Actuary’s firm has received, or may receive, from another party in relation to an assignment for which the Actuary has provided, or will provide, Actuarial Services for that Principal. The disclosure of sources of material compensation that the Actuary’s firm has received, or may receive, is limited to those sources known to, or reasonably ascertainable by, the Actuary.

ANNOTATION 6-1. An Actuary who is not financially and organizationally independent concerning any matter related to the performance of Actuarial Services should disclose to the Principal any pertinent relationship that is not apparent.

ANNOTATION 6-2. An Actuary employed by a firm that operates in multiple locations is subject to the requirement of disclosure of sources of compensation that the Actuary’s firm may receive in relation to Actuarial Services with respect to a specific assignment for that Principal, regardless of the location in which such compensation is received.

Conflict of Interest

PRECEPT 7. An Actuary shall not knowingly perform Actuarial Services involving an actual or potential conflict of interest unless:
(a) the Actuary’s ability to act fairly is unimpaired;
(b) there has been disclosure of the conflict to all present and known prospective Principals whose interests would be affected by the conflict; and
(c) all such Principals have expressly agreed to the performance of the Actuarial Services by the Actuary.

Control of Work Product

PRECEPT 8. An Actuary who performs Actuarial Services shall take reasonable steps to ensure that such services are not used to mislead other parties.

ANNOTATION 8-1. An Actuarial Communication prepared by an Actuary may be used by another party in a way that may influence the actions of a third party. The Actuary should recognize the risks of misquotation, misinterpretation, or other misuse of the Actuarial Communication and should therefore take reasonable steps to present the Actuarial Communication clearly and fairly and to include, as appropriate, limitations on the distribution and utilization of the Actuarial Communication.
**Confidentiality**

PRECEPT 9. An Actuary shall not disclose to another party any Confidential Information unless authorized to do so by the Principal or required to do so by Law.

**Courtesy and Cooperation**

PRECEPT 10. An Actuary shall perform Actuarial Services with courtesy and professional respect and shall cooperate with others in the Principal’s interest.

ANNOTATION 10-1. Differences of opinion among actuaries may arise, particularly in choices of assumptions and methods. Discussions of such differences between an Actuary and another actuary, or in observations made by an Actuary to a Principal on the work of another actuary, should be conducted objectively and with courtesy and respect.

ANNOTATION 10-2. A Principal has an indisputable right to choose a professional advisor. An Actuary may provide service to any Principal who requests it, even though such Principal is being or has been served by another actuary in the same matter.

ANNOTATION 10-3. An Actuary in the course of an engagement or employment may encounter a situation such that the best interest of the Principal would be served by the Actuary’s setting out an alternative opinion to one expressed by another actuary, together with an explanation of the factors that lend support to the alternative opinion. Nothing in the Code should be construed as preventing the Actuary from expressing such an alternative opinion to the Principal.

ANNOTATION 10-4. An Actuary may be requested to advise a Principal for whom the Actuary knows or has reasonable grounds to believe that another actuary has provided, or is providing, Actuarial Services with respect to the same matter. In such event, the Actuary may choose to consult with such other actuary both to prepare adequately for the assignment and to make an informed judgment as to whether there are circumstances involving a potential violation of the Code that might affect acceptance of the assignment. The Actuary should request the Principal’s consent prior to such consultation.

ANNOTATION 10-5. When a Principal has given consent for a new or additional actuary to consult with an Actuary with respect to a matter for which the Actuary is providing or has provided Actuarial Services, the Actuary shall cooperate in furnishing relevant information, subject to receiving reasonable compensation for the work required to assemble and transmit pertinent data and documents. The Actuary shall not refuse to consult or cooperate with the prospective new or additional actuary based upon unresolved compensation issues with the Principal unless such refusal is in accordance with a pre-existing agreement with the Principal. The Actuary need not provide any items of a proprietary nature, such as internal communications or computer programs.

**Advertising**

PRECEPT 11. An Actuary shall not engage in any advertising or business solicitation activities with respect to Actuarial Services that the Actuary knows or should know are false or misleading.

ANNOTATION 11-1. Advertising and business solicitation activities encompass all communications by whatever medium, including oral communications, that may directly or indirectly influence any person or organization in deciding whether there is a need for Actuarial Services or in selecting a specific Actuary or firm to perform Actuarial Services.

**Titles and Designations**

PRECEPT 12. An Actuary shall make use of membership titles and designations of a Recognized Actuarial Organization only in a manner that conforms to the practices authorized by that organization.

ANNOTATION 12-1. “Title” refers to any title conferred by a Recognized Actuarial Organization related to a specific position within that organization. “Designation” refers to a specific reference to membership status within such organization.

**Violations of the Code of Professional Conduct**

PRECEPT 13. An Actuary with knowledge of an apparent, unresolved, material violation of the Code by another Actuary should consider discussing the situation with the other Actuary and attempt to resolve the apparent violation. If such discussion is not attempted or is not successful, the Actuary shall disclose such violation to the appropriate counseling and discipline body of the profession, except where the disclosure would be contrary to Law or would divulge Confidential Information.

ANNOTATION 13-1. A violation of the Code is deemed to be material if it is important or affects the outcome of a situation, as opposed to a violation that is trivial, does not affect an outcome, or is one merely of form.

ANNOTATION 13-2. An Actuary is not expected to discuss an apparent, unresolved material violation of the Code with the other Actuary if either Actuary is prohibited by Law from doing so or is acting in an adversarial environment involving the other Actuary.

PRECEPT 14. An Actuary shall respond promptly, truthfully, and fully to any request for information by, and cooperate fully with, an appropriate counseling and disciplinary body of the profession in connection with any disciplinary, counseling or other proceeding of such body relating to the Code. The Actuary’s responsibility to respond shall be subject to applicable restrictions on Confidential Information and those imposed by Law.
The purpose of the Casualty Actuarial Society (CAS) Code of Professional Ethics for Candidates (Candidate Code) is to require actuarial candidates to adhere to the high standards of conduct, practice, and qualifications of the actuarial profession, thereby supporting the actuarial profession in fulfilling its responsibility to the public. An actuarial candidate shall comply with the Candidate Code. An actuarial candidate who commits a material violation of the provisions of the Candidate Code shall be subject to the counseling and discipline procedures of the CAS.

“Actuarial candidates” are those persons who have registered for a CAS specific exam but have yet to fulfill all of the requirements for admission into the CAS. In situations where actuarial candidates perform actuarial work, their “principal” is defined as their client or employer. “Actuarial services” are professional services provided to a principal by an individual acting in the capacity of an actuary. Such services include the rendering of advice, recommendations, findings, or opinions based upon actuarial considerations.

**RULE 1:** An actuarial candidate shall act honestly, with integrity and competence, to uphold the reputation of the actuarial profession.

**RULE 2:** An actuarial candidate shall not engage in any professional conduct involving dishonesty, fraud, deceit, or misrepresentation or commit any act that reflects adversely on the actuarial profession.

**RULE 3:** An actuarial candidate shall perform actuarial services with courtesy and professional respect and shall cooperate with others in the principal’s interest.

**RULE 4:** An actuarial candidate shall adhere to the CAS Policy on Examination Discipline.

**Rule 5:** Actuarial candidates are not authorized to use membership designations of the CAS until they are admitted to membership by the CAS Executive Council.

**RULE 6:** An actuarial candidate shall not disclose to another party any confidential information unless authorized to do so by the principal or required to do so by law, statute, or regulation. Confidential information includes information of a proprietary nature and information that is legally restricted from circulation.

**RULE 7:** An actuarial candidate shall respond promptly, truthfully, and fully to any request for information by, and cooperate fully with, appropriate counseling and disciplinary body of the CAS in connection with any disciplinary, counseling or other proceeding of such body relating to the Candidate Code. The actuarial candidate’s responsibility to respond shall be subject to applicable restrictions listed in Rule 6 and those imposed by law, statute, or regulation.

Candidates may obtain a copy of the Casualty Actuarial Society Rules of Procedure for Disciplinary Actions Involving Candidates by sending a written request to the CAS Office.
Use of Titles and Designations

Precept 12 of the Code of Professional Conduct and Section 1 of Article III of the Constitution are concerned primarily with the use of titles by members and, in particular, with designations related to the Society. The purpose of this material is to clarify the proper use of a designation. For this purpose, the term title means any title conferred by an employer or actuarial organization related to a specific position within that employer or actuarial organization. The term designation means a reference to a specific membership status within an actuarial organization.

(a) Society Titles and Designations

The designation “F.C.A.S.” or “A.C.A.S.” may be signed, whichever is applicable, or may be written as “Fellow of the Casualty Actuarial Society” or “Associate of the Casualty Actuarial Society,” respectively. No person is authorized to use these designations until such use has been approved by action of the Casualty Actuarial Society. As an example of the use of titles by a member, consider a member who has the title of “Vice President-Administration” conferred by the Society and is also a Fellow of the Society. The member would sign as follows:

J.H. Jones, F.C.A.S.
Vice President-Administration

or

J.H. Jones, Fellow of the Casualty Actuarial Society
Vice President-Administration

An Affiliate may refer to him/herself as “Affiliate of the Casualty Actuarial Society” or “Affiliate Member of the Casualty Actuarial Society.” An Affiliate may not refer to him/herself as a “Member of the Casualty Actuarial Society” and is not authorized to append CAS initials to his/her name.

The use of a Society membership designation is optional.

(b) Employment Titles

A member may have an employment title conferred by an employer in addition to the titles and designations conferred by the Society. As an example of the use of employment titles by a member, consider a member who has the employment title “Assistant Actuary” and is also a Fellow of the Society. The member would sign as follows:

J.H. Jones, F.C.A.S.
Assistant Actuary

or

J.H. Jones, Fellow of the Casualty Actuarial Society
Assistant Actuary

The use of a Society membership designation is optional.

(c) Society Business

A member of the Board of Directors may use the designation “Member of the Board of Directors, Casualty Actuarial Society” only when dealing with Society business or when authorized to speak for the Society. This authorization principle applies to all elective or appointive positions in the Society. Regardless of offices held, whether elected or appointed, the member may never speak for the Society or for one of its committees unless authorized to do so by the Board of Directors.

(d) Non-Society Activities

A member may not include on a letterhead or signature block any references to Society titles and committee membership held in the Society, except when used for Society business.

(e) References

It would not be a violation of Precept 12 to refer to offices held in the Society in biographical material of any type (including material in connection with a book or article written by a member) or in connection with other generally published material. It would not be a violation to refer to offices held in the Society when giving testimony in a court of law or before a public body, provided it is made clear that the member does not speak for the Society or one of its committees unless specifically authorized to do so.

It would not be a violation to use such biographical material when appropriate in announcing a member’s promotion or change in employment or on any similar occasion. The ultimate test is whether the reader could be led to conclude that the member is speaking for the Society or one of its component parts.
Statement of Principles
Regarding
Property and Casualty
Loss and Loss Adjustment
Expense Reserves

(ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CAS, MAY 1988)

The purpose of this Statement is to identify and describe principles applicable to the evaluation and review of loss and loss adjustment expense reserves. Because of their size and the uncertainties in the estimation process, the evaluation of these reserves requires the use of proper actuarial and statistical procedures. The financial condition of a property and casualty insurer cannot be assessed accurately without sound reserve estimates.

This Statement consists of three parts:

I. Definitions

II. Principles

III. Considerations

The definitions in the next section apply to both loss reserves and loss adjustment expense reserves. For the purpose of this statement the terms loss and claim are used interchangeably, and the term insurer is meant to represent any risk bearer for property and casualty exposures, whether an insurance company, self-insured entity, or other.

I. Definitions

A loss reserve is a provision for its related liability. A total loss reserve is composed of five elements, although the five elements may not necessarily be individually quantified:

• case reserve
• provision for future development on known claims
• reopened claims reserve
• provision for claims incurred but not reported
• provision for claims in transit (incurred and reported but not recorded)

Before these five elements are discussed, certain key dates and terms need to be defined.

The accounting date is the date that defines the group of claims for which liability may exist, namely all insured claims incurred on or before the accounting date. The accounting date may be any date selected for a statistical or financial reporting purpose.

The valuation date is the date through which transactions are included in the data base used in the evaluation of the liability, regardless of when the analysis is performed. For a defined group of claims as of a given accounting date, reevaluation of the same liability may be made as of successive valuation dates. A valuation date may be prior to, coincident with or subsequent to the accounting date.

The carried loss reserve is the amount shown in a published statement or in an internal statement of financial condition.

An indicated loss reserve is the result of the application of a particular loss reserving evaluation procedure. An indicated loss reserve for a given accounting date likely will change from one valuation date to another.
A division is often required between reserves for known claims and reserves for claims which have been incurred but not reported (IBNR). The reserve for known claims* represents the amount, estimated as of the valuation date, that will be required for future payments on claims that already have been reported to the insurer. The IBNR reserve represents the amount that must be provided for future payments on insured losses that have occurred but that have not been reported.

The case reserve† is defined as the sum of the values assigned to specific known claims whether determined by claims adjusters or set by formula. Adjusters’ estimates are the aggregate of the estimates made by claims personnel for individual claims, based on the facts of the particular claims. Formula reserves are reserves established for groups of claims for which certain classifying information is provided. Formula reserving may be applied to individual claims or to aggregations of claims with similar characteristics through use of average claim values or factors applied to representative statistics (for example, premiums in force or earned premiums).

Development is defined as the change between valuation dates in the observed values of certain fundamental quantities that may be used in the loss reserve estimation process. For example, the observed number of reported claims associated with losses occurring within a particular calendar period often will be seen to increase from one valuation date to the next until all claims have been reported. The pattern of accumulating claims represents the development of the number of claims.

In a similar fashion, the amount of claim payments for losses occurring within a specific calendar period also will be seen to increase at succeeding valuation dates. In this case the pattern of accumulating payments represents the development of claim costs and is usually referred to by the term paid development. The concept of development also applies to incurred losses. Incurred development is defined as the difference between estimates of incurred costs at two valuation dates for a defined group of claims.

The provision for future development on known claims relates to incurred development on those claims reported to an insurer on or before a specific accounting date that are still open on that accounting date. Incurred development on such claims can be either increasing or decreasing.

The reopened claims reserve is a provision for future payments on claims closed as of the accounting date that may be reopened due to circumstances not foreseen at the time the claims were closed. In some instances, post-closing payments or recoveries for claims not actually reopened may be included with the development on known claims.

For many insurers a claim is considered to be reported when it is first recorded in the accounting records of the insurer. Conceptually, two elements form the IBNR reserve. The first of these elements is the provision for claims incurred but not reported, referred to as the “pure” IBNR. This provision results from the normal delay that occurs in reporting losses. The second element is the provision for claims in transit, which are incurred and reported but not recorded. This provision represents the additional time consumed by the insurer’s recording procedures. As a practical matter it is not always feasible to measure these two elements separately, but it is important to understand the effect reporting procedures can have on the amount of IBNR.

* The reserve for known claims is also sometimes referred to by other labels such as the “reported reserve,” the “reserve for claims adjusted or in the process of adjustment,” or the “reserve for unpaid losses excluding IBNR.”

† The term case reserve is sometimes used in place of the reserve for known claims. However, as defined, the case reserve does not include the provision for future development on known claims.
reserve. For some insurers claims in transit are considered known claims. The IBNR reserve
must provide for the ultimate value of IBNR claims including the development which is
expected to occur on these claims after reporting.

Loss adjustment expenses include allocated loss adjustment expenses and unallocated loss
adjustment expenses. Allocated loss adjustment expenses are those expenses, such as attorneys'
fees and other legal costs, that are incurred in connection with and are assigned to specific claims.
Unallocated loss adjustment expenses are all other claim adjustment expenses and include salaries,
utilities and rent apportioned to the claim adjustment function but not readily assignable to specific
claims. The definition of allocated and unallocated loss adjustment expenses for reserving purposes
varies among insurers, and an individual insurer's practice for reserving may not always conform
to its definition for statistical reporting or ratemaking purposes.

Since allocated expenses are assigned to specific claims, all of the analyses performed on
loss data can also be performed on allocated loss expense data. Thus, the allocated loss
adjustment expense reserve can be divided into known and IBNR components. All of the
concepts discussed in the preceding paragraphs, as well as each of the five elements of the loss
reserve, have similar meanings with regard to the allocated loss adjustment expense reserve.

Although the same statistical procedures normally do not apply to unallocated expenses, the
unallocated loss adjustment expense reserve can still be divided into known reserve and IBNR
components, and the concept of a particular valuation date is meaningful.

II. Principles

1. An actuarially sound loss reserve for a defined group of claims as of a given valuation date
   is a provision, based on estimates derived from reasonable assumptions and appropriate
   actuarial methods for the unpaid amount required to settle all claims, whether reported or
   not, for which liability exists on a particular accounting date.

2. An actuarially sound loss adjustment expense reserve for a defined group of claims as of a
given valuation date is a provision, based on estimates derived from reasonable
assumptions and appropriate actuarial methods, for the unpaid amount required to
investigate, defend, and effect the settlement of all claims, whether reported or not, for
which loss adjustment expense liability exists on a particular accounting date.

3. The uncertainty inherent in the estimation of required provisions for unpaid losses or loss
adjustment expenses implies that a range of reserves can be actuarially sound. The true
value of the liability for losses or loss adjustment expenses at any accounting date can be
known only when all attendant claims have been settled.

4. The most appropriate reserve within a range of actuarially sound estimates depends on
both the relative likelihood of estimates within the range and the financial reporting context
in which the reserve will be presented.

Although specific reserve requirements may vary, the same basic principles apply in each
context in which the reserves are stated, including statutory balance sheets, statements of
opinion on loss reserves, and reports to shareholders or securities regulators. Guidance in the
application of these principles is provided in the Considerations section of this statement.

III. Considerations

Understanding the trends and changes affecting the data base is a prerequisite to the
application of actuarially sound reserving methods. A knowledge of changes in underwriting,
claims handling, data processing and accounting, as well as changes in the legal and social
environment, affecting the experience is essential to the accurate interpretation and evaluation of
observed data and the choice of reserving methods.

A knowledge of the general characteristics of the insurance portfolio for which reserves are
to be established also is important. Such knowledge would include familiarity with policy
provisions that may have a bearing on reserving, as well as deductibles, salvage and
subrogation, policy limits, and reinsurance.

Data Organization

The categorization of claims by time unit is extremely important. The successful organization of a
data base for reserving revolves around five key dates:

• accident date, which is the date on which the loss occurred, or for those losses that cannot
be identified with a single isolated event, the date on which the loss is deemed to have
occurred
• report date, which is the date on which the loss is first reported to the insurer (in practice it
is often taken to be the recorded date)
• recorded date, which is the date on which the loss is first entered in the statistical records of
the insurer
• accounting date
• valuation date

Commonly, insurers compile claim data by accident periods (accident year, accident quarter,
accident month, etc.), which group together all claims with accident dates falling within
particular fiscal periods; or by policy periods, which group all claims relating to policies written
during particular fiscal periods. Claim information by accident year is required for various
financial reporting schedules. Many insurers also compile claim data by report periods, which
group together all claims with report dates falling within specified fiscal periods.

Claims with report dates equal to or prior to a particular accounting date would be classified
as known or reported claims with respect to the accounting date, but claims with report dates
later than a particular accounting date and with accident dates equal to or earlier than the
accounting date would be classified as IBNR with respect to the accounting date.

The preceding paragraph gives the precise definition of IBNR claims. In practice a broader
definition is sometimes used in which the IBNR reserve denotes the provision for late reported
claims, development on known claims, and a provision for reopened claims.

The ambiguity regarding the definition of IBNR can result from the differing strategies
insurers may employ in approaching loss reserving. The two common strategies are the report
period approach and the accident period approach. In the report period approach the adequacy
of existing reserves on reported claims is estimated on the basis of the historical results. Further
analysis is required in order to measure the emergence of IBNR claim. In a pure accident
period approach, the ultimate cost of all claims, both reported and unreported, arising from each
accident period is estimated. This approach results in an estimate of the loss reserve without
segregation of claims incurred but not reported. The estimated loss reserve is then apportioned
between reserves for IBNR and known claims on a suitable basis. Because accident period
techniques do not necessarily require separate treatment of reported and unreported claims,
their use can lead to a broader definition IBNR as mentioned above.

The method of assigning report dates to reopened claims can also affect the IBNR reserve.
Because reopened claims are generated from claims previously reported and closed, there is
general agreement that the provision for this liability should be included in the reserve for
known claims. Some insurers, however, establish new report dates for reopened claims and
thereby consider the provision for these claims as a component of the IBNR reserve.
Homogeneity

Loss reserving accuracy often is improved by subdividing experience into groups exhibiting similar characteristics, such as comparable claim experience patterns, settlement patterns or size of loss distributions. For a heterogeneous product, such as commercial multi-peril or miscellaneous liability insurance, consideration should be given to segregating the experience into more homogeneous groupings. Other example applications concern the distinctions between personal and commercial risks and between primary and excess coverage. Additionally, subdividing or combining the data so as to minimize the distorting effects of operational or procedural changes should be fully explored.

Credibility

Credibility is a measure of the predictive value that the actuary attaches to a body of data. The degree to which consideration is given to homogeneity is related to the consideration of credibility. Credibility is increased by making groupings more homogeneous or by increasing the number of claims analyzed within each group. A group of claims should be large enough to be statistically reliable. Obtaining homogeneous groupings requires refinement and partitioning of the total data base. There is a point at which partitioning divides data into cells too small to provide credible development patterns. Each situation requires a balancing of the homogeneity and amount of data in each grouping. Thus, line and coverage definitions suitable for the establishment of reserves for large insurers can be in much finer detail than in the case of small insurers. Where a very small group of claims is involved, use of external information such as industry aggregates may be necessary.

Data Availability

Data should meet requirements for the proper evaluation of reserves. Existing information systems may impose constraints while more suitable data are being developed. Whatever data are used in analysis of reserves, they must reconcile to the insurer’s financial records. If reserves are established in less detail than necessary for reporting requirements, procedures for properly assigning the reserves to required categories must be developed.

Emergence Patterns

The delay between the occurrence of claims and the recording of claims depends upon both the line of business and the insurer’s practices. In general, property claims are reported quickly, whereas the reporting of liability claims may be substantially delayed.

A review of the insurer’s claims practices should be made to assure that assumptions regarding the claims process are appropriate. If a change in claims procedures is identified, its impact on emergence patterns should be evaluated.

Settlement Patterns

The length of time that it normally takes for reported claims to be settled will affect the choice of the loss reserving methods. Lines of business for which claims settle quickly generally are less subject to reserve uncertainty. A claim arising under collision coverage, for example, tends to be settled quickly, and the amount of settlement is usually close to the original estimate. Conversely, a bodily injury liability claim often requires a long time to settle. Moreover, the amount of settlement often varies considerably from the original estimate, since it depends on the interaction of complex variables such as the type and severity of the injury and the intricacies of the judicial process.

Development Patterns
The pattern of development on known claims should be carefully reviewed. An insurer’s claims procedures will affect the manner in which the case reserves develop for any group of claims, and changes in claims practices may affect the consistency of historical developments. Further, the length of time to settlement may affect the observed development.

If reserves have been established at present values, the payments of claims, by themselves, cause an appearance of upward development apart from development due to other factors. To interpret development patterns correctly, the development history should be restated to remove the effect of discounting.

**Frequency and Severity**

The same total dollars of losses may arise from a few very large claims or from many small claims. Reserve estimates will tend to be more accurate for losses resulting from a high frequency/low severity group of claims than from a low frequency/high severity group of claims. Therefore, the evaluation of reserves for low frequency/high severity groups of claims will ordinarily require more extensive analysis. If the exposure for the group of claims being considered includes the potential for claims of a magnitude not present in historical data, adjustments should be made to reflect the expectation of such claims.

**Reopened Claims Potential**

The tendency for closed claims to reopen varies substantially among lines of business. Judicial opinions and legislation can affect the reopening of claims, as can changes in an insurer’s procedures.

**Claims-Made**

Some coverages may be provided on a policy form covering claims reported during a certain period rather than claims arising out of occurrences during that period. Claims-made data should be segregated from experience on occurrence policies. It may be necessary to augment claims-made statistics with appropriate report period statistics generated under occurrence programs.

Certain provisions may modify the claims-made policy upon fulfillment of conditions stipulated in the contract. Review of the contract wording is necessary to determine the appropriate reserve, if any, for occurrences prior to the policy effective date or claims reported after the policy expiration.

**Aggregate Limits**

For certain insurance coverages, such as products and professional liability, aggregate policy limits may act to restrict total potential incurred losses and therefore reserve requirements. In the review of groups of claims where aggregate limits apply, modeling techniques or audit tests of the data will reveal to what extent limit ceilings have been reached and assist in determining how reserve projections may have to be modified.

**Salvage, Subrogation, and Collateral Sources**

For a proper evaluation of an insurer’s total reserve position, the potential impact of salvage and subrogation on the group of claims under consideration should be evaluated even though statutory accounting may prohibit a deduction from loss reserves. In addition, the impact of coinsurance, deductibles, coordination of benefits, second injury fund recoveries, as well as any other collateral sources, should be considered.

**Generally Accepted Accounting Principles**
Reports to shareholders and to securities regulators are governed by generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). GAAP reserves may be defined differently from statutory reserves. For example, GAAP reserves are ordinarily reduced by anticipated salvage and subrogation. The same principles of analysis used for statutory estimates can be applied to GAAP reserve estimates.

Reinsurance

Reserves are affected by the types of reinsurance plans and retentions that were and are in force, and the impact of changes in net retentions should be evaluated. To determine the effect of reinsurance it may be appropriate to analyze direct and ceded experience separately. The recoverability of ceded reinsurance is a further consideration; generally, it is addressed separately from the reserve evaluation process.

Portfolio Transfers, Commutations, and Structured Settlements

Portfolio transfers, commutations, and structured settlements generally recognize the time value of money. Such transactions should be evaluated for their impact on the loss reserves and the development patterns.

Pools and Associations

The loss liabilities of an insurer depend to some degree on forces beyond its control, such as business obtained through participation in voluntary and non-voluntary underwriting pools and associations. The operating and reserving policies of these organizations vary, and adjustments to reserves reported by the pools and associations may be warranted.

Operational Changes

The installation of a new computer system, an accounting change, a reorganization of claims responsibility or changes in claims handling practices or underwriting programs are examples of operational changes that can affect the continuity of the loss experience. The computation of the reserves should reflect the impact of such changes.

Changes in Contracts

Changes in contract provisions, such as policy limits, deductibles, or coverage attachment points, may alter the amounts of claims against an insurer. Such contractual changes may affect both the frequency and severity of claims.

External Influences

Due regard should be given to the impact of external influences. External influences include the judicial environment, regulatory and legislative changes, residual or involuntary market mechanisms, and economic variables such as inflation.

Discounting

There are circumstances where loss reserves are stated on a present value basis. To calculate or evaluate such reserves, it is generally appropriate to perform an analysis on an undiscounted basis and then apply the effect of discounting.

Provision for Uncertainty

A reserve estimate should take into account the degree of uncertainty inherent in its projections. A reserve stated at its ultimate value may include an implicit provision for uncertainty due to the time value of money. If a reserve is to be stated at a present value, it may be appropriate to include an explicit provision for uncertainty in its undiscounted amount. Further, an explicit provision for uncertainty may be warranted when the indicated ultimate
reserve value is subject to a high degree of variability.

**Reasonableness**

The incurred losses implied by the reserves should be measured for reasonableness against relevant indicators, such as premiums, exposures, or numbers of policies, and expressed wherever possible in terms of frequencies, severities, and loss ratios. No material departure from expected results should be accepted without attempting to find an explanation for the variation.

**Loss-Related Balance Sheet Items**

The loss reserve analysis may have implications for other loss-related balance sheet items. These include contingent commissions, retrospective premium adjustments, policyholder dividends, premium deficiency reserves, minimum statutory reserves and the deduction for unauthorized reinsurance.

**Loss Reserving Methods**

Detailed discussion of the technology and applicability of current loss reserving practices is beyond the scope of this statement. Selection of the most appropriate method of reserve estimation is the responsibility of the actuary. Ordinarily the actuary will examine the indications of more than one method when estimating the loss and loss adjustment expense liability for a specific group of claims.

**Standards of Practice**

This statement provides the principles of loss reserving. The actuary should also be familiar with standards of practice, which address the application of these principles.
Statement of Principles Regarding
Property and Casualty
Insurance Ratemaking

(Adopted by the Board of Directors of the CAS May 1988)

The purpose of this Statement is to identify and describe principles applicable to the
determination and review of property and casualty insurance rates. The principles in this
Statement are limited to that portion of the ratemaking process involving the estimation of costs
associated with the transfer of risk. This Statement consists of four parts:

I. Definitions

II. Principles

III. Considerations

IV. Conclusion

The principles contained in this Statement provide the foundation for the development of
actuarial procedures and standards of practice. It is important that proper actuarial procedures
be employed to derive rates that protect the insurance system’s financial soundness and promote
equity and availability for insurance consumers.

Although this Statement addresses property and casualty insurance ratemaking, the
principles contained in this Statement apply to other risk transfer mechanisms.

I. Definitions

Ratemaking is the process of establishing rates used in insurance or other risk transfer
mechanisms. This process involves a number of considerations including marketing goals,
competition and legal restrictions to the extent they affect the estimation of future costs associated
with the transfer of risk. This Statement is limited to principles applicable to the estimation of these
costs. Such costs include claims, claim settlement expenses, operational and administrative
expenses, and the cost of capital. Summary descriptions of these costs are as follows:

• Incurred losses are the cost of claims insured.

• Allocated loss adjustment expenses are claims settlement costs directly assignable to
specific claims.

• Unallocated loss adjustment expenses are all costs associated with the claim settlement
function not directly assignable to specific claims.

• Commission and brokerage expenses are compensation to agents and brokers.

• Other acquisition expenses are all costs, except commission and brokerage, associated
with the acquisition of business.

• Taxes, licenses and fees are all taxes and miscellaneous fees except federal income taxes.

• Policyholder dividends are a non-guaranteed return of premium charged to operations as
an expense.

• General administrative expenses are all other operational and administrative costs.

• The underwriting profit and contingency provisions are the amounts that, when considered
with net investment and other income, provide an appropriate total after-tax return.
II. Principles

Ratemaking is prospective because the property and casualty insurance rate must be developed prior to the transfer of risk.

Principle 1: A rate is an estimate of the expected value of future costs.

Ratemaking should provide for all costs so that the insurance system is financially sound.

Principle 2: A rate provides for all costs associated with the transfer of risk.

Ratemaking should provide for the costs of an individual risk transfer so that equity among insureds is maintained. When the experience of an individual risk does not provide a credible basis for estimating these costs, it is appropriate to consider the aggregate experience of similar risks. A rate estimated from such experience is an estimate of the costs of the risk transfer for each individual in the class.

Principle 3: A rate provides for the costs associated with an individual risk transfer.

Ratemaking produces cost estimates that are actuarially sound if the estimation is based on Principles 1, 2, and 3. Such rates comply with four criteria commonly used by actuaries: reasonable, not excessive, not inadequate, and not unfairly discriminatory.

Principle 4: A rate is reasonable and not excessive, inadequate, or unfairly discriminatory if it is an actuarially sound estimate of the expected value of all future costs associated with an individual risk transfer.

III. Considerations

A number of ratemaking methodologies have been established by precedent or common usage within the actuarial profession. Since it is desirable to encourage experimentation and innovation in ratemaking, the actuary need not be completely bound by these precedents. Regardless of the ratemaking methodology utilized, the material assumptions should be documented and available for disclosure. While no ratemaking methodology is appropriate in all cases, a number of considerations commonly apply. Some of these considerations are listed below with summary descriptions. These considerations are intended to provide a foundation for the development of actuarial procedures and standards of practice.

Exposure Unit

The determination of an appropriate exposure unit or premium basis is essential. It is desirable that the exposure unit vary with the hazard and be practical and verifiable.

Data

Historical premium, exposure, loss and expense experience is usually the starting point of ratemaking. This experience is relevant if it provides a basis for developing a reasonable indication of the future. Other relevant data may supplement historical experience. These other data may be external to the company or to the insurance industry and may indicate the general direction of trends in insurance claim costs, claim frequencies, expenses and premiums.

Organization of Data

There are several acceptable methods of organizing data including calendar year, accident year, report year and policy year. Each presents certain advantages and disadvantages; but, if handled properly, each may be used to produce rates. Data availability, clarity, simplicity, and the nature of the insurance coverage affect the choice.
Homogeneity

Ratemaking accuracy often is improved by subdividing experience into groups exhibiting similar characteristics. For a heterogeneous product, consideration should be given to segregating the experience into more homogeneous groupings. Additionally, subdividing or combining the data so as to minimize the distorting effects of operational or procedural changes should be fully explored.

Credibility

Credibility is a measure of the predictive value that the actuary attaches to a particular body of data. Credibility is increased by making groupings more homogeneous or by increasing the size of the group analyzed. A group should be large enough to be statistically reliable. Obtaining homogeneous groupings requires refinement and partitioning of the data. There is a point at which partitioning divides data into groups too small to provide credible patterns. Each situation requires balancing homogeneity and the volume of data.

Loss Development

When incurred losses and loss adjustment expenses are estimated, the development of each should be considered. The determination of the expected loss development is subject to the principles set forth in the Casualty Actuarial Society’s Statement of Principles Regarding Property and Casualty Loss and Loss Adjustment Expense Reserves.

Trends

Consideration should be given to past and prospective changes in claim costs, claim frequencies, exposures, expenses and premiums.

Catastrophes

Consideration should be given to the impact of catastrophes on the experience and procedures should be developed to include an allowance for the catastrophe exposure in the rate.

Policy Provisions

Consideration should be given to the effect of salvage and subrogation, coinsurance, coverage limits, deductibles, coordination of benefits, second injury fund recoveries and other policy provisions.

Mix of Business

Consideration should be given to distributional changes in deductibles, coverage limitations or type of risks that may affect the frequency or severity of claims.

Reinsurance

Consideration should be given to the effect of reinsurance arrangements.

Operational Changes

Consideration should be given to operational changes such as changes in the underwriting process, claim handling, case reserving and marketing practices that affect the continuity of the experience.

Other Influences

The impact of external influences on the expected future experience should be considered. Considerations include the judicial environment, regulatory and legislative changes, guaranty funds, economic variable, and residual market mechanisms including subsidies of residual
market rate deficiencies.

Classification Plans

A properly defined classification plan enables the development of actuarially sound rates.

Individual Risk Rating

When an individual risk’s experience is sufficiently credible, the premium for that risk should be modified to reflect the individual experience. Consideration should be given to the impact of individual risk rating plans on the overall experience.

Risk

The rate should include a charge for the risk of random variation from the expected costs. This risk charge should be reflected in the determination of the appropriate total return consistent with the cost of capital and, therefore, influences the underwriting profit provision. The rate should also include a charge for any systematic variation of the estimated costs from the expected costs. This charge should be reflected in the determination of the contingency provision.

Investment and Other Income

The contribution of net investment and other income should be considered.

Actuarial Judgment

Informed actuarial judgments can be used effectively in ratemaking. Such judgments may be applied throughout the ratemaking process and should be documented and available for disclosure.

IV. Conclusion

The actuary, by applying the ratemaking principles in this Statement, will derive an estimation of the future costs associated with the transfer of risk. Other business considerations are also a part of ratemaking. By interacting with professionals from various fields including underwriting, marketing, law, claims, and finance, the actuary has a key role in the ratemaking process.
Statement of Principles
Regarding Property and
Casualty Valuations
(As ADOPTED SEPTEMBER 22, 1989)

The purpose of this Statement is to identify and describe principles applicable to property and casualty valuations. The Statement establishes fundamental concepts for research and education regarding valuation techniques. The principles in this Statement provide the foundation for actuarial procedures and standards of practice regarding valuations. These principles apply to valuations regarding any risk bearer of property and casualty contingencies.

This Statement consists of three parts:

I. Definitions
II. Principles
III. Discussion

I. Definitions

Valuation is the process of determining and comparing, for the purpose of assessing a risk bearer's financial condition as of a given date, called the valuation date, the values of part or all of a risk bearer's obligations and the assets and considerations designated as supporting those obligations.

A valuation is carried out in accordance with specified rules or assumptions selected or prescribed in accordance with the purpose of the valuation.

A risk bearer is a person or other entity that is exposed to the risk of financial losses that may arise out of specified contingent events during a specified period of exposure.

Cash flows are receipts or disbursements of cash.

An asset is cash held or any other resource that can generate receipts or reduce disbursements.

An obligation is a commitment by or requirement of a risk bearer to make disbursements with respect to financial losses arising out of specified contingent events or with respect to any type of other expense or investment commitment.

A consideration is a receipt or a reduction in disbursements in exchange for accepting the risk of financial losses that may arise out of specified contingent events during a specified period of exposure.

II. Principles

1. Every obligation, consideration or asset, with the exception of cash held, is associated with one or more items of cash flow.

2. The value of every item of cash flow depends upon the following valuation variables, each of which may involve uncertainty:
   a. the occurrence of the item of cash flow,
   b. the amount of the item of cash flow,
   c. the interval of time between the valuation date and the date of occurrence of the item of cash flow, and
   d. a rate of interest related to the interval of time between the valuation date and the date of occurrence of the cash flow.
3. The degree of uncertainty affecting each valuation variable for any item of cash flow associated with a given asset, obligation or consideration depends upon:
   a. the nature of the asset, obligation or consideration,
   b. the various environments (e.g. regulatory, judicial, social, financial and economic environments) within which the valuation is being performed, and
   c. the predictive value of the data used to estimate the valuation variables associated with each item of cash flow.

4. In general, the values of items of cash flow associated with a given asset, obligation or consideration, and the values of assets, obligations and considerations themselves are not only uncertain, they are also not independent of each other. Consequently, the degree of uncertainty relative to the combined value of items of cash flow or of assets, obligations and considerations reflects the uncertainties affecting the underlying valuation variables and arising out of the interaction of those variables in the process of combination.

5. The value of an asset, obligation or consideration is equal to the combined values of its constituent items of cash flow.

6. The result of a valuation is the combined value of the assets, obligations and considerations involved in the valuation with due recognition of the offsetting characteristics of receipts and disbursements.

7. These valuation principles apply to any valuation whether it involves a risk bearer's total assets, obligations and considerations as of a given valuation date or only identified segments of the risk bearer's assets, obligations and considerations including:
   a. commitments made on or before the valuation date, or
   b. the commitments in (a) and commitments projected to be made after the valuation date, or
   c. only those commitments projected to be made after the valuation date.

III. Discussion

Although no valuation methodology is appropriate in all situations, a number of considerations commonly apply. Some of these considerations are discussed in this section. These discussions are intended to provide a foundation for the development of actuarial procedures and standards of practice.

Data

Data to be used in valuation include descriptions of the characteristics of the risk bearer's assets, obligations and considerations. The descriptions should be sufficiently detailed to permit reasonable projections of cash flows from these assets, obligations and considerations.

The actuary may use a risk bearer's own experience relative to its assets, obligations and considerations if this provides a basis for developing a reasonable indication of the future. Moreover, the actuary may use external data drawn from relevant experience of the insurance industry, other financial institutions or surrounding environments.

Organization of Data

Organization of data for valuation is affected by the characteristics of the assets, obligations and considerations involved and the characteristics of the valuation variables.
connected with them.

Much of the data organizational work relative to obligations and considerations begins with data used in connection with the reserving and ratemaking processes. However, it may be necessary to adjust the results of those processes so as to take into account differences between cash flow dates and the various dates used in those processes. It may also be necessary to identify any relevant expenses that fall outside the data used in the reserving and ratemaking processes and reflect them in the valuation process. It is important, too, to identify potential adjustments to considerations like retrospective premiums or audit premiums that may be received or paid in the future.

If a valuation deals with detailed analyses of cash flows, data organization relative to assets involves principally the work of classifying the assets and developing projections of contractual or anticipated cash flows from them. It is also often necessary to divide assets into classes of investment by such things as time to maturity or quality and to project flows of anticipated receipts into particular classes of investment in accordance with an assumed investment strategy.

Homogeneity

Valuation accuracy is often improved by dividing the data on assets, obligations and considerations into groups exhibiting similar characteristics. Homogeneous groupings recognize, when appropriate, the interrelationships between those assets, obligations and considerations.

Credibility

Credibility is a measure of the predictive value attached to a body of data. Credibility is increased by defining groups of assets, obligations or considerations so as to increase their homogeneity or to increase the volume of data relative to the groups. Increasing homogeneity may fragment the groups to such an extent that their predictive value is reduced to an unacceptable level. Each situation requires balancing homogeneity and the volume of data.

Operating Conditions

Operating conditions should be reflected in valuation. Operating conditions include mix of business, underwriting, claims handling, marketing, accounting, premium processing, portfolio of investments, investment strategy, and reinsurance programs.

Environmental Conditions

Environmental conditions should be reflected in valuation. The regulatory, judicial, social, financial, and economic environments are some of the major ones to be considered.

Losses and Loss Adjustment Expenses

The major obligations of a risk bearer are usually those relating to the future payment of losses and loss adjustment expenses. When these obligations are estimated for purposes of a valuation, their future development may be a factor for consideration. Development of losses and loss adjustment expenses is defined in the Casualty Actuarial Society’s Statement of Principles Regarding Property and Casualty Loss and Loss Adjustment Expense Reserves.

Rules and Assumptions

The objective of a valuation is to produce an assessment of a risk bearer’s financial condition that will be useful for the purpose for which the valuation is performed. The purpose of the valuation affects the rules and assumptions used.

Cash flow analyses produce projections of receipts and disbursements. These analyses are conceptually the most fundamental of the forms of valuation. The other forms of valuation
can be derived from cash flow analysis by suitable selection of rules and assumptions relative to
the valuation variables.

Balance sheets and income statements are often produced internally by a risk bearer using
rules and assumptions established by its management to assess financial strength and earning
performance.

Appraisals are intended to help determine the value of all or a part of a risk bearer’s
assets, obligations and considerations related to property and casualty contingencies, taking into
account not only financial statement items but also off-balance-sheet items such as investment in
staff, leases and so on. Appraisals are usually made in connection with mergers and acquisitions
and the sale of parts of a risk bearer’s business.

GAAP accounting rules or assumptions are intended to produce financial statements that
the financial community believes are useful for assessing a risk bearer’s earning capacity.

Statutory accounting rules or assumptions are intended to produce financial statements
that regulators believe are useful for assessing whether an insurer’s financial condition warrants
its being allowed to write insurance.

The value of any of the valuation variables with respect to a given set of items of cash
flow may be determined on the basis of any set of rules and assumptions that is appropriate to
the purpose of the valuation. Rules and assumptions relative to different classes of assets,
obligations or considerations need not necessarily be consistent with each other as long as the
differences are consistent with the purpose of the valuation, or the effect of the inconsistencies
is not great enough to invalidate the valuation.

Assumptions are based on a reasonable review of whatever appropriate facts are available
supplemented by the actuary’s experience and judgement as necessary. Rules are helpful to the
assurance of appropriately consistent treatment of facts and assumptions in valuation. Both rules
and assumptions can be helpful to achieving a result with a degree of refinement consistent with
the purpose of the valuation. Anticipated changes in operating and environmental conditions
should be reflected in the rules and assumptions applied to a valuation.

Valuation Variables

The valuation variables of occurrence, amount, interval of time and rate of interest
describe the quantitative characteristics of all cash flows for purposes of financial analysis. All
of the valuation variables are conceptually involved in the determination of the values of all
assets, obligations and considerations. The roles of the valuation variables in the determination
of values may be limited by the selection of rules or assumptions.

The value of any item of cash flow changes with the passage of time. This implies that
valuations of the same sets of items of cash flow performed at different valuation dates will in
general produce different results. It further implies that a valuation of one set of items of
cash flow performed as of a given valuation date will produce a result that is not directly
comparable with that of a second valuation of the same or a different set of items of cash flow
performed as of a different date.

Uncertainty

The result of a valuation involves uncertainty because of the uncertainty connected with
the valuation variables themselves and because the result of combining valuation variables is
affected by whatever relationships may exist among them.

Valuation Risks
The risks associated with valuation can be summarized into the following three broad classes:

1. Asset Risk

The risk that the occurrence, amount or timing of items of cash flow connected with assets will differ from that anticipated as of the valuation date for reasons other than a change in the interest environment.

There are several factors that affect asset risk:

a. Type—This factor relates to whether the asset is, for example, a bond, a mortgage, a preferred or common stock, an agent’s balance, a recoverable reinsurance item or interest accrued but not paid. It also relates to such things as whether a bond is callable and, if so, at what premiums; whether a bond has a sinking fund provision; or whether prepayments can be made on a mortgage and, if so, what penalty may apply.

b. Quality—This factor relates to the financial strength of the entity from which the cash flow is to be received and the relative standing of the type of asset in the hierarchy of financial instruments.

c. Deferred Acquisition Expenses, Goodwill and Similar Assets—This factor relates to the valuation question of whether any asset of these or similar types involves cash flows that are not explicitly or implicitly recognized elsewhere in the valuation.

d. Investment Strategy—This factor relates to plans for investment of receipts in various types of security, taking into account such things as the insurer’s needs for funds to meet obligations as they mature, market conditions at the time the investments are made, and the overall condition of the insurer’s investment portfolio at the time the investments are made.

e. Trends—This factor relates to changes over time in the valuation variables other than interest, insofar as they affect assets, and in the degree of uncertainty affecting them.

2. Obligation and Consideration Risk

The risk that the occurrence, amount or timing of items of cash flow connected with obligations and considerations will differ from that anticipated as of the valuation date for reasons other than a change in the interest environment.

There are several factors that affect obligation and consideration risk:

a. Coverage—This factor relates to the riskiness of the coverage involved.

b. Type—This factor relates to whether the obligation is, for example, a loss or loss adjustment reserve, an unearned premium reserve, a contingent commission reserve, a retrospective premium adjustment reserve, a policyholder or shareholder dividend reserve, a premium deficiency reserve, an income tax liability, an investment commitment or an account payable for something such as expenses, taxes, licenses, fees and assessments.

c. Commitment Provisions—This factor relates to the extent to which the range of the valuation variables may be effectively limited by terms of the commitments out of which the obligations arise. Examples of such commitment provisions are basic
limits, increased limits, aggregate limits, claims made, salvage and subrogation, coinsurance, deductibles, coordination of benefits and second injury fund recoveries.

d. Reinsurance Programs—This factor relates to the extent to which the range of the valuation variables may be effectively limited by the terms of reinsurance programs applicable to the commitments out of which the obligations arise. Examples of such programs are those involving surplus, excess of loss and catastrophe reinsurance. Frequency and severity of losses, attachment points and upper limits of reinsurance are features of the programs relating to their limiting effect. On the other hand, reinsurance programs also involve uncertainty as to whether reinsurance will be collectible.

e. Exposure—This factor relates to the uncertainty involved in measuring or projecting levels of exposure, and for periods beginning after the valuation date, the considerations for those periods and the obligations to arise out of them. Obligations and considerations related to these periods of exposure may be offset against each other in recognition of the fact that the obligations would not arise if the considerations were not received. Determination of whether obligations and considerations relative to such periods should be recognized in a valuation depends upon the timing relative to the valuation date of the commitments to accept risks for those periods.

f. Loss Development—This factor relates to the uncertainty arising out of changes over time in patterns of emergence, development, reopening, settlement and payment of claims.

g. Trends—This factor relates to changes over time in the valuation variables other than interest, insofar as they affect obligations and considerations, and in the degree of uncertainty affecting them.

h. Large Latent Losses—This factor relates to the treatment of identifiable classes of very serious potential losses for which probable frequency and severity can not be reasonably estimated for a considerable period of time.

i. Off-Balance-Sheet Items Such as Long-Term Leases and Commitments to Buy Securities—This factor relates to the valuation question of whether any obligation of these or similar types involve cash flows that are not explicitly or implicitly recognized elsewhere in the valuation.

3. Interest Risk

The risk that different amounts of change in the anticipated values, and the degree of uncertainty therein, of obligations and of the assets and considerations with which the obligations are being compared will occur:

i. simply because of a change in the interest environment, or

ii. because a change in the interest environment brings about a change from expected experience as to the occurrence, amount or timing of items of cash flow connected with assets, obligations or considerations.

There are several factors that affect interest risk:

a. Mismatch of Asset and Obligation Cash Flows—This factor relates to the development of an excess of a risk bearer’s receipts over its required
disbursements or vice versa.

If an excess of receipts over required disbursements develops, the risk bearer may not be able to invest the excess cash at yields that will produce future cash flows large enough to meet its obligations as they mature. This is “reinvestment” risk.

If an excess of required disbursements over receipts develops, the risk bearer may have to borrow or liquidate assets with yields below then current market rates to make up the difference. Borrowing at a relatively high interest rate, or inability to invest the difference at then current market rates produces a reduction in the risk bearer’s future profits. This is “market” risk.

b. Changes in the Timing of Receipts and Disbursements—This factor relates to the preference of borrowers to prepay debt carrying high rates of interest when rates go down and to defer repayments of debt carrying low rates of interest when rates go up. For risk bearers of property and casualty contingencies, this risk affects mainly their assets.

c. General Economy—This factor relates to the way in which things such as liquidity, inflation, demand for cash to fund expansion, government debt, trade imbalances and distortions in the yield curve affect the general level of interest rates.

d. Trends—This factor relates to changes over time in the interest valuation variable and in the degree of uncertainty affecting it and how those changes affect the other asset and obligation valuation variables.

Interaction with Other Professionals

The uncertainties that affect other actuarial fields, such as ratemaking and reserving, also affect valuation. In addition, valuation is affected by uncertainties met in other fields, such as marketing, underwriting, finance, regulation, risk management and so on. This implies that professionals working in other fields can be helpful in gathering information and developing rules and assumptions to be used in valuation.

Actuarial Judgment

It is important to apply actuarial judgment based on education and experience in selecting and organizing data and making rules and assumptions to be used in the valuation process and in assessing the reasonableness of the results.
The Casualty Actuarial Society has developed Principles for Loss and Loss Adjustment Expense Reserves (May 1988), Ratemaking (May 1988), and Valuations (September 1989). Discussion of the Principles is encouraged to stimulate the advancement of actuarial science, and the Society welcomes inquiries regarding the Principles from members and nonmembers. The procedure for dealing with such inquiries as approved by the Casualty Actuarial Society’s Board of Directors on May 10, 1992, and amended by the Board of Directors on February 23, 1998, is described below.

Maintenance of the Principles is the responsibility of the Research and Development Committees. Inquiries should be directed to the Vice President-Research & Development for dissemination to the appropriate committee for analysis. Questions may arise from an actuary’s own experience or from observed use of Principles by others.

The Vice President-Research & Development will send the inquiry to the appropriate research committee. The committee will prepare a proposed response which might involve elements such as the following:

1. Develop a committee interpretation of the Principles.
2. Identify areas of research required to resolve the inquiry.
3. Recommend discussion programs at CAS meetings to identify membership views on potentially complex issues.
4. Refer the inquiry to the appropriate practice council of the American Academy of Actuaries if the inquiry relates to the Standards of Practice rather than to the Principles. Refer the inquiry to the Actuarial Board for Counseling and Discipline if the inquiry relates to the appropriateness of conduct in a particular situation.
5. Consider revisions in the wording of the Principles.

The Vice President-Research & Development will review the committee-proposed response and submit it to the Executive Council for its approval. Interpretations of Principles, or changes to the wordings of the Principles, also require Board approval. The committee chairperson will communicate the status and resolution of each inquiry to its originator. Where appropriate, the nature of the resolution of the inquiry will also be communicated to the Society membership. In particular, any interpretation of Principles shall be published and made available to all members.
ANTITRUST COMPLIANCE POLICY

(As Adopted February 12, 1993)

Policy

The antitrust laws are among the most important of all federal and state laws affecting associations such as the Casualty Actuarial Society. The purpose of the antitrust laws is to preserve fair and honest competition. It is the long-standing and undeviating policy of the Casualty Actuarial Society to comply in all respects with the letter and spirit of the antitrust laws.

Education

To ensure compliance with federal and state antitrust laws, CAS members are responsible for understanding those laws. The CAS Guidelines for Antitrust Compliance are adopted as a part of this Antitrust Compliance Policy. Members of the Casualty Actuarial Society are urged to become familiar with the antitrust laws as set forth in the Guidelines. It is also the policy of the Society that educational presentations on antitrust issues are periodically presented to the membership.

Agenda

A detailed agenda is prepared for each meeting planned by the Society. If potential antitrust questions are raised by agenda items, they are reviewed in advance by legal counsel. The agenda is distributed to participants prior to the meeting.

Meetings

Meetings of the Casualty Actuarial Society are regularly scheduled. Meetings follow the prepared agenda. Counsel is invited to be present at meetings at which antitrust-sensitive issues are to be discussed.

Minutes

Accurate minutes are kept of all Casualty Actuarial Society Board of Directors and Executive Council meetings. The minutes of the preceding meeting are read and adopted before the start of the following meeting. After the minutes have been adopted, they are promptly distributed to attendees.

Recordkeeping

Records of the CAS reflect a factual, objective, and businesslike account of the activities of the Society without retaining useless or outdated information. Notes taken at meetings and drafts of documents having no further lasting value are discarded.

Other Sessions

All meetings or sessions held by the Casualty Actuarial Society shall fully comply with this Antitrust Compliance Policy.

GUIDELINES FOR ANTITRUST COMPLIANCE

(As Adopted February 12, 1993)

Introduction

The antitrust laws were first created nearly a century ago to preserve and promote free and fair competition throughout the United States economy. Antitrust laws advance competition by preventing businesses and professionals from engaging in anticompetitive conduct such as price-fixing, market allocation, boycotts, monopolies, and other activities that limit free trade. Associations like the Casualty Actuarial Society, by bringing together actuarial professionals and facilitating the exchange of ideas and information among those professionals, have the potential to undermine competition. It should be no surprise that associations are examined with a suspicious eye by government enforcers under the antitrust laws. Because associations are watched so carefully, the CAS must be especially vigilant to be sure all of its policies and programs are in compliance with antitrust requirements.

The Casualty Actuarial Society recognizes the importance of the antitrust laws. It is the long-standing and undeviating policy of the Casualty Actuarial Society to comply strictly with both the letter and spirit of these laws. To help assure that every aspect of the CAS is in accord with antitrust strictures, these guidelines address: (1) the areas of antitrust which may relate to the CAS and its members, (2) the dangers that must be avoided to minimize the risk of antitrust liability, and (3) policies and procedures to follow in the area of competition. Members should be aware, however, that these guidelines cannot address every potential area of antitrust concern for the CAS and its members. Whenever there is doubt, it is the policy of the CAS to seek the assistance of legal counsel experienced in antitrust matters.

Antitrust Laws in General

The basic federal antitrust statutes are the Sherman Act, the Clayton Act, the Federal Trade Commission Act, and the Robinson-Patman Act.

The Sherman Act prohibits contracts, combinations, and conspiracies in restraint of trade in interstate commerce. Among the agreements prohibited by the Sherman Act are those that involve pricefixing; allocation of markets or customers; and boycotts of competitors, suppliers, or customers. The Sherman Act also condemns monopolization.
The Clayton Act prohibits various kinds of business behavior which tend to lessen competition or monopolize trade. Among the activities prohibited by the Clayton Act are exclusive dealing arrangements, acquisitions, and mergers which tend to lessen competition.

The Federal Trade Commission Act, in addition to prohibiting the anticompetitive activities made illegal by the Sherman and Clayton Acts, bans unfair methods of competition and unfair or deceptive acts and practices. Unlike the Sherman and Clayton Acts, where most of what is prohibited requires the action of two or more parties, individuals or firms can be liable under the Federal Trade Commission Act even though they did not act in concert with others.

The Robinson-Patman Act prohibits price discrimination where the effect is to lessen competition.

In addition to the federal laws, most states have enacted statutes similar to the Sherman Act, the Clayton Act, and the Federal Trade Commission Act. The federal antitrust laws may not apply to some otherwise anticompetitive activities of the Casualty Actuarial Society and its members because there is an exemption under the McCarran-Ferguson Act for those engaged in the “business of insurance.” However, state antitrust laws might well still be applicable in those situations. It is impossible for these summary guidelines to outline each state’s antitrust laws. When particular questions arise, the Casualty Actuarial Society and its members must look to their own states’ antitrust laws and enforcement mechanisms. In the meantime, it is prudent to use the federal antitrust laws for general guidance.

**Antitrust Enforcement**

The Sherman Act is enforced by the Antitrust Division of the United States Department of Justice and by the Bureau of Competition of the Federal Trade Commission, as well as through private suits for three times actual damages (“treble damages”) that can be brought by those who claim they have been injured as a result of antitrust violations. The government may bring either civil or criminal suits. The remedy for a civil suit in an action brought by the government is an injunction prohibiting the offender from future violations. Criminal penalties can include fines, imprisonment, or both.

Sherman Act violations carry stiff fines with the added deterrent of significant jail terms. A violation of the Act is a felony, punishable by up to three years in prison. In addition, steep fines can be imposed for Sherman Act violations.

The Federal Trade Commission enforces the Federal Trade Commission Act by issuing cease and desist orders to stop practices found to violate the law. The violation of a Commission order may result in a penalty of as much as $10,000 per day. Any association, such as the Casualty Actuarial Society, that is adjudged to be in violation of the antitrust laws can be dissolved by court order.

It is important to note that each party found liable, no matter how small a role that party played, can be held liable for all damages caused by all participants in the antitrust conspiracy. The legal costs incurred in defending an antitrust challenge, beyond the penalties that might ultimately be imposed, frequently run into the hundreds of thousands of dollars. Some associations have paid millions of dollars to defend themselves in especially long or complex antitrust suits.

**Antitrust Laws Applicable to the Casualty Actuarial Society**

Focusing on the federal antitrust laws, of principal concern to the Casualty Actuarial Society and its members is Section 1 of the Sherman Act, which renders illegal all “contracts, combinations, and conspiracies” in restraint of trade in interstate commerce. Section 1 is interpreted to prohibit only agreements which have the effect of unreasonably restraining trade. A violation of the law occurs when, upon examination of all the facts and circumstances surrounding the conduct in question, it is determined that trade is unreasonably restrained.

Certain activities are regarded by courts as unreasonable by their very nature and are considered illegal per se. When an activity is designated a per se antitrust violation, a conclusive presumption is created that the activity was engaged in for no other purpose than to restrain trade. Practices within the per se category include agreements to fix or set prices, fees, rates, or commissions, as well as certain kinds of agreements to boycott competitors, suppliers, or customers. Note that the concept of “price fixing” encompasses agreements not only to raise prices but also to lower or stabilize prices. Virtually any agreement, arrangement, or understanding among competitors that involves tampering with free market prices, fees, rates, or premiums is a per se antitrust law violation.

The Sherman Act prohibition extends to any such agreement, whether written or oral, formal or informal, express or implicit. Only rarely is an anticompetitive agreement set out clearly in a written document. Antitrust liability is more often found by examining a course of business conduct from which a jury can infer the existence of an illegal conspiracy. The circumstances may be entirely innocent and lawful when viewed separately. But the same circumstances, when viewed in the aggregate, may be held to constitute an antitrust conspiracy.

Under the McCarran-Ferguson Act, the “business of insurance” is exempted from the federal antitrust laws when a state has regulated particular insurance activity. The McCarran-Ferguson Act exemption applies to three kinds of practices within the insurance business: practices that transfer or spread policyholders’ risks, practices that are integral to the policy relationship between the insurer and the insured, and practices that are limited in effect to entities in the insurance industry. Under the McCarran-Ferguson Act, if an activity involves one of these three kinds of practices, and if the state has regulated that aspect of the insurance industry (as most have), federal antitrust laws do not apply. But state antitrust laws will apply unless the state also specifically exempts the “business of insurance” from its antitrust laws (many have not).

Despite the exemption from federal antitrust law in some instances, Casualty Actuarial Society members cannot afford to ignore the federal laws. Interpretation of the McCarran-Ferguson Act has narrowed the scope of the three “business of insurance” practices. For this reason, it is the policy of the CAS not to rely exclusively on the McCarran-Ferguson exemption, but also to carefully undertake all activities to avoid anticompetitive effects.

**Basic Antitrust Rules for Members of the Casualty Actuarial Society**
The legality of activities of associations and their members under the antitrust laws is determined according to standards no different from those used to determine the legality of the activities of other persons or firms. Special problems do arise, however, from the basic nature of an association. Many of an association’s most fundamental policies and valuable programs directly impinge upon areas of particular antitrust concern.

The essential principle which should guide the policies and programs of the Casualty Actuarial Society and its members in order to avoid antitrust violations is that no illegal agreements, arrangements, or understandings should be reached or carried out through the Society. Conduct which might even give the appearance of an illegal agreement should also be avoided. Officers, directors, members and staff of the CAS should be alert to conduct that might fall into areas of particular antitrust concern.

In analyzing whether information to be exchanged at any Casualty Actuarial Society meeting or seminar is acceptable under antitrust guidelines, two critical questions must be asked. These are:

1. How does the information relate to the competitive behavior of the companies or firms represented by participants?
2. How does the information affect the independent business decisions of the companies or firms represented by participants?

As a general rule, if the exchange of information relates to the future competitive behavior of an individual company or will affect the independent business decisions of an individual company, then it is prohibited by these guidelines. More specific guidelines are as follows:

1. Discussion or exchange of information at Casualty Actuarial Society meetings or seminars concerning future price information or future competitive positions of an individual company or companies are prohibited.
2. Discussions or exchange of information at Casualty Actuarial Society meetings or seminars concerning current and future underwriting rules that deal with the eligibility for insurance with a particular company are prohibited.
3. Information concerning current experience of an individual competitor may, in some circumstances, be viewed as a means of “signaling” future pricing or business decisions. It is, therefore, potentially suspect, and should not be presented or exchanged without an affirmatively stated purpose that is consistent with current industry-wide data or experience and with competitive objectives.
4. Where an interpretation or analysis of information concerning past or current experience or prices is exchanged, the risk that the collective action will be linked to future market conduct is substantially increased. The prediction of a trend and its implications is, as a general rule, a matter for individual and independent decision-making.
5. A description of an actuarial methodology or mode of analysis of data and its logical internal consistency and past predictive accuracy is not a violation of the antitrust laws. Such a description, however, must be undertaken with extreme care to avoid being viewed as a means of “signaling” future pricing decisions. Any application or example of the methodology or analysis should be presented using insurance company experience that is generally available to the public or is hypothetical in nature rather than the past or current experience of any actual individual competitor.

In conclusion, the Casualty Actuarial Society policy prohibits any activities that could be considered anticompetitive or in violation of the antitrust laws. Any questions about the issues should be addressed to legal counsel.
GUIDE FOR THE SUBMISSION OF PAPERS TO \textit{Variance} \hfill \textit{(As Updated November 3, 2006)}

\textbf{Introduction}

The purpose of the guides is two-fold: To assist all authors in the preparation of papers and to acquaint authors with procedures and rules governing the submission, evaluation, and acceptance of papers for inclusion in \textit{Variance}.

\textbf{Mission Statement for Variance}

\textit{Variance} is a peer-reviewed journal published by the Casualty Actuarial Society to disseminate work of interest to casualty actuaries worldwide. The focus of \textit{Variance} is original practical and theoretical research in casualty actuarial science. Significant survey or similar articles are also considered for publication. Membership in the Casualty Actuarial Society is not a prerequisite for submitting papers to the journal and submission by non-CAS members is encouraged.

\textbf{Who May Submit Papers}

Papers are welcomed from anyone regardless of their profession, education, geographic location, etc. Submissions will be evaluated based upon the merits of the paper and not authorship.

\textbf{Paper Subject Matter}

Papers must meet the following standards in order to be eligible for further consideration:

1. The topic selected must be relevant to casualty actuarial science.

2. The subject matter must fit into one or more of the following categories:

   - \textbf{Research}—contains original ideas or new material
   - \textbf{Educational}—for actuaries or others involved in the analysis, modeling, or management of risk
   - \textbf{Practical}—provides synthesis of existing distinct processes, solutions to substantive problems, expositions of actuarial practices, compilation of current techniques, etc.

Papers on a wide variety of subjects are welcome. Casualty actuarial science is a broad and dynamic field and casualty actuaries must be knowledgeable about many subjects.

\textbf{Guides for Preparation of Papers}

Authors should observe the following guides in preparing papers:

1. \textbf{Style}. The form, clarity, and literary quality of the paper must meet scholarly standards that will reflect credit upon \textit{Variance}. The paper should show care in preparation including special attention to grammar, spelling, and related editorial items. It should not be considered as a draft to which extensive alterations will be made. Care should be taken so that papers are not unnecessarily complex in their wording. It may be helpful to the author to have a peer review prior to submission.

2. \textbf{Length}. As a general rule, papers should be fewer than 10,000 words exclusive of tables and appendices.

3. \textbf{Language}. Papers should be in English.

4. \textbf{Abstract}. Each paper must begin with an abstract of not more than 200 words. This abstract should provide an overview of the paper. When a paper is accepted for publication in \textit{Variance}, the abstract may be published elsewhere.

5. \textbf{Format}.

   - Papers must be typed double-spaced on 8-1/2” by 11” stationery on one side of each sheet. Tables and footnotes may be single-spaced. Major captions should be centered and typed in capitals. Subcaptions must appear in the left-hand margin. Footnotes must be numbered consecutively throughout the paper.

   - Appendices: Use letters (A, B, ... ) to distinguish different appendices. Begin each appendix on a new page.

   - Exhibits: All charts, exhibits, and tables in a paper should be numbered with Arabic numerals (1, 2,...). So far as possible, tables should be arranged so that they can be printed on a single page of the journal without undue reduction in size of type. Generally, tables will be incorporated into the body of the text when printed. References to the tables should be specific, (“Table 3”) instead of general (“the table below”).

   - Figures: Figures are graphs, pictures, etc. They should be numbered with Arabic numerals (e.g., “Figure 3”). Generally, figures are photoreduced, not typeset; therefore, high-quality originals must be submitted to the CAS Publications Production Coordinator.

   - Footnotes: Footnotes should be numbered with Arabic numerals. They should be numbered sequentially even through appendices. An asterisk may be used if there is only one footnote in the entire paper. Superscripts indicating footnotes should never be appended to numbers or formulae.

   - Footnotes should not be used when they only include a bibliographic reference. In that case, use brackets to enclose a reference number.
6. **References.** Authors are encouraged to include a suitable bibliography in their papers. The works cited should be pertinent. References to books, periodicals, and journals of professional societies should be sufficiently complete to permit obtaining a copy of the source. References should list the publisher, publication, dates, and page numbers for the first and last pages.

7. **Mathematical formulae, variables, and symbols.**
   - Every effort should be made to use mathematical formulae and symbols that are generally accepted in the actuarial profession and, most particularly, to use symbols that have been used previously in papers in *Variance*.
   - Formulae: If formulae are to be numbered, numbers must be in the form of S.N., where S is the section number and N is a sequential number for the formula within the section. Avoid complex notation.
   - Variables: Avoid using the same variable for different references; e.g., $i$ for an index and an interest rate; $r$ for risk load and rate of return; $v$ for variance and discount rate, etc. Authors must italicize all variables.
   - Symbols: When life contingency symbols are applicable, the international actuarial notation should be used. This notation is as described in *The Theory of Interest and Life Contingencies with Pension Applications: A Problem-Solving Approach*, by M.M. Parmenter.

8. **Complete.** Authors must provide enough information, either in the paper or through citations of references, so that peer reviewers and readers can assess the validity of the author’s results. Statements that data or derivations cannot be provided because they are proprietary are unacceptable and will lead to rejection of the paper for publication.

9. **Miscellaneous.** Papers are expected to be free of criticism of a personal nature.

### Procedures for Submission of Papers

Authors must submit their paper in electronic format, preferably as a PDF file or Microsoft Word document, to the Editor in Chief of *Variance* in care of the CAS Office. Email the file to Elizabeth Smith, CAS Manager of Publications at esmith@casact.org. The subject line should say “New Submission to *Variance*.” If you have any questions, you can contact Elizabeth Smith.

The paper should not contain any information that might reveal the name or affiliation of the author. Instead, a transmittal document should be included containing the name, professional or educational designations, affiliation, email address, and telephone number of the author. The *Variance* Editorial Board will try to maintain anonymity of the author during the review process. The transmittal document should include responses to the following:

1. **What is the title of paper?**
2. **Has the paper been published in a CAS Discussion Paper Program?** Authors of discussion papers are encouraged to submit their papers for possible inclusion in *Variance*.
3. **Has the paper been published elsewhere, in whole or in part, in identical or similar form?** If the answer is “yes,” the author should provide a copy of the previously published paper and a waiver by the publisher. In addition, the author should indicate whether the paper was reviewed for technical accuracy by the publisher. The author should set forth the special circumstances that merit its consideration for *Variance*. As a general rule, a paper that has been published in a refereed journal, or a paper that has been published or widely distributed elsewhere, will not be accepted for *Variance*.
4. **Is the paper being simultaneously submitted elsewhere or will it be so submitted before the decision by the Editorial Board of *Variance*?** If the answer is “yes,” the author must provide the name of the journal and, if the paper is subject to copyright, provide a statement of willingness of the publisher to waive copyright. The CAS is unable to publish copyrighted material without a waiver from the copyright holder.
5. **Does the paper contain any material that is copyrighted?** This may include factual data, charts, graphs, etc. If so, has the author obtained a copyright waiver from the publisher or copyright holder? This waiver should be attached to the submitted paper.
6. **Does the paper contain any material that is proprietary?** This may include factual data, charts, graphs, etc. If so, has the author obtained permission from the relevant party to release the proprietary information? This permission sheet should be attached to the submitted paper.
7. **Has the author read the Guides for the Submission of Papers and does the submission comply with these guides?** If so, this should be stated affirmatively.
8. **Is the author prepared to execute a copyright assignment agreement with the CAS?** (see copyright form appended to the Guides for the Submission of Papers) If so, this should be stated affirmatively. A paper will not be accepted without a copyright agreement.

A copy of the transmittal document is available at www.casact.org/about/index.cfm?fa=transmittal. It is recommended that authors use this form. The CAS Publications Production Coordinator will acknowledge the receipt of the paper.

### Exceptions

In specific instances, the *Variance* Editorial Board may recommend exceptions to these guides to the Vice President-Administration.
Initial Screening of Papers
Upon receipt of the paper, the CAS Publications Production Coordinator will determine whether the paper complies with the Procedures for Submission of Papers. If it does not, the paper will be returned to the author with comments as to the deficiencies. If the paper does comply, the paper will be forwarded on to the Editor in Chief and Associate Editor-Peer Review for initial review. If the paper is found to be relevant for publication in *Variance* the paper will be assigned to peer reviewers and the author will be informed of this decision.

It is the nature of refereed journals that it takes a considerable amount of time to review a paper. Authors may expect a preliminary response within 60 days. This preliminary response will concern the paper’s probable acceptance or rejection and an estimate of the work required to ready the paper for acceptance. Authors can help the committee expedite the process by submitting carefully written and edited papers.

Procedure for Reviewing Papers
The Managing Editors determine the acceptability of the paper by evaluating the votes of the designated reviewers. The paper will be accepted or rejected based upon a majority decision of the reviewers. The Editorial Board’s decision will place the paper in one of the following categories:

1. **Accept.** The Editorial Board will accept the paper unconditionally. The author will be notified of this decision through the Editor.

2. **Accept with suggestions for improvement.** The Editorial Board will suggest to the author ways in which the paper may be improved. The Editorial Board will communicate to the author its decision and its suggestions and will ask for affirmative action by the author either to revise the paper or to confirm the original submission.

3. **Accept conditionally.** The Editorial Board will require conditions that must be met by the author in order to make the paper acceptable. The Editorial Board will communicate to the author its decision, the reasons therefor and its conditions, and will ask the author either to revise the paper or to withdraw it from consideration.

4. **Request resubmission.** The Editorial Board will not accept the paper but will provide the author with general suggestions on how to reconstruct the paper to make it acceptable. This action contemplates papers with ideas acceptable for the journal but with inadequate presentation. The Editorial Board will communicate to the author its decision and its reasons therefor along with its suggestions, and invite resubmission.

5. **Reject.** The Editorial Board will reject the paper and notify the author of its decision and the reasons therefor. An author, in case of rejection, may appeal to the Editor in Chief of *Variance*, who will conduct such inquiries as he/she deems appropriate and will make a binding decision based on one of the above four categories or rejection.

The following general principles will be observed by the Editorial Board in evaluating papers. Neither disagreement by the Editorial Board with opinions of the author nor unorthodoxy in the views expressed by the author will be a bar to acceptance of an otherwise suitable paper. The Editorial Board welcomes candor and genuine debate subject to the usual expectations of clarity, pertinence, and courtesy. The paper should recognize other viewpoints and explore its subject in sufficient depth to contribute to general enlightenment. Where the paper is found to be fallacious in logic or misleading in matters of fact, the Editorial Board will reject it.

When a paper includes material that the Editorial Board finds itself not qualified to evaluate, the Editors may seek advice or opinion from recognized experts.

Guidelines for Resubmitting Papers
When an author decides to resubmit a paper in connection with guidelines, all the rules and procedures for original submission will apply. The revised paper should be accompanied by a cover letter titled “RESUBMISSION.” To expedite the resubmission review, authors are required to indicate in the resubmission cover letter how they have responded to the comments contained in the individual reviews. If an author does not agree with a recommended change, the author will provide a detailed explanation of the disagreement in the letter.

Discussions of Papers
As a general rule, discussions of previously published papers are subject to the guides in the same manner as papers, with the following exceptions:

1. **Length.** Discussions of papers should generally be fewer than 2,500 words. No abstract is required.

2. **Procedure for submission.** All requirements pertaining to anonymity of authors are waived. In general, authors of discussions should adhere to the Guidelines for Preparation of Papers explained above.

3. **General.** The author of a discussion should send a copy to the author of the paper being discussed with enough advance notice to allow the author of the paper to analyze and, if he or she wishes, prepare a reply to the discussion.

Authors’ Replies
Authors will be given an opportunity to respond to discussions of their papers. Replies are treated in the same manner as discussion of papers.

Reprints
Twenty-five reprints will be provided by the Editorial Board of *Variance* to the author of a published paper soon after the distribution of the *Variance* volume in which the paper is printed.
Copyright

Before papers can be accepted for publication, authors are required to sign and return a CAS Copyright Assignment Agreement form to the CAS Office (see the following page for the form). This copyright agreement assigns the CAS exclusive right, title, and interest to the paper, including the right of the CAS to edit the paper and publish the author's name in connection with the publication of the paper in Variance. The CAS will grant back to the author certain rights under a limited license.

The Editorial Board of Variance will provide a Copyright Assignment Agreement form when notifying the author of the results of the committee's initial screening of a paper that falls into categories 1-3.

Authors will be asked to sign and return the Copyright Assignment Agreement form prior to official acceptance of the paper by the Editorial Board. Further consideration of the paper will be contingent upon the return of the signed Copyright Assignment Agreement form.

To protect the Casualty Actuarial Society's copyright, the following statement will be placed at the bottom of the first page of a paper after it has been accepted and before its reproduction:

"Reproduction in whole or in part without the written permission of the Casualty Actuarial Society is specifically prohibited, except that permission is granted to make copies for classroom or other educational use, or for non-commercial purposes, inclusion in new collective works, or for any commercial purposes."

Editing and Publication

Primarily, it is the responsibility of the author, working with the Editorial Board of Variance, to produce a final draft of the paper suitable for printing.

After the author has been notified that the paper has been accepted for publication and the editorial review phase has concluded, the author must supply the CAS Publications Production Coordinator with an electronic copy of the paper and its accompanying tables, appendices, etc. The electronic file should be prepared in a commonly used word processing software such as Microsoft Word or WordPerfect. The author should indicate the word processing program used to create the paper. If an author has any questions about the compatibility of a particular word processing system, he or she should contact the CAS Publications Production Coordinator.

The author will have the opportunity to read, revise, and comment on the first typeset copy of the paper. Variance will not publish a paper if the author has not approved the Editorial Board's suggestions at this stage. Any subsequent editing is normally minor and is not referred to the author.
I am the author of ____________________________________ (the “work”) to be published in *Variance*, the peer-reviewed journal of the Casualty Actuarial Society (“Society”). Based on good and valuable consideration, I grant to the Society all right, title and interest, including copyright, in and to the work. I authorize the Society to edit the work and to publish my name, photograph, and biographical data in connection with the Society’s use and promotion of the work. I understand that I will receive no royalty or other compensation from the Society for the use of the work by the Society.

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PRINCIPLES OF THE CASUALTY ACTUARIAL SOCIETY FOR BASIC EDUCATION

(As Adopted May 6, 2001)

The primary purpose of the Casualty Actuarial Society (CAS) basic education process is to ascertain whether candidates for the CAS designations have satisfied CAS learning objectives:

1. Basic education will remain a cornerstone of the CAS.
2. The CAS will assure that its members have the knowledge of those areas needed to practice effectively in the broad and expanding range of property, casualty, and similar business and financial risks (general insurance).
3. The CAS is committed to a depth of knowledge of techniques associated with the broad range of property, casualty, and similar business and financial risks.
4. The CAS will provide the basic education necessary to meet qualification standards to sign statements of actuarial opinion for general insurance and related specialties in at least the U.S. and Canada.
5. The education process will provide a balance among theoretical concepts, practical applications, and business acumen, to prepare our members to deliver high-quality service to meet current and projected future needs of employers and clients.
6. The CAS will approve the syllabus and examination standards used in determining eligibility for CAS membership.
7. Demonstration of mastery of the skill sets required of members is critical to basic education.
8. The CAS is committed to maintaining self-study as one route for attainment of designations.
9. The CAS will pursue strong working relationships with academia and professionals in related fields.
10. The CAS will attract a pool of strong candidates from a variety of backgrounds to the actuarial profession.
11. The CAS supports the goal of developing a global shared foundation of actuarial education, including joint sponsorship of examinations where consistent with other principles.
12. The CAS, as an educator of general insurance and related specialties, will remain a significant contributor to the worldwide actuarial profession.
EDUCATION POLICY STATEMENT
(As Adopted May 6, 2001)

The Casualty Actuarial Society is committed to the furtherance of actuarial knowledge through a comprehensive, integrated program of education and research, and to the establishment of related professional standards.

The basic educational objectives of the CAS shall be:

1. To provide and foster a program of actuarial education leading to Fellowship in the CAS
   a. by defining the basic areas of knowledge and skills necessary to obtain the competence to practice in the various actuarial specialties,
   b. by defining standards of educational achievement required for membership in the CAS,
   c. by providing means of measuring educational achievement;
2. To provide and foster programs of actuarial education for members to update or expand their basic skills and knowledge;
3. To promote and foster educational activities and research that will expand and enhance the overall base of actuarial knowledge;
4. To provide mechanisms for disseminating to members and non-members resource material relating to actuarial topics of an educational nature.

CONTINUING EDUCATION POLICY STATEMENT
(As Adopted May 23, 1982)

The Casualty Actuarial Society believes that the broadening of one’s professional knowledge is synonymous with the growth of the individual actuary.

Such expansion of knowledge may be gained in many different ways, such as continuing practice, continuing formal education, guided self-study, reading of technical literature, participation in technical seminars including meetings sponsored by the CAS and its affiliates, or a combination of the above. Actuaries who work primarily in a specialized area should strive to broaden the base of their technical skills through continuing education.

The Society’s “Code of Professional Conduct” restrains any member from practicing in areas in which he/she is not qualified to act as an expert, creating incentive for continuing education. It is the responsibility of the actuary to personally accept the task of continuing his/her professional development. The CAS does not require a written examination or other formal evidence of continuing education activities as a condition for continued membership.

The CAS recognizes its obligation to provide a variety of opportunities for continuing education to its members and fulfills this through its Professional Education Policy Committee.
One of the primary objectives of the Casualty Actuarial Society (CAS) is the development of qualified professionals in the field of casualty actuarial science. The CAS conducts an educational and examination program for prospective members in order to achieve this objective. The Syllabus goals and objectives are as follows:

1. To develop a general understanding of the social, political, regulatory, legal, economic, and financial environment of the business of property and casualty insurance and similar risk assessment as well as the historical development of that environment.

2. To develop a thorough understanding of the fundamental mathematical concepts applicable to solving insurance and similar risk assessment problems and to develop a high degree of skill in their applications.

3. To develop a comprehensive understanding of the business of property and casualty insurance, including underwriting, claims, marketing, and finance, as well as how these functions are performed and interrelate.

4. To develop a working knowledge of property and casualty insurance policies and contracts.

5. To develop an expert knowledge of a broad range of techniques to solve problems and to develop the ability to discern the appropriateness of techniques for particular applications based on a knowledge of the underlying assumptions, strengths, and weaknesses.

6. To develop an expert knowledge of a broad range of relevant and standard actuarial practices in order to present a framework for the use of problem-solving techniques.

7. To encourage a sense of inquisitiveness and creativity toward problem solving in order to foster an appreciation of the art in actuarial science.

EXAMINATIONS FOR ADMISSION

Admission to the Casualty Actuarial Society requires successful completion of a series of examinations designed to test a candidate’s skills and knowledge of actuarial theory and practice.

The CAS sponsors examinations each year. To be eligible for Associateship, a candidate must have credit for three Validation by Educational Experience topics, pass the seven Associate-level examinations, successfully complete the Course on Professionalism, and submit an application with two letters of reference. Completion of the two additional Fellowship-level examinations is required to become a Fellow.

A syllabus of basic education is published annually. It details the study material for each examination. It also provides the examination and fee schedules, registration information, rules regarding the examination, and information on waivers, appeals, accommodations for those with disabilities, and other pertinent topics. The CAS Syllabus of Basic Education is available at no charge in the “Admissions/Exams” section of the CAS Web Site (www.casact.org/admissions/).
Successful completion of specified examinations of the Casualty Actuarial Society will satisfy the educational requirements of the American Academy of Actuaries. For further information, contact the Academy at:

American Academy of Actuaries
475 North Martingale Road, Suite 800
Schaumburg, Illinois 60173-2226
(847) 706-3513

2011 CAS BASIC EDUCATION SUMMARY

Associateship Requirements

Validation by Educational Experience

VEE-Applied Statistical Methods
VEE-Corporate Finance
VEE-Economics
Online Course 1  Risk Management and Insurance Operations (same as The Institutes Course CA1)
Online Course 2  Insurance Accounting, Coverage Analysis, Insurance Law, and Insurance Regulation (same as The Institutes Course CA2)

Examinations

Exam 1  Probability (same as SOA Exam P)*
Exam 2  Financial Mathematics (same as SOA Exam FM)*
Exam 3  Actuarial Models: Segment 3F Financial Economics (same as SOA Exam MFE) * and Segment 3L, Life Contingencies and Statistics
Exam 4  Construction and Evaluation of Actuarial Models (same as SOA Exam C) *
Exam 5  Basic Techniques for Ratemaking and Estimating Claim Liabilities
Exam 6  Regulation and Financial Reporting (Nation-Specific)

Course on Professionalism

Fellowship Examinations

Exam 7  Estimation of Policy Liabilities, Insurance Company Valuation, and ERM
Exam 8  Advanced Ratemaking
Exam 9  Financial Risk and Rate of Return

* Preliminary Actuarial Examinations administers the jointly sponsored Exams 1/P, 2/FM, 3F/MFE, and 4/C of the Canadian Institute of Actuaries, Casualty Actuarial Society, and the Society of Actuaries.
The Institutes administers the exams for Online Courses 1/CA1 and 2/CA2.
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Computer-Based Testing in Québec City, Québec

A mobile computer-based testing center will be available in Québec City, Québec on the dates listed below.

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### Important Schedule Notes

- Starting times listed for examinations refer to the local time.
- Candidates should arrive at the examination center at least 30 minutes prior to the scheduled exam time for the check-in process.
- Examinations administered exclusively by the CAS will have a reading time prior to the commencement of the timed exams. For Exam 3L, there will be a 10-minute reading period; for Exams 5-9, there will be a 15-minute reading period.
- Updated information for Exams 1/P, 2/FM, 3F/MFE, and 4/C that are jointly administered by the Casualty Actuarial Society and the Society of Actuaries will be incorporated as necessary and will be noted in the syllabus section for the specific exam.
This prize recognizes the best papers published in Variance, the scientific journal of the Casualty Actuarial Society. The amount of the Variance Prize is currently $5,000.

Recipients of the Variance Prize

2007............................................................................................................................................................................................................. Richard J. Verrall
“Obtaining Predictive Distributions for Reserves Which Incorporate Expert Opinion”

2008................................................................................................................................................. Martin Eling, Hato Schmeiser, and Thomas Parnitzke
“Management Strategies and Dynamic Financial Analysis”

2009............................................................................................................................................................. Yi Jing, Joseph R. Lebens, and Stephen P. Lowe
“Claim Reserving: Performance Testing and the Control Cycle”
The Above & Beyond Achievement Award (ABAA) is designed to celebrate the spirit of volunteerism, a core value of the Casualty Actuarial Society. Each year more than 25 percent of our members participate in one or more CAS volunteer activities. A number of individuals perform with exceptional merit. Since such efforts are typically not apparent or widely known to the vast majority of CAS members, the ABAA was created to recognize these achievements.

All members of the CAS, except current board members and officers, are eligible to receive the ABAA. Any CAS member may nominate a person for this award at any time. The only criterion is that the recipient performs conspicuously above and beyond what is normally and reasonably expected. Nominations may be submitted to the Committee on Volunteer Resources, which will forward on recommendations to the CAS Executive Council. The CAS Executive Council will decide annually on the award recipient(s), with the award(s) to be presented at the annual meeting each year.

The award will include a tangible reminder such as a plaque or an engraved item, as well as public recognition by the CAS.

Information about the ABAA and a nomination form can be found on the CAS Web Site at www.casact.org/aboutcas/abaa.htm.

**Recipients of the Above & Beyond Achievement Award**

2003........................................................................................................................................................................................................... Sholom Feldblum
Aaron M. Halpert
Thomas Struppeck

2004................................................................................................................................................................................................... Ralph S. Blanchard III
Kevin G. Dickson
Stuart Suchoff

2005............................................................................................................................................................................................................... David Menning
Kristine Kuzora
Jerome Vogel
Michael Wacek

2006........................................................................................................................................................................................................ Richard S. Goldfarb
Rudy A. Palenik
Nancy P. Watkins

2007............................................................................................................................................................................................................Raji Bhagavatula
Ralph S. Blanchard III
Robert Campbell

2008...........................................................................................................................................................................................................David G. Hartman
Thomas E. Hettinger

2009.............................................................................................................................................................................................................Curtis Gary Dean
Jacqueline Frank Friedland
John T. Gleba

2010........................................................................................................................................................................................................ Joanne Spalla
This award, commemorating the work of Joseph H. Woodward and Richard Fondiller, was intended to stimulate original thinking and research. Each year it was awarded to the best eligible paper submitted to the *Proceedings of the Casualty Actuarial Society* by an Associate or Fellow who had attained his or her designation within the last five years of submitting his or her paper. An eligible Proceedings paper showed evidence of original research and solved advanced insurance problems. If no paper was considered eligible in a given year, the award was not made. Papers previously submitted to the Society or elsewhere were not eligible. Papers were judged by the Society’s Committee on Review of Papers, whose decision was final. The announcement of the award was made at the November meeting each year, based on papers submitted to the Society at the previous November and May meetings. The prize was suspended after publication of the 2005 *Proceedings*, which marked the last time peer-reviewed papers were published as part of the *Proceedings*.

**Recipients of the Woodward-Fondiller Prize**

1965 No Award
1966 **Kenneth L. McIntosh**, “A Mathematical Approach to Fire Protection Classification Rates”
1966 No Award
1968 **Charles F. Cook**, “The Minimum Absolute Deviation Trend Line”
1969 **J. Robert Ferrari**, “The Relationship of Underwriting, Investments, Leverage, and Exposure to the Total Return on Owners’ Equity”
1970 **Jeffrey T. Lange**, “The Interpretation of Liability Increased Limits Statistics”
1972 **David R. Bickerstaff**, “Automobile Collision Deductibles and Repair Cost Groups: The Lognormal Model”
1975 **David Skurnick**, “The California Table L”
1979 No Award
1980 No Award
1981 **Stephen W. Philbrick**, “The Implication of Sales as an Exposure Base for Products Liability”
1982 **Stephen W. Philbrick**, “An Examination of Credibility Concepts”
1985 **Glenn G. Meyers**, “Empirical Bayesian Credibility in Workers’ Compensation Ratemaking”
1987 No Award
1988 **Emanuel Pinto** and **Daniel F. Gogol**, “An Analysis of Excess Loss Development”
1990 **Amy S. Bouska**, “Exposure Bases Revisited”
1993 No Award
1994 **Daniel M. Murphy**, “Unbiased Loss Development Factors”
1995 No Award
1996 No Award
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This award, commemorating the work of Paul Dorweiler, was subject to the same conditions as those specified for the Woodward-Fondiller Prize, except that the Dorweiler Prize was awarded each year to the best eligible Proceedings paper submitted by an Associate or Fellow who has attained his or her designation more than five years from submitting his or her paper.

**Recipients of the Dorweiler Prize**

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<td>Gary G. Venter</td>
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2003  Gary G. Venter, “Tails of Copulas”
2004  David L. Homer and David R. Clark, “Insurance Applications of Bivariate Distributions”
2005  Rodney E. Kreps, “Riskiness Leverage Models”
2007  No Award
This award, which commemorates the work of Gustav F. Michelbacher, is made to the authors of the best papers submitted in response to calls for discussion papers whenever the program is conducted by the Casualty Actuarial Society. Papers are judged by a specially appointed committee on the basis of originality, research, readability, completeness, and other factors. The committee’s decision will be final. Recipients need not be members of the Casualty Actuarial Society. The announcement of the award will be made at the meeting at which the papers are discussed.

The amount of the Michelbacher Prize is currently $1,500.

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This prize was established in 1993 in recognition of Charles A. Hachemeister’s many contributions to Actuarial Studies in Non-Life Insurance (ASTIN) and his efforts to establish a closer relationship between the CAS and ASTIN.

Papers eligible for the prize include articles, workshop articles, and/or invited papers published in the applicable November and April issues of the ASTIN Bulletin, in addition to papers and Speakers’ Corner papers presented at the ASTIN Colloquium in the calendar year prior to the prize award. Future International Actuarial Association (IAA) Congress or Actuarial Approach for Financial Risks (AFIR) Colloquium papers may also be eligible for this award.

Papers will be judged by a specially appointed committee of the Society. Emphasis will be placed on the paper’s impact for North American actuaries and practicality of application. The committee’s decision will be final.

The announcement of the award will be made annually at the CAS Spring or Annual Meeting.

The amount of the Charles A. Hachemeister Prize is currently $1,000. For further information about the Hachemeister Prize, contact:

CAS Hachemeister Prize Committee
Casualty Actuarial Society
4350 North Fairfax Drive, Suite 250
Arlington, Virginia 22203
Telephone: (703) 276-3100
Fax: (703) 276-3108
E-Mail: office@casact.org

Recipients of the Hachemeister Prize

1994  Dr. Thomas Mack, “Which Stochastic Model is Underlying the Chain Ladder Method?”
1999  No Award
2001  Morton Lane, “Pricing Risk Transfer Transactions”
2004  Donald F. Mango, “Capital Consumption: An Alternative Methodology for Pricing Reinsurance”
2005  Jon Holtan, “Pragmatic Insurance Option Pricing”
2007  Emmanuel Bardis, Christina Gwilliam, and Atul Malhotra, “Considerations Regarding Standards of Materiality in Estimates of Outstanding Liabilities”
2009  Thomas Mack, “The Prediction Error of Bornhuetter/Ferguson”
The David Garrick Halmstad prize is given annually for actuarial research in memory of David Halmstad, an Associate of the Society of Actuaries, for his significant contributions to actuarial science and research. Funds for the prize were contributed in Mr. Halmstad’s memory by his friends and colleagues. To select the best paper on actuarial research published each year, a joint committee of the SOA and CAS examines major English language actuarial journals, nominates outstanding papers, reviews the selected articles, and votes for the best paper. The results of these proceedings are submitted to the Research Committee of The Actuarial Foundation for the final selection. This award follows the year of publication rather than the actual calendar year.

**Recipients of the Halmstad Prize**

2007  

2006  
**David Blake, PhD, BSc, MSC; Andrew J.G. Cairns, MSC; and Kevin Dowd, PhD,** “Pricing Death: Frameworks for the Valuation and Securitization of Mortality Risk,” *ASTIN Bulletin* 36(1), 2006, pp. 79-120.

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**Edward W. Frees, PhD, FSA; Yueh-Chuan King, PhD; Marjorie Rosenberg, PhD, FSA; Virginia Young, PhD, FSA; Siu-Wai Lai, PhD, ASA,** “Forecasting Social Security Actuarial Assumptions,” *NAfJ* 1(4), October 1997, pp. 49-82.

1996  
**Edward W. Frees, PhD, FSA; Jacques Carriere, PhD, FSA; Emiliano Valdez, PhD, FSA,** “Annuity Valuation with Dependent and Mortality,” *Journal of Risk and Insurance* 63(2), June 1996, pp. 229-261.

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**Hal W. Pederson; Elias S.W. Shiu, PhD, ASA; and A. Eric Thorlacius, FSA,** “Arbitrage-Free Pricing of Interest-Rate Contingent Claims,” *TXM* XI, 1989, pp. 231-265.

1988  


MATTHEW RODERMUND SERVICE AWARD

This award was established in 1990 in honor of Matt Rodermund’s years of volunteer service to the Casualty Actuarial Society. The funding for this award was provided by The Munich American Reinsurance Company.

The award is intended to recognize a CAS member, or members, who have made significant volunteer contributions to the actuarial profession. Volunteer contributions include, but are not limited to: committee involvement, participation in CAS meetings and seminars, volunteer efforts for Regional Affiliates or Special Interest Sections, and involvement with non-CAS actuarial professional organizations such as the American Academy of Actuaries or the Canadian Institute of Actuaries. Service as an elected CAS officer or director and authorship of Proceedings papers and Discussion Paper Program papers are not considered. Past presidents are not eligible.

The Board of Directors will name the recipient of this award, but any member may make nominations to the Nominating Committee. The award will not necessarily be made every year.

The amount of the Matthew Rodermund Service Award is currently $1,000.

Recipients of the Matthew Rodermund Service Award

1991 Robert B. Foster
1992 Norman J. Bennett
1993 Robert A. Bailey
1994 Robert A. Miller III
1995 Dale A. Nelson
1997 Paul M. Otteson
1998 Richard H. Snader
1999 John H. Muetterties
2000 Charles F. Cook
2001 James R. Berquist
2002 David Skurnick
2003 C. Walter Stewart
2004 Arthur R. Cadorine
2005 Anne E. Kelly
2006 Richard J. Roth Sr. and Richard J. Roth Jr.
2007 Jeffrey T. Lange and Darrell Ehlert
2008 David J. Grady and Stephen Makgill
2009 David N. Hafling and Gary S. Patrik
2010 Glenn Meyers and Gary Venter
In November 1984, the Harold W. Schloss Scholarship was established by the Casualty Actuarial Society as a memorial to Mr. Schloss, a past president of the Society. The fund for this annual $500 scholarship stipend was initiated by Mr. Schloss’ wife, Frances A. Schloss, and their children. The scholarship benefits deserving and academically outstanding students in the actuarial program of the Department of Statistics and Actuarial Science at the University of Iowa.

The student recipient is selected each spring by the Trustees of the CAS Trust, based upon the recommendation of the departmental chairperson at the University of Iowa.

**Recipients of the Harold W. Schloss Memorial Scholarship**

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This prize, established in 1997, is awarded to authors of papers published by the American Risk and Insurance Association (ARIA) that provide the most valuable contribution to casualty actuarial science.

Papers eligible for the prize include articles, workshop articles, and invited papers published in the Journal of Risk and Insurance during the preceding year. Papers published in new ARIA journals may also be eligible for this award.

Papers will be judged by a specially appointed committee of the Society.

The presentation of the award will be made annually at the August ARIA Meeting. The author of the prize-winning paper will be invited to present the paper at a CAS meeting.

The amount of the ARIA Prize is currently $1,000.

**Recipients of the ARIA Prize**

1997  **Daniel Zajdenweber**, “Extreme Values in Business Interruption Insurance”


2002  **Stewart C. Myers** and **James A. Read Jr.**, “Capital Allocation for Insurance Companies”


2007  **Michael Sherris**, “Solvency, Capital Allocation and Fair Rate of Return in Insurance”


2009  **Pierre Picard**, “Natural Disaster Insurance and the Equity-Efficiency Trade-off”

2010  **J. David Cummins** and **Phillipe Trainar**, “Securitization, Insurance, and Reinsurance”
DY NAMIC FIN ANCIAL ANALYSIS PRIZE

This award is made to the authors of the best papers submitted in response to calls for dynamic financial analysis discussion papers whenever the program is conducted by the Casualty Actuarial Society. Papers are judged by a specially appointed review committee on the basis of quality of the overall content of the paper as an advancement to the published literature on dynamic financial analysis as well as other factors. Recipients need not be members of the Casualty Actuarial Society. The announcement of the award is made at the seminar at which the papers are discussed.

Recipients of the Dynamic Financial Analysis Prize


1998  Salvatore Correnti, Stephen M. Sonlin, and Daniel B. Isaac, “Applying a DFA Model To Improve Strategic Business Decisions”  
Susan E. Witcraft, “Profitability Targets: DFA Provides Probability Estimates”


2003  No Award

2004  No Program Held

2005  No Program Held

2006  No Program Held

2007  No Award

2008  No Program Held
MANAGEMENT DATA AND INFORMATION PRIZE

This award is made to the authors of the best papers submitted in response to calls for data management/data quality discussion papers whenever the program is conducted by the Committee on Management Data and Information of the Casualty Actuarial Society. Papers are judged by a specially appointed review committee on the basis of originality of ideas, understandability of complex concepts, contribution to the literature, and thoroughness of ideas expressed. The committee’s decision will be final. Recipients need not be members of the Casualty Actuarial Society. The announcement of the award will be made at the seminar at which the papers are presented.

The amount of the Management Data and Information Prize is determined annually.

Recipients of the Management Data and Information Prize


Omar D. Kouatlym, Mark W. Littman, and Aleksey S. Popelyukhin, “Synchronizing Data Management Technologies to Integrate Actuarial Processes”

1998  No Program Held

1999  Alan E. Wickman, “Insurance Data and Intellectual Property Issues”

2000  No Program Held

Louise A. Francis, “Neural Networks Demystified”

2002  No Program Held

2003  Louise A. Francis, “Martian Chronicles: Is MARS Better than Neural Networks?”

2004  No Award

2005  Louise A. Francis, “Dancing With Dirty Data: Methods for Exploring and Cleaning Data”

2006  Louise A. Francis, “Taming Text: An Introduction to Text Mining”

2007  No Program Held


2009  No Program Held

2010  Louise Francis and Virginia R. Prevosto, “Data and Disaster: The Role of Data in the Financial Crisis”
Ratemaking Prize

This award is made to the authors of the best papers submitted in response to calls for ratemaking discussion papers whenever the program is conducted by the Committee on Ratemaking of the Casualty Actuarial Society. Papers are judged by a specially appointed review committee on the basis of originality of ideas, understandability of complex concepts, contribution to the ratemaking literature, thoroughness of ideas expressed, and timeliness and relevance of research. The committee's decision will be final. Recipients need not be members of the Casualty Actuarial Society. The announcement of the award will be made at the Ratemaking Seminar at which the papers are discussed.

The amount of the Ratemaking Prize is determined annually.

### Recipients of the Ratemaking Prize

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<td>“A Quantification of Snader’s Deductible Safety Factor”</td>
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<td>Tim McCarthy</td>
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<td>Keith D. Holler, David Sommer, and Geoff Trahair</td>
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<td>“The Impact of Personal Credit History on Loss Performance in Personal Lines”</td>
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This award is made to the authors of the best papers nominated for the prize as determined by the CAS Committee on Reinsurance Research (CORR).

Papers will be judged by CORR on the basis of originality of ideas, understanding of complex concepts, contribution to reinsurance literature, thoroughness of ideas expressed, as well as whether the papers are understandable and practical. If no paper is considered worthy in a given year, the award shall not be made. The committee’s decision will be final. Recipients need not be members of the CAS. The announcement of the award will normally be made at the CAS Seminar on Reinsurance. The amount of the Reinsurance Prize is currently $2,000.

**Recipients of the Reinsurance Prize**

1997  
**Donald F. Mango**, “An Application of Game Theory: Property Catastrophe Risk Load”  
**Gary Blumsohn**, “Levels of Determinism in Workers Compensation Reinsurance Commutations”  
**Emily Canelo** and **Bryan C. Ware**, “Evaluating Variations in Contract Terms for Casualty Clash Reinsurance Treaties”

1998  
No Program Held

1999  
**John M. Kulik**, “A Practical Application of Modern Portfolio Theory to Capital Allocation”

2000  
No Program Held

2001  
**Rade T. Musulin** and **John W. Rollins**, “Optimizing a Multi-Season Catastrophe Reinsurance Program With Private and Public Components”

2002  
No Program Held

2003  
**Donald F. Mango**, “Capital Consumption: An Alternative Methodology for Pricing Reinsurance”

2004  
**Gary G. Venter**, “Quantifying Correlated Reinsurance Exposures with Copulas”  
**Shaun Wang**, “Cat Bond Pricing Using Probability Transforms”

2005  
**Ira Robbin** and **Jesse DeCouto**, “Coherent Capital for Treaty ROE Calculations”

2006  
No Program Held

2007  
No Program Held

2008  
No Program Held

2009  
**Neil M. Bodoff** and **Yunbo Gan**, “An Analysis of the Market Price of Cat Bonds”

2010  
No Program Held
RONALD BORNHUEッTER LOSS RESERVES PRIZE

This award is made to the authors of the best papers submitted in response to calls for papers regarding reserves whenever the program is conducted by the Committee on Reserves of the Casualty Actuarial Society. Papers are judged by a specially appointed review committee on the basis of originality of ideas, clarity of presentation, contribution to the literature on loss reserving, and thoroughness of analysis. Recipients need not be members of the Casualty Actuarial Society. The announcement of the award is made at the Casualty Loss Reserve Seminar at which the papers are presented.

The amount of the Ronald Bornhuetter Loss Reserves Prize is determined annually.

Recipients of the Ronald Bornhuetter Loss Reserves Prize

1995  No Program Held
1996  Jeffrey J. Scott, “Workers Compensation Medical Reserving with Calendar Year Payments in a Cost Containment Environment”
1999  Thomas Struppeck, “Premium Earning Patterns for Multi-Year Policies with Aggregate Deductibles”
2003  No Award
2007  No Program Held
2008  James Guszcza, “Hierarchical Growth Curve Models for Loss Reserving”
2009  No Program Held
THEORY OF RISK PRIZE

This award is made to the author of the best paper submitted in response to a call for theory of risk discussion papers whenever the program is conducted by the Committee on Theory of Risk of the Casualty Actuarial Society. Papers are judged by a specially appointed review committee on the basis of applied orientation, theoretical soundness, recognition of different sources of uncertainty, and illustration of method through an example that can be replicated. The committee’s decision will be final. Recipients need not be members of the Casualty Actuarial Society. The announcement of the award will be made at the seminar at which the papers are discussed.

The amount of the Theory of Risk Prize is $10,000, divided among authors of the best papers.

### Recipients of the Theory of Risk Prize

1993
- **Richard J. Verrall**, “Statistical Methods for the Chain Ladder Technique”
- **Thomas Mack**, “Measuring the Variability of Chain Ladder Reserve Estimates”
- **Ben Zehnwirth**, “Probabilistic Development Factor Models with Applications to Loss Reserve Variability, Prediction Intervals and Risk Based Capital”

1994–2010 No Program Held
The Casualty Actuarial Society Trust affords members and others an income tax deduction for contributions of funds to be used for scientific, literary, or educational purposes. The library function of the Society is managed by the Trust. The Trust was qualified by the Internal Revenue Service on February 26, 1979, as a non-profit organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Officers of the Society serve as Trustees. As funds permit they will be made available for such uses as scholarships and research grants. The CAS Trust Scholarship Program and the Reinsurance Prize are currently funded by the Trust.

Contributions for scientific, literary, or educational purposes should be made to the “Casualty Actuarial Society Trust” to qualify for an income tax deduction.

Inquiries and contributions should be addressed to the Society’s Vice President-Administration, in care of the CAS Office at office@casact.org.

**CAS Trust Scholarship Program**

The CAS Trust Scholarship Program, funded by donations to the CAS Trust, awards up to three $2,000 scholarships to deserving students annually. The scholarship’s intent is to further students’ interest in the property/casualty actuarial profession and encourage pursuit of the CAS designation. Recipients are chosen by the CAS Trust Scholarship Subcommittee.

Completed applications are due by May 1 of each year for scholarships awarded for the fall semester. Additional details on application requirements are available through the Academic Community section of the CAS Web Site.

Inquiries should be addressed to the CAS Trust Scholarship Coordinator, in care of the CAS Office at office@casact.org.

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A Special Interest Section is a means for members of the Casualty Actuarial Society to organize the study and discussion of their common functional and professional interests. A section is intended to contribute information on these interests to the actuarial profession through special meetings, seminars, and research projects. Sections are organized only after the approval of the Board of Directors and remain subordinate organizations of the Society. They are self-supporting and open to all members of the Society without regard to their prior experience or training. Subscribers to the Society’s Subscriber Program may also become subscribers to a section. Other nonmembers of the Society who meet the requirements of each section as defined in its Constitution may also become subscribers to a section. Information regarding the requirements to organize a Special Interest Section of the Casualty Actuarial Society may be obtained from the Vice President-Professional Education of the Society.

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**Credit Risk Section**

The purposes of the Credit Risk Special Interest Section are to promote discussion and the exchange of ideas among members and subscribers on the subject of credit risk evaluation, to provide forums for such discussions to take place, to advance the knowledge of actuarial science as applied to credit risk through both original research and surveys of members’ and subscribers’ collective knowledge, and to promote good fellowship among its member and subscribers.

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The Society of Actuaries (SOA), Casualty Actuarial Society (CAS) and Canadian Institute of Actuaries (CIA) jointly sponsor the Risk Management Section. The purpose of the Risk Management Section is to further the education and research in the area of risk management and establish leading risk management techniques. These efforts should help to increase the profile of the actuarial profession as being leaders in this field and should be rigorous and based on sound principles such that the resulting techniques are broadly transportable across disciplines and industries.

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Seasoned Actuaries Section

The purposes of this organization shall be to advance the knowledge of actuarial science applied to property, casualty, and similar risk exposures, to promote and maintain high standards of conduct and competence within the actuarial profession, to draw upon the experience base of its members to help promote the overall goals of the actuarial profession, and to promote social fellowship among its members.

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This Working Agreement sets forth the cooperative goals of the American Academy of Actuaries (Academy), the American Society of Pension Professionals and Actuaries (ASPPA), the Asociacion Mexicana de Actuarios (AMA), the Asociacion Mexicana de Actuarios Consultores (AMAC), the Canadian Institute of Actuaries (CIA), the Casualty Actuarial Society (CAS), the Colegio Nacional de Actuarios (CONAC), the Conference of Consulting Actuaries (Conference), and the Society of Actuaries (SOA), collectively referred to as the Participating Organizations.

In order to foster cooperation among the Participating Organizations consistent with their individual missions as described below; eliminate unnecessary duplication of effort and activity among the Participating Organizations (thereby maximizing the efficient use of the Participating Organizations’ resources); encourage mutual recognition and cross-border discipline; and enhance the image, growth and reputation of the actuarial profession in North America, the Participating Organizations agree to participate in the North American Actuarial Council (“NAAC”) as described in this Working Agreement.

The Participating Organizations agree to broadly publicize this Agreement (e.g., publish it in their Yearbooks and on their web sites).

I. Missions of the Participating Organizations

Each of the Participating Organizations operates to further its self-identified mission. The missions of the Participating Organizations may be broadly summarized as follows:

Academy: nationally and internationally, to represent the entire U.S. actuarial profession in the formulation of public policy and support U.S. actuaries in fulfilling their related responsibilities; to encourage the professionalism of U.S. actuaries by fostering the establishment, communication, maintenance and enforcement of high professional standards; and to represent and advance the U.S. actuarial profession and increase the public’s recognition of the U.S. actuarial profession’s value.

ASPPA: to educate all retirement plan professionals and to preserve and enhance the employer-based retirement system as an essential part of a national retirement income policy in the United States.

AMA: to support the Mexican actuarial profession in maintaining high standards of professional integrity and technical expertise and, thereby, promote the dignity of the profession and enhance the public’s recognition of the profession’s value.

AMAC: to advance the quality of actuarial consulting practice in Mexico by providing continuing education and business support services to Mexican actuaries in consulting practice.

CIA: as the national organization of the Canadian actuarial profession, to serve the public through the provision by the profession of actuarial services and advice of the highest quality by: representing the Canadian actuarial profession in the formulation of public policy; promoting the advancement of actuarial science and sponsoring programs for the education and qualification of CIA members and prospective members; ensuring that actuarial services provided by its members meet accepted professional standards; and assisting actuaries in Canada in the discharge of their professional responsibilities.

CAS: to advance the body of knowledge of actuarial science applied to property, casualty, and similar risk exposures by: providing basic and continuing education; conducting research; establishing and maintaining high standards of conduct and competence for its members; communicating with the public affected by insurance; and increasing the awareness of actuarial science.

CONAC: to serve as the professional membership organization for all the actuaries licensed to practice in Mexico, regardless of their specialty area; to advise the Mexican government concerning public policy matters with actuarial implications; and to foster actuarial education and research in Mexico.

Conference: to advance the quality of actuarial consulting practice, support the needs of consulting actuaries, and represent their interests.

SOA: The Society of Actuaries is an educational, research, and professional organization dedicated to serving the public and Society members. Its mission is to advance actuarial knowledge and to enhance the ability of actuaries to provide expert advice and relevant solutions for financial, business, and societal problems involving uncertain future events. The vision of the Society of Actuaries is for actuaries to be recognized as the leading professionals in the modeling and management of financial risk and contingent events. The Society also works to anticipate future member needs through environmental scanning, strategic planning, and dynamic strategy management.

Each of the Participating Organizations takes whatever measures it deems necessary, appropriate, or desirable to attract, recruit and serve its individual members. This agreement is not intended, nor should it be construed, to restrict in any way the independent business decisions of the Participating Organizations but, rather, to document the Participating Organizations’ desire to cooperate in the service of the North American actuarial profession consistent with their own missions and purposes.
II. The North American Actuarial Council

A. Purpose of NAAC

The Participating Organizations jointly acknowledge that:

- The operating environments in the three North American countries are very different,
- The Participating Organizations’ members expect the organizations to leverage resources and take appropriate advantage of synergies, and
- Increased information sharing and dialogue among the Participating Organizations has the potential to yield collective insights valuable to each organization.

Accordingly, the Participating Organizations define NAAC’s purpose as follows:

1. NAAC is to be a catalyst for dialogue on key issues facing the North American actuarial profession.
2. NAAC is to be a facilitator of opportunities for leveraging of resources across organizations.
3. NAAC is to be a source of knowledge in identifying conditions, trends, assumptions, and key issues affecting the North American actuarial profession and benchmarking best practices among member organizations.
4. NAAC is to be a forum for information sharing on current and potential activities among the North American actuarial organizations.
5. NAAC is to be a forum where networking occurs and camaraderie is built among the leaders of the North American actuarial organizations.

In fulfilling its purpose, NAAC shall abide by the following guiding principles:

- The conditions, cultures and perspectives of each individual country and their member organizations will be respected and valued.
- The autonomy of each member organization to pursue its mission and purpose will be preserved.
- The public interest will always be a primary consideration.
- The best interests of the profession will always be considered.

B. Members

The North American Actuarial Council (NAAC) is comprised of up to two officers of each Participating Organization. One of the two officers shall be the President of the Participating Organization. The other officer shall be the President-Elect of the Participating Organization unless the Participating Organization appoints another officer it deems more appropriate. If a designated officer of a Participating Organization is unable to attend a meeting of NAAC, the Participating Organization may designate another appropriate representative to attend the meeting in that officer’s stead.

The Executive Directors of the Participating Organizations attend and participate in NAAC meetings, but are not members of NAAC and do not vote.

Additional organizations may participate in NAAC at the invitation of the Participating Organizations.

C. Meetings

NAAC will meet in person up to three times a year. Arrangements for the in-person meetings (e.g., location and chairing the local meeting) shall be the responsibility of the host country. The Participating Organizations shall decide how to coordinate the agenda and provide meeting materials for the following year no later than at their Fall meeting each year. The Participating Organizations agree to share equally the costs to perform this support function, with the Mexican organizations counting as one organization.

D. Legal

When appropriate, the Academy also agrees to make its legal counsel available to NAAC, and to coordinate, upon request, with counsel for the CIA and the Mexican organizations.

III. Communications Among the Participating Organizations

A. Each Participating Organization shall share items of mutual interest, including items distributed to the Participating Organization’s board members (subject to board approval), with the other members of NAAC as soon as feasible after the items are available (electronically through the NAAC list server if appropriate). This sharing includes the Participating Organization’s yearbook, newsletters, and board minutes, in addition to other important documents or significant studies that would be of value to the wider audience. This sharing does not apply to any item that a Participating Organization considers to be confidential.

B. Each Participating Organization shall endeavor to inform each of the other Participating Organizations on a timely basis of any of its actions that are expected to have a significant effect on one or more of the other Participating Organizations or their members.

C. Each Participating Organization shall invite the Members of NAAC to all general membership meetings, with the registration fee waived.
The American Academy of Actuaries is a professional membership, public policy information and communications organization for all actuaries practicing in the United States.

As the organization representing the entire U.S. actuarial profession, the mission of the American Academy of Actuaries is to serve the public and the actuarial profession both nationally and internationally through a) establishing, maintaining, and enforcing high professional standards of actuarial qualification, practice, and conduct, b) assisting in the formulation of public policy by providing independent and objective information, analysis, and education, and c) in cooperation with other organizations representing actuaries: representing and advancing the actuarial profession, and increasing the public’s recognition of the actuarial profession’s value.

Professional standards of practice and discipline procedures are the responsibility of the Actuarial Standards Board and the Actuarial Board for Counseling and Discipline, respectively, both independent entities managed with Academy staff support. The Academy also establishes qualification standards for making prescribed statements of actuarial opinion.

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The International Actuarial Association (IAA) is the international professional, educational, and research organization of actuarial associations and of actuaries. Its objectives include serving the public, enhancing the reputation of the actuarial profession throughout the world, promoting high standards of professionalism of actuaries in the public interest, advancing actuarial knowledge and its applications, and representing member associations in discussions with international bodies.

The first International Congress of Actuaries was held in 1895 in Brussels under the auspices of the Permanent Committee of International Congresses of Actuaries. The name of the organization was changed in 1968 to the International Actuarial Association. The IAA was restructured in June 1998 from an organization with individual members to become an organization of actuarial associations, and the International Forum of Actuarial Associations was simultaneously dissolved.

The committee structure of IAA includes Accreditation, Advice and Assistance, Education, Financial Risks, Insurance Accounting, Insurance Regulation, Member Services, Pensions and Employee Benefits, Professionalism, Social Security, Supranational Relations, and various governance committees. Nominations for committee representatives can be submitted by member associations on the basis of one per committee.

The CAS is a member association of the IAA and all CAS Fellows are members of the IAA, with dues paid for by the CAS. The American Academy of Actuaries (AAA) is also a member association of the IAA and all members of the Academy (MAAs) are members of the IAA (with dues paid for by the AAA). All other CAS Associates who are not MAAs may apply for IAA membership to the IAA Council (through the AAA Office).

Members of the IAA may attend its international congresses, generally held every four years. The 2014 congress will be held in Washington, DC. Members also receive the IAA Bulletin, which is distributed electronically on the IAA Web Site at www.actuaries.org. For CAS members who do not have access to the Internet, the CAS will reproduce and distribute copies of the IAA Bulletin on request. An IAA membership listing is available on the IAA Web Site under “Interactive Tools” in the Members section.

Following are URLs for IAA Sections and that are open to all IAA members:

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The Actuarial Profession’s aims are to:

- promote the work of actuaries
- oversee the education of actuaries at all levels
- expand actuarial knowledge
- enforce professional and ethical standards
- cooperate with all other interested parties
- identify matters of public concern where the input and involvement of actuaries can be of benefit to society.

For more information, visit http://www.actuaries.org.uk/.

THE GENERAL INSURANCE RESEARCH ORGANISING (GIRO) COMMITTEE

The Actuarial Profession’s General Insurance Research Organising (GIRO) Committee is responsible for coordinating the General Insurance Practice Executive Committee’s program of research and for organizing the annual general insurance conference.

The GIRO Committee is also responsible for the award of the Brian Hey prize which is presented annually to the best paper submitted to that year’s GIRO conference.

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Annual Meeting

2011
November 6-9, 2011
Hyatt Regency Chicago
Chicago, IL
United States

2012
November TBD, 2012
Phoenix, AZ
United States

2013
November 2-6, 2013
Hilton Minneapolis
Minneapolis, MN
United States

2014—CAS Centennial Celebration
November 9-12, 2014
Hilton New York
New York, NY
United States

2015
November 2015
Boston, MA
United States

Ratemaking and Product Management Seminar

2011
March 20-22, 2011
Marriott New Orleans
New Orleans, LA

2012
March 2012
Philadelphia Marriott Downtown
Philadelphia, PA
United States

2013
March 2013
Los Angeles, CA
United States

Spring Meeting

2011
May 15-18, 2011
The Breakers
Palm Beach, FL
United States

2012
May 2012
Toronto, ON
Canada

2013
May 2013
Tampa, FL
United States

ICAA (International Congress of Actuaries) 2014

2014
March 27, 2014-April 5, 2014
Marriott Wardman Park
Washington, DC

Symposium on Enterprise Risk Management

2011
March 13-16, 2011
Swissotel
Chicago, IL
United States

Seminar on Reinsurance

2011
June 6-7, 2011
DoubleTree Hotel
Philadelphia, PA
United States

2012
May 2012
Boston, MA
United States

2013
May 2013
Hamilton
Bermuda

CAS Centennial Celebration

2014
November 9-12, 2014
Hilton New York
New York, NY

Casualty Loss Reserve Seminar

2011
September 15-16, 2011
ARIA Resort & Casino
Las Vegas, NV
United States

2012
September 2012
Denver, CO
United States

2013
September 2013
Boston, MA
United States
**CAS/CIA Seminar for the Appointed Actuary**
2011
September 22-23, 2011
Doubletree by Hilton-Toronto Airport Hotel
Toronto, ON
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**Limited Attendance Seminar**
In Focus: Cutting Edge Tools for Pricing and Underwriting
October 3-4, 2011
TBD
United States

**Webinars and Online Courses**
See the CAS Calendar of Events for current information on CAS Webinars and Online Courses at http://www.casact.org/calendar/.
Congratulations, both to the new Fellows and Associates and to those special people who have given much of themselves to support you in this achievement. Let’s give a round of applause to them as well, for many of you would not be here without them.

I am honored to have the chance to address you this morning. This tradition—having a past President address the new members—goes back to 1985. So there is now a body of literature on Addresses to New Members. When I was the President in 2004, Mavis Walters pointed out that there are some common themes that run through these addresses, so if some of what I have to say this morning seems familiar, it probably is.

First off—for the new Associates this morning: welcome to the CAS. You are nearly there. Finish the race. It’s worth it.

For you new Fellows: take a deep breath. Let it out. Say to yourself, “I’m done!” Now get on with it. For as LeRoy Simon told us in his address to new members, “It is easier to become an actuary than to be one.” Now that you have become an actuary, it’s time to concentrate on being one. What does it take to be an actuary? I think, first, it takes the recognition that, now that you’ve passed the exams, you will never again be right. In fact, from here on out, your estimates will not only be wrong—most of the time they will be wrong on the high side. When faced with mounting evidence apparently to the contrary, will you have the confidence to stick with what you know to be the best estimate? Will you have the communication skills to explain why your current estimates are “right” when your track record is “wrong”? Will you have the humility to recognize that, sometimes, you are wrong? Do you have enough experience to tell the difference? The most confident actuaries I know are some of the youngest, and the most humble some of the oldest.

As a reasonably old, moderately confident actuary, let me share with you a few facts that I’ve learned from clients and colleagues over the years, in no particular order of importance:

- Every claims operation has just strengthened case reserves, and the changes that have been implemented are going to change the reserve adequacy permanently. Just ask them. The ratemaking corollary, of course, is that application of underwriting standards has been tightened and the expected loss ratio on the new business is points lower than anything we’ve written in the past.

- Nobody needs a tail factor. Tail factors are the product of reserve movements on really old claims. Those claims, of course, are a legacy from back when the underwriting and/or claims handling environment was different, so they’re not relevant to the current business, which is already fully reserved to ultimate. In fact, anything that happened on the preceding guy’s watch is not ever going to happen again.

- Two points make a trend, provided that it is in the right direction. Three to five points may not make a trend, however, if they lead to bad news.

- If the underwriting experience on an expanding book of business is poor, just giving it time will allow the premiums to catch up with the losses.

Everyone is tempted to cling to information that supports their chosen position and to discount or reject information that does not. Actuaries are not immune. We must always challenge ourselves to question our prejudices, our methods, our conclusions. Just because we did it that way last year won’t cut it. That one is so important that we’ve codified it in ASOP #43. The extension is that, just because you learned it while taking exams doesn’t mean it’s the best approach to take.

People are extraordinarily good at estimating probabilities for events that happen frequently, and extraordinarily bad at estimating probabilities for infrequent things. Have you ever experienced a thousand year event? Apparently, I have.

This image [Figure 1] shows the result of a thousand year flood, earlier this month in Nashville, TN. The current estimate on the damages is pushing $2 billion. Yes, it was very bad. But if that was a one-in-one thousand event, what was this?

Figure 1: Downtown Nashville during the May 2010 flood.
I couldn’t get two shots from the same angle, but as near as I can tell in this photo [Figure 2], the water level on 2nd Avenue back in 1926 was just about where it was three weeks ago. So maybe our thousand year flood was more like a hundred year flood, and we happened to get two in 85 years?

Just for good measure, this one was only a one in 500 year event last year in Georgia [Figure 3]. And this [Figure 4] was an industrial accident that engineers had projected had a less than 1 in 1,000 probability of happening. In case you’re wondering, this is what the valley looked like right before the ash spill [Figure 5].

How good are you at estimating distributions? I think I’m pretty decent at finding, say, the 75th percentile. After all, I get to see one of them about every four years. Some days, I feel pretty good about my 90th percentile estimates. But then I have to remind myself that I’m probably not basing my projections on 10 full years of experience, so maybe my 90th percentile is really an 85th or a 92nd. Does it really matter? Most of the time, probably not. Even when the trust agreement for a med mal self-insurance plan calls for reserving at the 90th percentile or the regulations governing a workers comp, self-insured group require setting rates to cover the 90th percentile of the loss forecast, what we’re really trying to accomplish is including a healthy risk margin.

It’s when major decisions are made based on the probability of an event rather than the magnitude that we risk getting into trouble. There were a lot of homeowners in and around Nashville who didn’t have flood insurance because they were above the 100-year flood plain. Oops. I bet they had fire insurance, though, even though they had a far less than 1 in 100 chance of a fire loss of the magnitude of their flood damage.

As we move into the second decade of the 21st century, we will be asked more and more often to assess the likelihood of unlikely events. If we are mere technicians, we will produce ever more sophisticated models to pin down the 1 in 100, 1 in 500, 1 in 1,000 event. If we are actuaries, we will still produce the fancy models and the numbers, but we will also, over and over and over again, communicate that they’re just models. They’re not real. If it’s already happened, it’s probably not a 1 in 100 event, much less a 1 in 100. We’ll help our principals — and the public — to understand that the bad things that we’ve already observed are likely to happen again. We’ll think about the bad things that might happen. We’ll concentrate on financial solutions. When faced with short-term incentives, we’ll take the long-term view. That NGCI tail factor beyond the 19th report does not tell us that the generation before us did it wrong. It tells us that our own work will have ramifications far into the future.
So—be confident. You have shown that you’ve mastered an extraordinary tool kit. Go out and use it. Better yet, go out and expand it. But while you’re doing that, don’t confuse confidence with arrogance. Be sure that your confidence includes the ounce of humility that will ensure that your voice is heard. Continue to pursue excellence. Is there a new approach that you can take, or another way of looking at the data that will open up new insights? Is there a different way to write about what you’ve done, or to explain it? What does your audience really want to know about your work? What should be the unsophisticated Board member’s take away? Can you get your message across in five PowerPoint slides or fewer? Why not?

Now let me say a few things about our profession. When I was doing a little research for this talk, I came across a paper in the Proceedings that was a breakthrough: it clearly outlined the need to recognize different kinds of reserves: case reserves, IBNR reserves, IBNER reserves, and unearned premium reserves. A small tree planted, and we stand today in its shade. Actuarial science and the actuarial profession only grow and evolve because our members contribute. Who among you will plant the next tree? The profession needs your time and talent. Join a committee. Write a paper. I assure you that the experience you gain and the contacts and friends you make will be worth every minute of the time you put in. Ask yourself – who will chair the loss reserve seminar? Or the Audit Committee? Who will write the next study note for the syllabus? Someday, one of you will chair this meeting. And—a very, very long time from now, one of you will be giving this address to a brand new class of fellows and associates.

Remember, also, that you not only benefit from those who have gone before you, you also represent the entire profession every time you put those initials after your name. The public places an extraordinary amount of trust in the actuarial profession. Use your credentials wisely, and ensure that the next generation of CAS members will have the same level of public trust.

Now that you have become an actuary, go out and celebrate. Enjoy San Diego. Then go back home, and get on with being an actuary, and may you all have wonderful careers in this wonderful profession.
MINUTES OF THE 2010 SPRING MEETING

Sunday, May 23, 2010

The Casualty Actuarial Society (CAS) Board of Directors met from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Registration was held from 4:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

An officers’ reception for new Associates and their spouses/guests was held from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

A welcome reception for all attendees was held from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Monday, May 24, 2010

Registration was held from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

A continental breakfast was served at 7:00 a.m. The business session was opened by CAS President Roger M. Hayne at 8:00 a.m. Mr. Hayne welcomed everyone and announced that the meeting was being Webcast over the CAS Web Site. He extended a special welcome to the 62 new Fellows, 66 new Associates, and one new Fellow by Mutual Recognition, who would be recognized at this meeting.

Mr. Hayne introduced several special guests in attendance, including Vickie Bajtelsmit, President of the American Risk and Insurance Association; Wayne Fisher, Executive Director of the Enterprise Risk Management Institute International; David Goodsell, Vice President for the Institute of Actuaries of Australia; David Hartman, Chair of the Actuarial Foundation Board of Directors; and Mary Frances Miller, President-Elect of the American Academy of Actuaries.


Mr. Hayne then introduced the CAS Executive Council and the Board of Directors.

Mr. Kollar then introduced Ken Quintilian, Vice President—Administration, who announced the names of the 66 new Associates and the one new Fellow by Mutual Recognition.

Following the awards presentation, the new CAS Fellows were recognized in a special ceremony. The names of the members of the Spring 2010 class are as follows:

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Mr. Hayne next recognized the valuable work of CAS member volunteers, including moderators and panelists at this meeting or other meetings and seminars this year; authors of papers; Regional Affiliate officers; chairs of CAS, CIA, or Academy committees; CAS, CIA, and American Academy of Actuaries committee members; individuals who have worked on the committees of other actuarial organizations; and Board Members and Officers of the Executive Council. “This again has been an extraordinary year for CAS volunteers,” said Mr. Hayne. “With 34% of our members volunteering, we can all be proud.”

As a prelude to the CAS awards ceremony, Mr. Hayne encouraged CAS members to nominate a worthy CAS volunteer for the 2010 Above & Beyond Achievement Award and the 2010 Matthew Rodermund Service Award.

Mr. Hayne then announced the Harold W. Schloss Memorial Scholarship award. This $500 scholarship was awarded to Zhujing Feng. The next award, the 2008 Variance Prize, was first announced at the 2009 CAS Annual Meeting but none of the authors were available to accept the prize. For this meeting, one of the authors, Martin Eling, accepted the 2008 Variance Prize on behalf of his coauthors Hato Schmeiser and Thomas Parnitzke. Eling, Schmeiser, and Parnitzke’s paper, “Management Strategies and Dynamic Financial Analysis,” is published in Variance, Volume 2, Number 1. Dr. Eling presented their paper during this 2010 Spring Meeting.

Mr. Hayne recognized and thanked the participants in a new program for the CAS, Society Partners, which represents firms who demonstrate a commitment to the CAS and its mission by making an annual pledge to support CAS activities. Society Partners for the program’s first year are as follows:

Platinum Partners
- Pauline Reimer and Pryor Associates Executive Search
- Milliman
- Ernst & Young
- Towers Watson

Gold Partner
- Liberty Mutual

Silver Partners
- EMB
- ISO
- Munich Reinsurance America, Inc.
- Pinnacle Actuarial Resources

Following the Society Partners announcement, the new CAS Fellows were recognized in a special ceremony.

Mr. Hayne introduced Mary Frances Miller, a CAS past president, who gave the address to new members. Ms. Miller is a Fellow of the Casualty Actuarial Society and a Member of the American Academy of Actuaries. She served as CAS President in 2004 and as Chairperson of the CAS Board of Directors in 2005. Ms. Miller has served the CAS on numerous committees and task forces, many in the Admissions area, beginning with service on the Examination Committee more than 20 years ago.

She has also been active in the American Academy of Actuaries (AAA), particularly in the development of the Qualification Standards and is the 2010 AAA President-Elect. She has served on the Board of the Conference of Consulting Actuaries, was elected an Honorary Fellow of the Institute of Actuaries in the U.K., and currently chairs the International Actuarial Association’s Education Committee.

While devoting a lot of time and energy to the actuarial profession, Ms. Miller found the time to help form Select Actuarial Services where she serves as the Senior Consulting Actuary.

Following the address, David Hartman gave an update on the activities of the Actuarial Foundation.

Next, Vicki Bajtelsmit, President of the American Risk and Insurance Association, or ARIA, gave an update on the organization.

Chet Szczepanski, Vice-President—Professional Education, briefly described the educational content of the meeting stating that the Spring Meeting consisted of four general sessions and over 30 different concurrent sessions, offering a maximum of 16.5 CE credits. Mr. Szczepanski encouraged attendees to take advantage of the University of CAS, which provides recorded digital media of continuing education programs offered free to CAS Meeting attendees. He also encouraged members to attend the CAS Annual Meeting in Washington, DC, and to submit program ideas for that meeting.

Mr. Szczepanski next recognized and thanked the following 2010 Spring Meeting Sponsors:

- Milliman—lanyard and opening day luncheon
- Pauline Reimer and Pryor Associates Executive Search—tote-bag and Cyber Café

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• Liberty Mutual—breakfast and highlighters
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• DFA Capital Management—breakfast and registration handout
• Ernst and Young—networking break
• Towers Watson—Post it Notes
• Guy Carpenter & Company—USB flash drives
• Barrie & Hibbert—registration handout

Mr. Szczepanski also thanked the Program Planning Committee and members of the CAS Office staff for their contributions to the meeting.

Following Mr. Szczepanski, Mr. Hayne introduced the keynote speaker Patrick Kuhse, who spoke on business ethics.

After a refreshment break, the first general session was held from 10:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. and covered the following topic:

**NAIC Credit Hearings**

**Moderator:** Gary Josephson, Principal, Consulting Actuary, Milliman, Inc.

**Panelists:**
- Richard Babel Sr., Vice President, InsurQuote, Inc.
- Eric Nordman, Director of Research, National Association of Insurance Commissioners
- Geoffrey Werner, Managing Director, EMB America LLC

Following a luncheon held from 12:15 p.m. to 1:30 p.m., the afternoon was devoted to presentations of concurrent sessions. The panel presentations from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. covered the following topics:

1. **A Perfect Storm for P&C Analytics**

   **Moderator:** Virginia R. Prevosto, Vice President, ISO

   **Panelists:**
   - Karthik Balakrishnan, Vice President, ISO Innovative Analytics
   - Louise Francis, Consulting Principal and Founder, Francis Analytics & Actuarial Data Mining Inc.

2. **Balancing Rate Competitiveness and Rate Stability with Rating Tiers—A Case Study for Personal Auto Insurance**

   **Moderator/Panelist:** Mo Masud, Senior Manager, Deloitte Consulting LLP

   **Panelists:**
   - Bradley J. Lipic, Consultant, Deloitte Consulting LLP
   - John White, Assistant Vice President and Actuary, The Hartford
   - Jun Yan, Manager, Deloitte Consulting LLP

3. **The CAS and You: A Resource for New Leaders**

   **Panelists:**
   - John J. Kollar, Immediate Past President and Board Chair
   - Joanne Spalla, Past Member of the Board of Directors and Executive Council
   - Patricia Teufel, Past Member of the Board of Directors and Executive Council

4. **Do You Know the Rules of the Actuarial Professionalism Road?**

   **Moderator:** Chad Wischmeyer, Managing Director, Oliver Wyman

   **Panelists:**
   - John Wade, Senior Consultant, Pinnacle Actuarial Resources, Inc.
   - Juemin Zhang, Actuary, Milliman, Inc.

5. **Economic Capital Models**

   **Moderator:** Kevin Madigan, Consulting Actuary, Pinnacle Actuarial Resources, Inc.

   **Panelists:**
   - Eugene Connell, Senior Vice President and Chief Actuary, Erie Insurance Group
   - Stefan Holzberger, Assistant Vice President-Rating Criteria and Rating Relations, A.M. Best Company
   - Alan R. Seeley, Chief Property/Casualty Actuary, New Mexico Department of Insurance, Insurance Division
   - Mark Verheyen, Vice President, CNA Insurance Companies
6. Marrying Underwriter Intuition and Predictive Analytics—A Workers Compensation Perspective
Moderator/Panelist: Gaetan Veilleux, Senior Director of Predictive Analytics, Valen Technologies
Panelists: Joel Appelbaum, Chief Risk Officer, Zurich Insurance
Ken Schroeder, Vice President, Commercial Underwriting, Auto-Owners Insurance Company

7. Risk Margins: Impacts to Pricing and Profitability
Moderator: Kelly Cusick, Senior Manager, Deloitte Consulting LLP
Panelists: Robert Miccolis, Director, Deloitte Consulting LLP
Glenn Meyers, Vice President and Chief Actuary, ISO Innovative Analytics

8. Solvency II and You
Moderator: William Murphy, Principal and Consulting Actuary, Milliman Inc.
Panelists: Kendra Felisky, Director, Deloitte Consulting LLP
Kathryn Morgan, Technical Specialist, Internal Models, Financial Services Authority

The following concurrent sessions were held from 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.:

1. Applying ERM and Capital Modeling Principles to the CAS
Moderator: Aaron Halpert, Chair of the CAS Risk Management Committee
Panelist: Ann Conway, Consulting Actuary, Towers Watson

2. Instructional Approach to Variance Models: Munich Chain Ladder/Capital Allocation
Moderator: Leslie Marlo, Director, KPMG LLP
Panelists: Neil Bodoff, Senior Vice President, Willis Re, Inc.
Louise Francis, Consulting Principal and Founder, Francis Analytics & Actuarial Data Mining Inc.

3. A Practical View of China's P&C Insurance Market
Moderator: Kevin Lee, Senior Vice President and National Leader, Aon Global Risk Consulting Canada
Panelists: Cathy Hwang, Consulting Actuary, Milliman Ltd.
Xinxin (Alex) Xu, Vice President, Aon Global Risk Consulting Canada

4. Predictive Analytics: Moving From a Segmented to An Enterprise View
Moderator/Panelist: Robert Walling, Principal and Consulting Actuary, Pinnacle Actuarial Resources, Inc.
Panelist: Mark Gorman, Principal, Mark B. Gorman & Associates

5. Proposed New CAS Continuing Education Policy
Panelists: Ralph Blanchard, Vice President and Actuary, Travelers
Kenneth Quintilian, Vice President and Chief Actuary, Medical Liability Mutual Insurance Company
Pat Teufel, Principal, KPMG LLP

6. State of the Reinsurance Market
Moderator: Nolan E. Asch, Principal, Reinsurance Division, ISO
Panelists: Kathy Garrigan, Senior Vice President and Corporate Underwriter, Endurance Services Ltd.
Jonathan Hayes, Managing Director, Guy Carpenter & Co. LLC

7. Workers' Compensation Loss Development Tail
Moderator: Thomas Struppeck, President, Longhorn Analytics
Panelists: Frank A. Schmid, Director and Senior Economist, National Council on Compensation Insurance, Actuarial and Economic Services
During this time the following *Variance* Prize paper was presented:

   Moderator: Carl Ashenbrenner, CAS Program Planning Committee  
   Presenters: Martin Eling, Professor, Institute of Insurance Science, University of Ulm  
   Hato Schmeiser, Professor, Institute of Insurance Economics, University of St. Gallen  

An Officers’ Reception for the New Fellows and their spouses or guests was held from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

**Tuesday, May 25, 2010**

Registration was held from 7:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.  
A continental breakfast was served from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.  
The following general sessions were held from 8:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.

**U.S. Seismic Hazard—A New View**  
Moderator: Shawna Ackerman, Principal and Consulting Actuary, Pinnacle Actuarial Resources, Inc.  
Panelists: David Lalonde, Senior Vice President, AIR Worldwide Corporation  
          Kate Stillwell, Earthquake Product Manager, EQECAT, Inc.  
          Don Windeler, Director, Americas Earthquake Models, Nat Cat & Portfolio Solutions, RMS

**The Hitchhiker’s Guide to ASOPs**  
Moderators: Kevin Dyke, Vice President and Chief Actuary, American Physicians Assurance Corporation  
           Michael A. Walters, Casualty Actuarial Society Past President and American Academy of Actuaries Past Vice President  
           Mavis A. Walters, Casualty Actuarial Society Past President and American Academy of Actuaries Past President  
Panelists: Martin T. King, Corporate Risk Finance Manager, Kaiser Permanente  
          Richard O. Kirste, Chief Technical Officer and Chief Actuary, Berkshire Hathaway Homestate Companies  
          Bob Morand, Partner, D.W. Simpson  
          Mark Priven, Actuary, Principal, Bickmore & Associates

One session was repeated and the following concurrent sessions were held from 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.:

1. **California Workers Compensation—Where Do We Go Now?**  
   Moderator: Christian Lemay, Senior Manager, Ernst & Young LLP  
   Panelists: David Bellusci, Senior Vice President and Chief Actuary, Workers Compensation Insurance Rating Bureau of California  
             Alex Swedlow, Executive Vice-President, California Workers Compensation Institute

2. **Chinese Drywall—Who Will Pay?**  
   Moderator/Panelist: Rachel Boles, Consulting Actuary, Towers Watson  
   Panelists: Fred E. Karlinsky Esq., Colodny, Fass, Talenfeld, Karlinsky & Abate, P.A.  
             Howard Taylor, Vice President, Munich Re America

3. **Economic Capital Models**  
   Moderator: Kevin Madigan, Consulting Actuary, Pinnacle Actuarial Resources, Inc.  
   Panelists: Eugene Connell, Senior Vice President and Chief Actuary, Erie Insurance Group  
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             Alan R. Seeley, Chief Property/Casualty Actuary, New Mexico Department of Insurance, Insurance Division  
             Mark Verheyen, Vice President, CNA Insurance Companies
4. Litigation Changes and Their Impact on General Liability
Moderator: Terri Kremenski, Consulting Actuary, Towers Watson
Panelists: Patrick Hanlon, Lecturer in Residence, University of California-Berkeley School of Law
Damon T. Lay, Actuary and Product Manager, Farmer’s Insurance Group

5. Measuring the Economic Value of Risk Classification
Moderator: Glenn Meyers, Vice President and Chief Actuary, ISO Innovative Analytics
Panelists: A. David Cummings, Vice President-Research, ISO Innovative Analytics
Edward Frees, Professor-Actuarial Science, Risk Management and Insurance, University of Wisconsin

6. Pay-As-You-Drive, Usage-Based Auto Insurance—The New California Regulations
Moderator/Panelist: Shawna Ackerman, Principal and Consultant, Pinnacle Actuarial Resources, Inc.
Panelist: Joel Laucher, Chief, Market Conduct Division, California Department of Insurance

7. Reserve Variability Calculations
Moderator: Daniel Murphy, President, Trinostics
Panelists: Jimmy Curcio Jr., Senior Actuarial Analyst, Specialty Markets Actuarial, Munich Reinsurance America
Markus Gesmann, Manager, Lloyd’s Analysis, Lloyd’s
Wayne Yanwei Zhang, Data Modeling Analyst, Statistical Research, CNA

Following a lunch break, the following concurrent sessions were held from 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.:

1. Credit Risk Special Interest Section
Moderators: David Ruhm, Chief Actuary, The First American Corporation
Michael Schmitz, Principal and Consulting Actuary, Milliman, Inc.

2. Florida Legislative Issues: Challenges and Opportunities
Moderator: Sheri Scott, Actuary, Milliman, Inc.
Panelists: Michele Balady, Second Vice President Business Insurance, Government Relations, Travelers
Fred E. Karlinksy Esq., Colodny, Fass, Talenfeld, Karlinsky & Abate, PA.

3. An Introduction to Monte Carlo Markov Chain (MCMC) Methods for Bayesian Analysis
Moderator/Panelist: Glenn Meyers, Vice President and Chief Actuary, ISO Innovative Analytics
Panelist: Frank A. Schmid, Director and Senior Economist, National Council on Compensation Insurance

4. The Secret Language of Influence—Your Passport to Powerful Persuasion
Presenter: Dan Seidman, President, Sales Autopsy, Inc.

5. Updating the Berquist-Sherman Paper: A Third of a Century Later
Panelists: Aaron Halpert, Principal, KPMG LLP
Scott Weinstein, Principal, KPMG LLP

6. Workers Compensation: Medicare Reporting Requirements and Impact on Claims
Moderator/Panelist: Christine Fleming, Consultant, Milliman, Inc.
Panelists: Raymond Blanchfield, Vice President, Claims, Munich Re America
David Bellusci, Senior Vice President and Chief Actuary, Workers Compensation Insurance Rating Bureau of California
During this time the following Variance papers were presented:

7. Variance Paper Session 2
   Moderator: Benoit Carrier, CAS Program Planning Committee

   “A Pricing Model for Underinsured Motorist Coverage” by Matthew Buchalter
   Presenter: Matthew Buchalter, Director, Pricing, RBC General Insurance Company

   “How to Destabilize the Financial System: A Beginner’s Guide” by Shauna Ferris
   Presenter: Shauna Ferris, Senior Lecturer in Actuarial Studies, Macquarie University

   A reception was held from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, May 26, 2010

   Registration was held from 7:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.
   A continental breakfast was served from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.
   Three sessions were repeated and the following concurrent sessions were held from 8:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.:

   1. Commutations—A Cedant’s Perspective on Risk Load
      Moderator: Brian MacMahon, Senior Managing Actuary-Reinsurance, Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
      Panelists: Erin Bellott, Actuary, Reinsurance, Liberty Mutual Insurance Group
               Lori Julga, Consulting Actuary, Milliman Inc.

   2. Insurance Cycles: Are They Predictable?
      Moderator: Benoit Carrier, Vice President and Casualty Pricing Manager, Zurich North America
      Panelists: Joseph Monaghan, Senior Managing Director, AON Benfield
               Steven N. Weisbart, Senior Vice President and Chief Economist, Insurance Information Institute

   3. Umbrella: A Primary Insurer and Reinsurer’s Perspective
      Moderator/Panelist: Russell Buckley, Head of Pricing-Reinsurance, Munich Re America, Inc.
      Panelists: Richard Woytus, Casualty Underwriter, Munich Re America
               Garick Zillgitt, Vice President-Casualty, Commercial Lines, Fireman’s Fund Insurance Co.

   4. Using Predictive Analytics to Understand Your Claims Process
      Moderator/Panelist: Roosevelt Mosley, Principal and Consulting Actuary, Pinnacle Actuarial Resources, Inc.

   Following a break, the last general session was held from 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.:

   CRO Roundtable—ERM Post Recession
   Moderator: Robert Wolf, Staff Partner-Risk Management, Actuarial Marketplace Solutions, Society of Actuaries
   Panelists: Michael E. Angelina, Chief Risk Officer and Chief Risk Actuary, Endurance Specialty Holdings, Ltd.
              Terri Dalenta, Chief Risk Officer, Aviva USA
              David Ruhm, Chief Actuary, First American Corporation

   After the general session, Mr. Hayne encouraged all attendees to complete the online meeting evaluation form and announced upcoming meetings before he adjourned the meeting.

2010 CAS Spring Meeting Attendees

   The 2010 CAS Spring Meeting was attended by 453 Fellows, 121 Associates, one Affiliate, and 61 guests. The names of the Fellows, Associates, and Affiliate are as follows:

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   Grant D. Steer  Brian Tohru Suzuki  Roger M. Hayne  Dennis K. Chan
   David R. Benseler  Nancy A. Braithwaite  David L. Menning  Eric J. Johnson
   Wayne W. Edwards  David R. Chernick  Chester John Szczepanski  Robert H. Lee
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AFFILIATE

Bhavini V. Kamarshi
ADDRESS TO NEW MEMBERS—NOVEMBER 8, 2010

Thomas G. Myers

“What Road Will You Take?”

I’d like to extend my congratulations to all of our new Fellows and new Associates on reaching this important milestone in your journey. Congratulations also to the spouses, children, family, and friends who helped you on this journey.

While this is certainly an important milestone, let me assure you that your journey is far from over. You have many years ahead of you on your journey. What decisions will you need to make in the future? What challenges will you face? What successes will you realize? What road will you take?

Certainly, your education is not finished. For our new Associates, I hope we’ll have the opportunity to celebrate with you again in the near future. But even for our new Fellows, your education has just begun. The exams have given you the basic building blocks you’ll need to be successful in our profession, but there is much more to learn. The pace of change in our industry continues to accelerate. The actuarial craft has changed substantially in the 25 years since I became a member of the CAS, and I’m sure it will change even more during the course of your careers. Will you be prepared for the future technical challenges you’ll face? Will you be able to communicate increasingly technical risk issues to non-technical audiences? How will you be able to help your clients make informed decisions about their businesses? What road will you take in your educational journey? There are many resources available to you—take advantage of them! Continue your education not just because you’re required to, but in order to make yourself a better actuary.

You have all joined a vibrant profession but membership carries with it responsibilities as well as benefits. Your employers and clients will rely on your advice to make critical business decisions. Will you deserve their trust? Will you carry out your duties with the highest degree of professionalism? Again, there are many resources to help you in this part of your journey. Stay current with professionalism standards. Don’t be afraid to seek advice when faced with new or unusual problems. Don’t be afraid to say “no” when asked to perform a service for which you are not truly qualified. What road will you take in your professional journey? Remember that your actions will reflect on the reputation of our entire profession.

Another of the responsibilities of membership is to be a part of enhancing our profession. Where will your journey lead? Will you conduct research to enhance the actuarial craft? Will you volunteer to serve on CAS committees to advance our society? Will you mentor others who are looking to join our profession? Volunteering for the CAS has been one of the most satisfying aspects of my career as an actuary. I have had the opportunity to work with many wonderful people on a variety of interesting projects. It has certainly been fulfilling to be able to give a little back to the profession that has given me so many benefits. I encourage you to get involved as well. It’s a great way to meet your fellow professionals. And who knows… some day you might be giving this address to a new generation of CAS members! What road will you take in your volunteerism journey?

As important as all of these considerations are as you go on your journey, remember one more thing. Have fun! You will inevitably be most productive if you enjoy what you are doing. Don’t let everyday stresses get the best of you. There will always be light at the end of the tunnel. Keep a good attitude and you’ll get through the rough patches just fine.

To paraphrase Robert Frost, don’t regret the road not taken. Make good choices as you continue your journey. It will make all the difference.

Congratulations again. I wish you long and successful careers, and I look forward to hearing about your achievements and contributions to the Casualty Actuarial Society.
There's a temptation in preparing a speech like this to reflect over the last year. But I've decided to resist that temptation and rather offer you my view of where we are now and give you some glimpse into what I see as our future as a Society.

We're currently the fourth largest actuarial society in the world behind only the Society of Actuaries, American Academy of Actuaries, and the Institute and Faculty of Actuaries in the U.K. We're the only actuarial society in the world that focuses solely on casualty and property actuarial science—the only one. We have more P&C actuaries than any other society in the world. Together with the Society of Actuaries, we share a unique position in the world: we are the only membership organizations for actuaries in the world that do not have a country-specific mission. We don't confine ourselves to simply the U.S. or simply North America.

We have some advantages.

Our jobs require us to be able to recognize, model, and address a wide variety of hazard risks—and that positions us as the best in all the world to really take on the challenges and work of Enterprise Risk Management. We have value—not just in insurance—but everywhere - from this knowledge and understanding of risk.

Also, our exam and education structure really does suit us well on an international stage. We've taken the country-specific material and placed it on one exam. This allows us to tailor that specific exam for individual countries. We've already done that in the U.S., Canada, and Chinese Taipei. We can easily take this concept on the road. The Board has already authorized the Executive Council, with some restrictions and limitations, to implement country-specific examinations elsewhere. We are also exploring other places where we can do this. We're a highly recognizable brand in the P&C space. We have a very, very strong volunteer culture and member participation. We also have a very solid tradition of education and research. These are our strengths.

But we do face some challenges as well. For instance, our P&C focus may be viewed as too narrow. One challenge that we and the Society of Actuaries have, and frankly, other actuarial organizations and actuaries around the world also confront, is that we are viewed only in the insurance context. We are so much more than just insurance people. Another challenge we deal with is our reputation—deserved or not—of being good, strong, background geeks who really shouldn’t be taken out in public. We’re not alone with this image. I’ve seen surveys that we've done back in the late '90s and early 2000s and recent surveys by the Society of Actuaries that have virtually the same results. Yet another challenge is that the fastest growing segments of our membership are not within the confines of the United States. Asia's probably our fastest growing area for members and for candidates. All the CAS members, not just the six out of seven who reside in the United States, deserve CAS support and services. It's going to be challenging to provide that level of support and service to all our members.

A further challenge we face is the fact that one size does not fit all. To explain this challenge, let's look at our Centennial Goal. That goal says that we are to be recognized globally as a leading resource in educating casualty actuaries and conducting research in casualty actuarial science. This is global. This means that we really do need to adapt to different conditions and different places. And I know it is a sore topic with some but an example of how we must adapt is the concept of future education methods—the granting of exam credit for university courses that’s being considered and worked on in Canada. The fact is that Canada is different—they have a different education system than the U.S.; we need to recognize that and adapt to it.

I see our global future is in cooperation. I believe we'll continue to live in exciting and interesting times. We’re seeing increasing cooperation among organizations that will likely continue and grow. Some examples of cooperation that we have seen today—we’ve got the global CERA treaty that we’ve talked about before. The Institute and Faculty of Actuaries of U.K.—Stuart Shepley is here representing them—have members on every one of the CAS research and development committees. This is a way that we can get to know each other and get to work with each other. Research and development is clearly an area that is not defined by country borders. It’s a place where we all can benefit from cooperation. We have joint research efforts underway with both the Institute and Faculty of Actuaries of U.K. and also the Institute of Actuaries of Australia. There will be a session today talking about a survey that three of the organizations have undertaken and two have completed on ratemaking methodologies in the three areas.

In North America, and that means Canada, U.S. and Mexico, we have joint efforts in research and leadership development with the various actuarial organizations. So we’re cooperating already and I can see the future as cooperation increasing.

What does it mean to be a global citizen, in this context? A lot of organizations have members outside of their home boundaries. You might think with 14 percent we have a significant portion of our members outside of the U.S. When we look at our sister organization the SOA, they have 20 to 30 percent of their members outside the U.S. Look at the Australian Institute: they have 25 percent of their members outside of Australia. We look at the Institute and Faculty of Actuaries, they have 40 percent of their members outside of the U.K. We all face similar issues. How do we support these members outside of our traditional territories? Well, one way to do that is to cooperate. Cooperate where it makes sense; cooperate in providing continuing education offerings for our members outside of our home turf. Cooperate in joint research that benefits the entire profession. And it might actually even be possible to cooperate on joint examinations. We’ll see if that can work. But that's possible in the future. But there's a real benefit to this organization to better support our members outside along with the entire casualty actuarial profession. We’ve got new opportunities as well. We’ve got the CERA. This is a global designation created by 14 organizations who signed a treaty just about a year ago. Those organizations are present in, or at least have home offices in at least 12 countries, and are present in many more. This treaty recognizes the actuary's role in Enterprise Risk Management. The fact is that we are risk professionals, not just P&C actuaries. It has a very rigid, and very high bar set for the syllabus and validation to award the CERA. This is a new thing for all of us. The CAS' application is currently being reviewed to award this designation. This will be a designation that the CAS will award that will not be a CAS designation; it will be a worldwide designation.
We also have new opportunities in expanding markets. As I mentioned before, our student growth in Asia is very strong. China has been discussing loosening up of regulation. Here’s a huge opportunity for casualty actuaries: as rates and other regulations in China get relaxed there will be opportunities for actuaries to add value to companies across the spectrum. I can tell you that the Chinese are very interested in how we can add value to their enterprises.

Another challenge that we have is in the developing world. We have large portions of the world population who are poor, who cannot afford basic services and who cannot afford the loss of a crop. There are significant challenges in designing insurance products on this level, so-called microinsurance. This is someplace else we can add value in the future. There are new markets and new products—there are always places we can continue to expand.

As I said, the future is cooperation—cooperation at home as well as abroad. We already jointly administer most of four exams with the Society of Actuaries. The Academy gives us a way to address public policy issues in the United States and our members are very active in the Academy and we are very proud of that. Our members are also very active in the Canadian Institute, which addresses issues north of the border. We notice that Casualty Practice Council and related committees in the Academy are all populated by CAS members. Both the CIA and the AAA have had liaisons to our board. Unfortunately the Canadian liaison passed away suddenly recently. It will be tough to fill Hugh White’s shoes but we hope to again have a Canadian liaison to our Board. So there’s always the voice from at least two of our largest customers, if you will, as to what the issues are, at least in the U.S. and Canada. We have just elected a new board member from Hong Kong, which will give us a truly international perspective on our board. The CAS, CIA, and SOA all jointly sponsor risk management sessions, another place where we cooperate. In the United States we all cooperate with the Actuarial Standards Board to create actuarial standards in the U.S. The Actuarial Board of Counseling and Discipline is another area where we cooperate that looks at and initiates discipline and recommends disciplinary actions to the various organizations to which an actuary belongs. And we’re looking at and working with the other organizations in the US to create a truly joint discipline process where each organization can maintain its sovereignty and yet jointly participate to reduce disparate outcomes in disciplinary cases. We also need to increase transparency in the disciplinary process and that’s being looked at as well. So cooperation among the various organizations does nothing but strengthen the profession and the image of the actuaries in the U.S.

But survivors in times of change are often not the strongest, nor the fastest, or even the smartest. They are those who are most able to adapt—and we are in a time of change. Let’s take a look at some of the challenges that I mentioned earlier, the backroom geek. Is it surprising we should have that reputation? Well if you look at our exams, maybe it’s not. If you look at our exams maybe what is being tested or valued is speed. There are a lot of questions and very little time for deep thought in our exams. Maybe we can move up our game and develop and qualify actuaries that have a bit more skill, a bit more understanding, if we step back and look at how we test our actuaries. In fact in some places our exams are thought to be the easier alternative because they are so computationally based. This is a challenge. We like to think we have the top, the best, and the most rigorous examinations in the world but maybe we don’t. Maybe we ought to take a look at that and see if we can move up our game. This comes at a time when I am hearing from members; and I just received an e-mail within the last couple of weeks from a member who was very concerned about quants coming in and taking over jobs that have traditionally been filled by actuaries. Maybe the answer is to show that we can truly add value beyond just our simple quantitative computational skills. What we need are actuaries who can move into and through the 21st century.

From where I stand, in summary, the future really does look bright and full of opportunities for the CAS. As the Image of the Actuary campaign says though, risk is opportunity. There is a risk of moving out of our comfort zone, but without risk there can be no reward.

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Now before I finish I do want to personally thank some very special people. The first is the Executive Council who worked tirelessly for the CAS carrying out the directives and policies of the board. These folks, along with the staff, make sure the work of the CAS really gets done. Next, I’d like to recognize the staff and their leader, our Secretary and Treasurer, Cynthia Ziegler. These folks perform daily miracles that largely go unnoticed, of course, unless they didn’t occur. Your board, the elected leaders of our Society who set the direction and policy and who place the best interest of CAS first and foremost having frank and open discussions on the issues and arriving at a course of action that they best believe advances the CAS and its mission and joining together in that course once that course has been decided. Special thanks, though, goes to someone who put up with what seemed like endless hotel stays and plane rides and who did it without all the gripes she so deserved to make, my wife Eileen. Thank you. But I leave the last and most important thanks to one group without whom none of this would be possible: you, the members and volunteers of our society. We have a record of member participation that is the envy of many. It is you who all serve and work to improve the CAS. My personal thanks to you for letting me serve you. Thank you.
MINUTES OF THE 2010 ANNUAL MEETING

Sunday, November 7, 2010

The Casualty Actuarial Society Board of Directors met from 8:00 a.m. to 4:15 p.m.
Registration was held from 4:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
From 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. there was a presentation to new Associates and their spouses/guests.
A welcome reception for all members and guests was held from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Monday, November 8, 2010

Registration continued from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and a continental breakfast was served from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.
CAS President Roger Hayne opened the business session at 8:00 a.m., welcoming everyone to the meeting and announcing that the meeting would be Webcast over the CAS Web Site. Mr. Hayne thanked the Program Planning Committee for developing a great program of sessions and extended a special welcome to the 145 new Fellows and 223 new Associates to be recognized at this meeting.

Mr. Hayne announced the special guests in attendance, including five college students who were awarded scholarships by the Actuarial Foundation. Recipients of the 2010 Actuarial Foundation Diversity Scholarship are Stephen Abrokwah, Samuel Annan, Camilo Gonzalez and Cyprian Juma. Daniel DiMugno won the Stuart A. Robertson Scholarship. Other special guests in attendance included Kezia Charles, Representative of the International Association of Black Actuaries; Jim Christie, President-Elect of the Canadian Institute of Actuaries; Micheline Dionne, President of the Canadian Institute of Actuaries; Mary Downs, Executive Director of the American Academy of Actuaries; Wayne Fisher, Executive Director of the Enterprise Risk Management Institute International; David Hartman, Chair of the Actuarial Foundation Board of Directors; Greg Heidrich, Executive Director of the Society of Actuaries; Kenneth Holman, President of the American Academy of Actuaries; Yasuyuki Jinno, Representative of the Institute of Actuaries of Japan; Mary Frances Miller, President-Elect of the American Academy of Actuaries; Don Segal, President of the Society of Actuaries; and Stuart Shepley, Chair of the General Insurance Practice Council of the U.K. Actuarial Profession (UKAP).


Mr. Hayne then announced the members of the CAS Executive Council (EC) and the Board of Directors. He thanked Kevin Dickson, VP-ERM, who retired from his post, and announced that Barry Franklin would be the new VP-ERM.

Mr. Hayne introduced the CAS Board of Directors and the liaisons to the CAS Board of Directors from other actuarial organizations. He also recognized the outgoing board members, thanking Al Beer, Dave Chernick, John Tierney, and Michael Wacek, and, in particular, John Kollar for his leadership as chair of the Board.

Mr. Hayne then announced that the next president will be Ralph Blanchard and the president-elect will be Patricia Teufel. New board members will be Jeanne (Swanson) Crowell, Stan Khury, Ronald Kozlowski, and Andy Kudera.

Mr. Hayne then asked for a moment of silence for members who have passed away since November 2009. The members are Rafal Balcarek, Loring Barker, Robert Bartik, M.L. “Butch” Dye, Joseph Hebert, Thomas Kozik, Dennis Loper, Robert L. Miller, Robert J. Myers, Robert G. Oien, Richard Roth Sr., Leroy Simon (1971 CAS President), David Walker, Hugh White, and P. Adger Williams (1977 CAS President).

Next, 228 new Associates and one new Fellow by Mutual Recognition were announced. The names of these new members follow:

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Mr. Hayne then announced Glenn Meyers and Gary Venter as the winners of the lifetime achievement award for volunteer service, the 2010 Matthew S. Rodermund Service Award.

For more than 25 years, Mr. Meyers has served as a CAS volunteer. Like most new Fellows, he began his volunteer work with the Examination Committee, and he has given many years to the CAS basic education system. Mr. Meyers has also been active in a number of research and publications committees, including a long stint on the Committee on Theory of Risk and active involvement in the development of Dynamic Financial Analysis in the 90s through participation on task forces, committees, and working parties.

Mr. Venter also has a long list of contributions to the CAS, dating back almost 30 years. He chaired four different committees over the years. More impressive though is his 15-year run on the Committee on Review of Papers, as a paper reviewer for the Proceedings. He now heads up development on the Variance Editorial Board, where he continues to have a strong influence on CAS publications.

Mr. Hayne then announced Joanne Spalla as the recipient of the Above & Beyond Achievement Award. Ms. Spalla was particularly recognized for her contributions to the CAS Leadership Development Committee. A nominator said Ms. Spalla “demonstrates the best qualities of CAS leaders. She is accountable, teams well with others, and always brings new ideas to the table.”

Mr. Hayne next presented the 2009 Variance Prize to Yi Jing and Stephen Lowe. Ms. Jing and Mr. Lowe accepted the award on behalf of their coau-
The 153 new Fellows were next recognized in a special ceremony. The names of these new Fellows follow:

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Stuart Shepley, chair of the General Insurance Practice Council of The Actuarial Profession (U.K.), spoke briefly on his organization’s activities. Mr. Shepley noted that the Institute of Actuaries and the Faculty of Actuaries (Scotland) merged in 2010 to form The Actuarial Profession (UKAP). Mr. Shepley expressed his appreciation for the collaborative relationship UKAP has with the CAS. He reported that the UKAP is fortunate to possess the archives of the six principal scientific manuscripts used to form the first life assurance company, The Equitable Life Assurance Group, approximately 250 years ago in England. UKAP has preserved these documents on a DVD memento. On behalf of the UKAP President Rodney Berry, Mr. Shepley presented the DVD to Mr. Hayne as a token of appreciation for the CAS’s support of the archive project.

Mr. Hayne recognized and thanked the Society Partners, which are firms that demonstrate a commitment to the CAS and its mission by making an annual pledge to support CAS activities. He noted that this is the second year for the program and that the support of Society Partners and their sponsorships at CAS meetings and seminars have enabled the CAS to keep our registration fees in 2011 at the same level as in 2010. Mr. Hayne announced the 2011 CAS Society Partners as follows:

**Platinum Partners**
- Pauline Reimer and Pryor Associates Executive Search
- Milliman

**Gold Partner**
- Towers Watson

**Silver Partners**
- Actuarial Careers, Inc.
- ISO
- Pinnacle Actuarial Resources

The 153 new Fellows were next recognized in a special ceremony. The names of these new Fellows follow:
After the ceremony, Thomas G. Myers gave the address to new members. Mr. Myers is a CAS Fellow, a member of the American Academy of Actuaries, and Associate of the Society of Actuaries. He served as CAS President in 2006 and as Chairperson of the CAS Board of Directors in 2007. He also served the CAS on numerous committees and task forces, mostly in the Admissions area, beginning with service on the Examination Committee more than 20 years ago. Mr. Myers has also been active in other insurance organizations, having served on the Boards of the New Jersey Automobile Insurance Risk Exchange, Highway Loss Data Institute, Insurance Research Council, and Advocates for Highway and Auto Safety. He is currently the vice president of product management for the High Point Safety & Insurance Management Corporation.

Next, Kezia Charles from the International Association of Black Actuaries (IABA) gave an update on IABA’s activities. Formed in 1992, the IABA is focused on addressing the under-representation of Blacks in the actuarial profession, advancing excellence, and spreading the word about the profession. The IABA has produced a DVD, You Can Be an Actuary, and partners with high schools, colleges, and universities to promote the profession. Ms. Charles encouraged the audience to become involved in the IABA and its local mentoring programs.

Chet Szczepanski, Vice-President--Professional Education, briefly described the educational content of the meeting stating that the Annual Meeting consisted of four general sessions and over 30 different concurrent sessions, offering a maximum of 16.5 CE credits. Mr. Szczepanski encouraged attendees to take advantage of the University of CAS and to attend the CAS Spring Meeting at The Breakers in Palm Beach, Florida. Mr. Szczepanski next recognized and thanked the following 2010 Spring Meeting Sponsors:

- Milliman—lanyard
- Pauline Reimer and Pryor Associates Executive Search—tote-bag and Cyber Café
- Towers Watson—networking break
- Lexis-Nexis—networking break
- Actuarial Careers—pocket-sized Lighted Menu Magnifier and registration handout
- Guy Carpenter & Company—registration handout
- ISO—registration handout

Mr. Szczepanski also thanked the Program Planning Committee and members of the CAS Office staff for their contributions to the meeting.

Following Mr. Szczepanski, Mr. Hayne gave his Presidential Address, after which Mr. Blanchard thanked him for his service as president. Mr. Hayne then officially closed the business session and presented Mr. Blanchard with the gavel and Presidential Medallion.

After a refreshment break, the following concurrent sessions were held from 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.:

1. **Business Intelligence Concepts for the Sophisticated Actuary**
   
   **Moderator:** Mary Jo Kannon, Vice President and Actuary, ACE INA Insurance
   
   **Panelist:** Mark Allaben, Vice President and Actuary, The Hartford

2. **Business Interruption**
   
   **Moderator:** Xiang Ji, Zurich North America
   
   **Panelists:** Jeffrey Stump, Regional Field Team Lead, Zurich North America
   
   Daina Kojelis, Senior Coverage Counsel, Zurich North America

3. **Committee on Theory of Risk Research Update**
   
   **Moderator/Panelist:** Richard Derrig, President, OPAL Consulting LLC, Visiting Professor, Temple University, COTOR Chair
   
   **Panelist:** Martin Eling, Professor of Insurance and Director of the Institute of Insurance Science, University of Ulm
4. FASB/IASB Insurance Contract Project—Preparing for Change
Moderator/Panelist: Gareth Kennedy, Manager, Ernst & Young, LLP
Panelists: Marc Oberholtzer, Principal, PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP
Robert Miccolis, Director, Deloitte Consulting LLP
Chris Nyce, Senior Manager, KPMG LLP

5. Financial Crisis—Update on its Impact and What Lies Ahead
Moderator: Benoit Carrier, Vice President and Casualty Pricing Manager, Zurich North America
Panelists: David Flandro, Managing Director, Head of Global Business Intelligence, Guy Carpenter & Company Ltd.
Thomas Rogers, Regional Investment Manager, Zurich

6. Finding the Right Synergy from GLMs and Machine Learning
Moderator/Panelist: Claudine Modlin, Senior Consultant, EMB America LLC
Panelist: Kristi Badgerow, Actuary, United Services Automobile Association

7. Impact of Current Tort Environment on Asbestos Reserves
Moderator: Andra Serban, Senior Consultant, Bates White, LLC
Panelists: Jenni Biggs, Consulting Actuary, Towers Watson
Charles Mullin, Partner, Bates White, LLC

8. Speed Networking
Presenter: Margaret Milkint, Managing Partner, The Jacobson Group

9. Storm Brewing in Hurricane Loss Estimation Models
Moderator: Kevin M. Madigan, Consulting Actuary, Pinnacle Actuarial Resources, Inc.
Panelists: Karen Clark, President and CEO, Karen Clark & Company
David A. Lalonde, Senior Vice President, AIR Worldwide Corporation
David F. Smith, Senior Vice President-Model Development Group, EQECAT, Inc.

10. The Chartered Enterprise Risk Analyst (CERA) Designation
Moderator: Abbe Sohne Bensimon, C-Counsel Consultant, EMB
Panelists: Kevin G. Dickson, Vice President Enterprise Risk Management, CAS Executive Council
John J. Kollar, CAS Representative on Global CERA Board

11. Usage-Based Insurance—An Update on the Legal and Regulatory Environment
Moderator: Robin Harbage, C-Counsel Business Consultant, EMB America LLC
Panelists: Cara Blank, Actuary, Massachusetts Division of Insurance
Anne Kelly, Chief Actuary, New York State Insurance Department

Also during this time, the following Variance papers were presented:

“Bootstrap Estimation of the Predictive Distributions of Reserves Using Paid and Incurred Claims”
Moderator: Martin King, Corporate Risk Finance Manager, Kaiser Permanente
Author: Richard Verrall, Professor, Cass Business School City University

“Robustifying Reserving”
Moderator: Martin King, Corporate Risk Finance Manager, Kaiser Permanente
Authors: Dumaria R. Tampubolon, Statistics Research Division, Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences, Institut Teknologi Bandung
Gary G. Venter, Retired
From 12:15 p.m. - 2:15 p.m. the American Academy of Actuaries conducted its Annual Meeting during a luncheon featuring keynote speaker Howard Fineman. Mr. Fineman is one of the nation’s foremost political reporters and commentators. In 30 years at Newsweek, he led its award-winning political coverage and served as the magazine’s chief political correspondent, senior editor, and deputy Washington bureau chief. Mr. Fineman recently was named a senior politics editor at The Huffington Post. He is the author of the “Living Politics” column and the 2008 national best-selling book, The Thirteen American Arguments. An award winning reporter and writer, Fineman also is an analyst for NBC and its cable networks, MSNBC and CNBC. He regularly appears on programs such as Hardball with Chris Mathews and The News with Brian Williams and reports for The Today Show and Dateline.

Following the luncheon break, the following concurrent sessions were held from 2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

1. **Ask Your Leaders**
   Panelists: Roger Hayne, CAS President
             Ralph Blanchard, CAS President-Elect
             John Kollar, CAS Board Chair

2. **Business Interruption**
   Moderator: Xiang Ji, Zurich North America
   Panelists: Jeffrey Stump, Regional Field Team Lead, Zurich North America
             Daina Kojelis, Senior Coverage Counsel, Zurich North America

3. **Exploiting Novel Data—Boom Without the Bust**
   Moderator/Panelist: Karthik Balakrishnan, Vice President, ISO Innovative Analytics
   Panelist: James Guszcza, National Predictive Analytics Lead, Deloitte Consulting LLP

4. **Financial Crisis—Update on its Impact and What Lies Ahead**
   Moderator: Benoit Carrier, Vice President and Casualty Pricing Manager, Zurich North America
   Panelists: David Flandro, Managing Director, Head of Global Business Intelligence, Guy Carpenter & Company Ltd.
             Thomas Rogers, Regional Investment Manager, Zurich

5. **Rapidly Building the Business Case for Data Quality Improvement**
   Moderator: Mary Jo Kannon, Vice President and Actuary, ACE INA Insurance
   Panelist: David Loshin, President, Knowledge Integrity

6. **Solvency and Accounting Update**
   Moderator: Gareth Kennedy, Manager, Ernst & Young, LLP
   Panelists: Kris DeFraise, Director, Actuarial and Statistical, National Association of Insurance Commissioners
             Nicholas Pastor, Chief Actuary, QBE the Americas
             Henry Siegel, American Academy of Actuaries, Vice President, Risk Management and Financial Reporting

7. **Stochastic Loss Reserving—The Good, The Bad, and The Ugly: Retrospective Tests for Stochastic Loss Reserve Formulas**
   Moderator: Glenn G. Meyers, Vice President and Chief Actuary, ISO
   Panelists: Jessica Leong, Consulting Actuary, Milliman, Inc.
             Peng Shi, Assistant Professor, Northern Illinois University

8. **Storm Brewing in Hurricane Loss Estimation Models**
   Moderator: Kevin M. Madigan, Consulting Actuary, Pinnacle Actuarial Resources, Inc.
   Panelists: Karen Clark, President and CEO, Karen Clark & Company
             David A. Lalonde, Senior Vice President, AIR Worldwide Corporation
             David F. Smith, Senior Vice President-Model Development Group, EQECAT, Inc.
9. The State of the Reinsurance Market  
Moderator: James W. Larkin, Senior Vice President and Property Underwriting Manager, Property Underwriting, Munich Reinsurance America, Inc.  
Panelists: William Penn, Senior Vice President, Towers Watson  
Timothy Pollis, Vice President, Willis Re

10. Workers Compensation Research Topics  
Moderator: Yen-Chieh Tseng, Actuarial Consultant, National Council on Compensation Insurance  
Panelists: Katherine D. Porter, Associate Actuary, National Council on Compensation Insurance  
Frank A. Schmid, Director and Senior Economist, National Council on Compensation Insurance

Also during this time the ARIA and Hachemeister Prize papers were presented:

ARIA Prize Paper—“Securitization, Insurance, and Reinsurance” by J. David Cummins and Philippe Trainar  
Moderator: Roosevelt Mosley, Principal and Consulting Actuary, Pinnacle Actuarial Resources  
Presenter: J. David Cummins, Professor, Temple University

Hachemeister Prize Paper—“Actuarial Applications of a Hierarchical Insurance Claims Model” by Edward W. Frees, Peng Shi, and Emiliano A. Valdez  
Moderator: Roosevelt Mosley, Principal and Consulting Actuary, Pinnacle Actuarial Resources  
Presenter: Edward W. Frees, Assurant Health Professor of Actuarial Science, University of Wisconsin

Also during this time the following variance papers were presented:

“Prediction Error of the Future Claims Component of Premium Liabilities Under the Loss Ratio Approach” by Jackie Li  
Moderator: Christina Gwilliam, Consultant, Towers Watson  
Presenter: Jackie Li, Assistant Professor, Banking & Finance, Nanyang Technological University

“Estimation and Robustness of Linear Mixed Models in Credibility Context” by Xiao Chen Xu and Wing Kam Fung  
Moderator: Christina Gwilliam, Consultant, Towers Watson  
Presenter: Xiao Chen Xu, Johns Hopkins University

Following a refreshment break, the following general session was held from 4:00 p.m. — 5:30 p.m.

The Actuary as Leader and Professionalism: Challenges of Today’s Chief Actuary  
Moderator: Richard Fein, Principal, RIF Consulting, LLC  
Panelists: Janet Fagan, Chief Actuary, Sentry Insurance  
Larry Haefner, Executive Vice President and Chief Actuary, CNA Insurance Companies  
Mike LaMonica, Vice President and Actuary, Allstate Insurance Company  
Raymond J. Reimer, Vice President and Chief Actuary, Middle Market, The Travelers Companies, Inc.

An officers’ reception for new Fellows and accompanying persons was held from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. A CAS Volunteer Fair and reception open to all attendees and their accompanying persons was held from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, November 9, 2010

Registration continued from 7:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. and a continental breakfast was served from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.  
The following general sessions were held from 8:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.:  

Climate Change Liability—An Emerging Risk  
Moderator: Camille Minogue, Chief Actuary, Insurance Corporation of British Columbia  
Panelists: Richard Faulk, Partner, Environmental Practice Group, Gardere Wynne Sewell, LLP  
Lindene Patton, Climate Product Officer, Zurich Financial Services Group
Credit-Based Insurance Scores: A Roundtable Discussion
Moderator: Roosevelt Mosley, Principal and Consulting Actuary, Pinnacle Actuarial Resources
Panelists: Scott Richardson, Director, South Carolina Department of Insurance
David Snyder, Vice President and Associate General Counsel, American Insurance Association
Chet Wiermanski, Group Vice President, Analytics, TransUnion LLC

Following a refreshment break, the following concurrent sessions were held from 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.:

1. Auto Injury Loss Cost Trends
Moderator: Camille Minogue, Chief Actuary, Insurance Corporation of British Columbia
Panelist: Patrick Schmid, Director of Research, Insurance Research Council

2. Blending Loss Development Patterns with Hierarchical Models
Moderator: Dave Clark, Senior Actuary, Munich Re America
Panelists: James Guszcza, National Predictive Analytics Lead, Deloitte Consulting LLP
Wayne Zhang, Senior Actuarial Analyst, CNA

3. CAS Examination Process
Moderator: Daniel Roth, Vice President and Actuary, Mondial Assistance US
Panelists: Geoffrey Werner, Managing Director, EMB America LLC
William B. Wilder, Senior Actuary, Liberty Mutual Group
Rajesh Sahasrabuddhe, Principal, Oliver Wyman

4. Not Your Father's Lloyd's
Moderator: Stephan Christiansen, Senior Vice President-Director of Research, Conning Research & Consulting, Inc.
Panelists: Scott Belden, Senior Vice President-Reinsurance, The Travelers Companies, Inc.
Orla Donnelly, Senior Actuary, HCC Insurance Holdings, Inc.
Robert Humphreys, Head of Operations, Lloyd's

5. Operational Risk—Not Unique and Not Distinct
Moderator: Robert Wolf, Staff Partner-Risk Management Solutions, Society of Actuaries
Panelist: Ali Samad-Khan, President, Stamford Risk Analytics LLC

6. The Secret Language of Influence—Your Passport to Powerful Persuasion
Presenter: Dan Seidman, President, Sales Autopsy, Inc.

7. Usage Based Insurance—An Update on the Legal and Regulatory Environment
Moderator: Robin Harbage, C-Counsel Business Consultant, EMB America LLC
Panelists: Cara Blank, Actuary, Massachusetts Division of Insurance
Anne Kelly, Chief Actuary, New York State Insurance Department

8. Workers Compensation—The Post-Healthcare Reform Impact
Moderator: Stephen DiCenso, Consulting Actuary, Milliman, Inc.
Panelists: Joseph Paduda, Principal, Health Strategy Associates, LLC
Alex Swedlow, Executive Vice-President, California Workers' Compensation Institute
Following these sessions, the Joint Risk Management Section held a luncheon from 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. From 11:45 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. some meeting attendees participated in a field trip to the Insurance Institute for Highway Safety’s Vehicle Research Center in Charlottesville, VA.

After the lunch break, the following concurrent sessions were held from 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.:

1. **Blending Loss Development Patterns with Hierarchical Models**  
   Moderator: Dave Clark, Senior Actuary, Munich Re America  
   Panelists: James Guszcza, National Predictive Analytics Lead, Deloitte Consulting LLP  
              Wayne Zhang, Senior Actuarial Analyst, CNA

2. **Does Casualty History Repeat Itself? Emerging Risks and Casualty Insurance**  
   Panelists: David Bassi, Managing Director, Casualty, Swiss Re  
              Robert Reville, Economist, RAND

3. **ERM Through the Business Cycle**  
   Moderator/Panelist: Alice Underwood, Executive Vice President, Willis Re  
   Panelist: David Ingram, Senior Vice President, Willis Re

4. **Not Your Father’s Lloyd’s**  
   Moderator: Stephan Christiansen, Senior Vice President-Director of Research, Conning Research & Consulting, Inc.  
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              Orla Donnelly, Senior Actuary, HCC Insurance Holdings, Inc.  
              Robert Humphreys, Head of Operations, Lloyd’s

5. **Ratemaking Survey Results from the Joint CAS/Faculty and Institute of Actuaries Working Parties**  
   Moderator/Panelist: John Lewandowski, Senior Vice President and Actuary, ACE USA  
   Panelists: Laura Stevens, Actuary and Catastrophe Risk Manager, ACE European Markets  
              James Tanser, Senior Consultant, Towers Watson

6. **Workers Compensation Current Issues Update**  
   Moderator: Barry Lipton, Senior Actuary, National Council on Compensation Insurance, Inc.  
   Panelist: Nancy Treitel-Moore, Chief Actuary, Commercial Market Admin, Liberty Mutual Group

Also during this time, the following CAS Valuation, Finance, and Investments Committee call papers were presented:

“**An Analysis of the Limitations of Utilizing the Development Method for Projecting Mortgage Credit Losses and Recommended Enhancements**” by Kyle Mrotek and Mike Schmitz  
Moderator: Chris Gross, President and CEO, Christopher Gross Consulting, Inc.  
Presenters: Kyle Mrotek, Principal & Consulting Actuary, Milliman, Inc.  
           Mike Schmitz, Principal and Consulting Actuary, Milliman, Inc.

“**Tail Risk, Systematic Risk and Copulas**” by Andy Staudt  
Moderator: Chris Gross, President and CEO, Christopher Gross Consulting, Inc.  
Presenters: Andy Staudt, Actuary, Towers Watson

After an afternoon of free time, attendees were treated to a buffet dinner from 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. at the Smithsonian National Museum of American History.
Wednesday, November 10, 2010
Registration continued from 7:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. and a continental breakfast was served from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.
The following general sessions were held from 8:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.:

1. Actuarial Risk Evaluation and Applications
   Moderator: Mei Dong, Enterprise Risk Analyst, Munich Re
   Panelists: Linda Bjork, Enterprise Risk Manager, Munich Re
             David Ingram, Senior Vice President, Willis Re
             Kevin M. Madigan, Consulting Actuary, Pinnacle Actuarial Resources, Inc.

2. Does Casualty History Repeat Itself? Emerging Risks and Casualty Insurance
   Panelists: David Bassi, Managing Director, Casualty, Swiss Re
             Robert Reville, Economist, RAND

3. Pricing Strategy and Risk Management
   Moderator/Panelist: A. David Cummings, Vice President-Research, ISO Innovative Analytics
   Panelist: Thomas E. Hettinger, Managing Director, EMB America LLC

4. The Academy and Healthcare Reform
   Moderator: Ellen Fitzsimmons, Actuary, MMG Insurance Company
   Panelists: David Heppen, Senior Manager, Deloitte Consulting LLP
             Karl Madrecki, Actuary, Blue Cross/Blue Shield Association
             Cori Uccello, Senior Health Fellow, American Academy of Actuaries
             Brian Webb, Manager for Health, Legislation, and Policy, National Association of Insurance Commissioners (NAIC)

5. The Secret Language of Influence—Your Passport to Powerful Persuasion
   Presenter: Dan Seidman, President, Sales Autopsy, Inc.

Also during this time, the following CAS Valuation, Finance, and Investments Committee call papers were presented:

“A Conceptual Proposal to Use Appraisal Value as a Supplementary Basis for Financial Valuation” by Neil Bodoff
   Moderator: Chris Gross, President and CEO, Christopher Gross Consulting, Inc.
   Presenter: Neil Bodoff, Senior Vice President, Willis Re, Inc.

“Banking on Robbery: The Role of Fraud in the Financial Crisis” by Louise Francis
   Moderator: Chris Gross, President and CEO, Christopher Gross Consulting, Inc.
   Presenter: Louise Francis, Consulting Principal, Francis Analytics & Actuarial Data Mining Inc.

After a refreshment break, the following general session was held from 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.:

Update on Federal Insurance Reform
   Moderator: Sean P. McDermott, Director, Consulting Services, Towers Watson
   Panelists: Steve Broadie, Vice President of Financial Policy, Property Casualty Insurers Association of America
             Mary Seidel, Vice President and Director of Federal Affairs, Reinsurance Association of America
             David Snyder, Vice President and Associate General Counsel, American Insurance Association

After the general session, Mr. Hayne encouraged all attendees to complete the online meeting evaluation form and announced upcoming meetings before he adjourned the meeting.
Attendees of the 2010 CAS Annual Meeting

The 2010 CAS Annual Meeting was attended by 544 Fellows, 292 Associates, 2 Affiliates, and Candidates, Subscribers, and other guests. The names of the Fellows, Associates, and Affiliates in attendance follow:

### FELLOWS

- Patrick P. Gallagher
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- Aaron Nicholas Hillebrandt
- Mark R. Hoffmann
- Richard W. Lo
- Sung G. Yim
- David R. Chernick
- Eugene C. Connell
- Jeannie E. Crowell
- Barry A. Franklin
- Margaret Wendy Germani
- Gary R. Josephson
- Leslie R. Marlo
- David L. Menning
- Kenneth Quintilian
- Chester John Szczepanski
- James K. Christie
- Mary Frances Miller
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REPORT OF THE VICE PRESIDENT—ADMINISTRATION

This report provides a one-year summary of Casualty Actuarial Society activities since the 2009 CAS Annual Meeting and is organized into three sections:

- A summary of the past year’s activities as they relate to the four core purposes of the CAS as stated in the CAS Constitution.
- A summary of activities that may not relate to a specific purpose outlined in the Constitution, but that are critical to the ongoing vitality of the CAS.
- Updates on CAS governance, membership statistics, and finances.

CORE CAS ACTIVITIES

1. Advance the body of knowledge of actuarial science applied to property, casualty, and similar risk exposures.

As significant contributors to this goal, CAS publications and research in 2010 covered the wide spectrum of the educational needs of casualty actuaries, from aspiring candidates to seasoned professionals.

Entering its fourth year, the CAS research journal *Variance* continued its commitment to publishing practical articles in actuarial science. In 2010 the *Variance* Editorial Board awarded the *Variance* Prize in 2009 to Yi Jing, Joseph R. Lebens, and Stephen P. Lowe for their paper titled, “Claim Reserving: Performance Testing and the Control Cycle.” The paper is published in *Variance*, Volume 3, Number 2.

The CAS E-Forum and Working Paper site also helped to fulfill this goal. In 2010, the CAS sponsored call paper programs on valuation, finance, and investments; reserves, data management, quality, and technology; and dynamic risk modeling.

In the area of research, the CAS joined The Actuarial Foundation in coproducing an annual competition for research proposals, and contributed $62,000 to help fund TAF grants for five research projects with the potential to benefit the property and casualty field. In total, the CAS committed $100,000 to funded research projects during the year.

Other CAS research activities included funding for the IAAs Discount Rate book and contributing to a request for proposals on Risk of Severe Inflation and Deflation on North American Financial Security Systems and Industries, sponsored by the North American Actuarial Council. In addition, four new research working parties and one new research task force were formed.

2. Establish and maintain standards of qualification for membership.

During 2009-2010, the CAS continued to prepare for the implementation of a new basic education structure in 2011. In designing the new process, it was determined that candidates need only to demonstrate familiarity with some topics, as compared to the master level usually required. Although the CAS will continue to use traditional exams to test knowledge of material that requires in-depth expertise, material that requires knowledge at a familiarity level will be separated and assessed through two self-paced Internet-based courses. The CAS partnered with the American Institute for CPCU/IIA to deliver the courses and is preparing the modules as part of the new system in 2011.

In addition, the CAS released drafts of the syllabi for new Exams 5-9 as well as the topics to be covered by modules. In the new education structure, there will be no significant changes to the VEE requirements and preliminary exams (Exams 1-4). The syllabus drafts were released so that candidates and educators will have a sense of the learning objectives and readings.

In addition to preparing to implement the 2011 basic education system, the CAS continued to prepare to offer the CERA designation. On November 13, 2009, the CAS, SOA and 12 other actuarial organizations across the globe signed a treaty for the purpose of establishing a new enterprise risk management (ERM) designation, designed to promote actuaries in the field of ERM. The credential will be awarded through qualified participating associations and will incorporate and adopt the name CERA, or Chartered Enterprise Risk Analyst. The credential will identify actuaries who meet stringent education requirements in ERM and are governed by a strong code of professional conduct.

While the treaty signing was an important milestone, it only marked the beginning of the process that will eventually allow the CAS to award the CERA credential in the future. Per the treaty, the CERA Review Panel was also formed. The purpose of the Review Panel is to ensure that each treaty organization’s proposed CERA program meets the treaty standards. As each organization applies to become an Award Signatory (i.e., obtains permission to award the CERA designation) it must first be reviewed by this panel, which then makes its recommendation to the CERA Treaty Board.

The process of reviewing applications to become an Award Signatory began with the application of the Institute of Actuaries (U.K.), followed by the Institute of Actuaries of Australia and the CAS. Once the review is completed and the International Board has approved the application, the CAS may begin awarding the CERA designation.

The CAS also continued working towards making its basic education system available to candidates around the world. In December 2009 the CAS hosted a Course on Professionalism (COP) in Beijing, marking the first time that a COP contained additional material created specifically for candidates practicing in China and the surrounding area. Twenty-two candidates registered and attended the course, and it was very well-received.

3. Promote and maintain high standards of conduct and competence of members.

Throughout the years, the CAS’s continuing education programs and the Code of Professional Conduct have successfully fulfilled this core purpose. In 2010, the CAS Board of Directors took this one step further by approving the CAS Continuing Education (CE) Policy at its May 23, 2010, meeting. The new policy should have minimal impact on most current CAS members, as it recognizes existing continuing education requirements from national organizations such as the American Academy of Actuaries and Canadian Institute of Actuaries. For actuaries already obtaining continuing education under those organizations’ systems, the only impact of the new policy should be annual certification of CAS Continuing Education Policy compliance and possibly the need to make the log of continuing education activity available to the CAS for random audit.
The CAS Continuing Education Policy will first apply to actuarial services rendered on or after January 1, 2012. To satisfy the CAS Continuing Education Policy for calendar year 2012, ACAS and FCAS members who provide actuarial services will be required to (1) have satisfied the continuing education requirements established by a national actuarial organization recognized by the policy or (2) have satisfied the pro rata portion (or 50%) of the standard cycle requirements outlined in Section C of the Policy as of December 31, 2011. Members will be required to attest to their compliance with the CAS Continuing Education Policy beginning as of December 31, 2011.

The CAS provides members with educational opportunities through the publication of actuarial materials and the sponsorship of meetings and seminars. This past year’s education programs included the following:

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In addition to these major programs:

- Three limited-attendance seminars were conducted in 2010 titled, “Introduction to Enterprise Risk Management” (online course), “Predictive Modeling,” and “Reserve Variability.”
- One workshop on general business skills was offered at the 2010 Annual Meeting titled, “Speed Networking.”
- Webcasts from the 2010 Spring and Annual Meetings were provided.
- Six Courses on Professionalism were held in North America and one was held in Asia.

The variety and number of these offerings represent an ongoing expansion of education services, to respond to members’ demand for high-quality, affordable continuing education opportunities. The online University of CAS (UCAS) also increased its offerings to CAS members of inexpensive online access to CAS recordings of educational sessions from past CAS meetings and seminars.

4. **Increase the awareness of actuarial science.**

The CAS undertook or participated in a number of communication initiatives designed to increase public awareness of the profession.

- **Press Releases**
  The CAS issued 12 press releases during 2010 in an effort to inform non-actuaries about CAS programs and initiatives.
- **Career Encouragement**
  The CAS continued to participate jointly with the Society of Actuaries in programs that encourage promising students to consider a career as an actuary, with one specific objective being to increase diversity. The CAS is responsible for administration of the Be An Actuary Web Site as part of these objectives.
- **Scholarships**
  The CAS Trust Scholarship Program awarded one $2,000 scholarship to a deserving student for the 2010-2011 academic year. The CAS Trust also administered the Harold W. Schloss Memorial Scholarship Fund in conjunction with the University of Iowa.

### OTHER ACTIVITIES

Other CAS activities contributed to the ongoing vitality of the organization during 2010.

- **Above and Beyond Achievement Awards**
  The CAS awarded the 2010 Above and Beyond Achievement Award (ABAA) to Joanne Spalla, who was recognized for her contributions to the CAS Leadership Development Committee. The ABAA recognizes noteworthy volunteer accomplishments occurring within the past two years.
Governance

Patricia Teufel was elected President-Elect for 2010–2011. CAS Fellows also elected Jeanne Swanson Crowell, C.K. “Stan” Khury, Andrew Kudera, and Ronald Kozlowski to the CAS Board of Directors. Ralph S. Blanchard assumed the Presidency. As Immediate Past President, Roger M. Hayne moved to Chair of the Board of Directors. Also in 2010, Morton Lane, Kathryn Morgan, and Richard Delaney were reappointed to serve on the Board.

The following members were elected or re-elected by the Board to serve as vice presidents: Leslie Marlo, Vice President-Administration; David Menning, Vice President-Admissions; Barry Franklin, Vice President-ERM; Kris D. DeFrain, Vice President-International; Nancy Braithwaite, Vice President-Marketing & Communications; Chet Szczepanski, Vice President-Professional Education; and Louise Francis, Vice President-Research & Development. The Vice Presidents serve on the Executive Council of the CAS, along with CAS Executive Director Cynthia Ziegler, and the President and President-Elect.

Also in 2010, the CAS Policy Manual became accessible to members on the CAS Web Site. The CAS Policy Manual is a user-friendly, searchable interface that shows all CAS Policy Statements along with their issue dates and functional areas. Topics cover numerous subjects from advertising to waivers.

Membership Statistics

Membership growth continued with 298 new Associates, and 213 new Fellows, including three new Fellows via mutual recognition agreements with other actuarial organizations. The total number of members as of November 10, 2010 is 5,417, up approximately five and one half percent from the previous year.

Financial Status

The CPA firm LarsonAllen examined the CAS financial records for fiscal year 2010 and the CAS Audit Committee reported the firm’s findings to the CAS Board of Directors in March 2011. The fiscal year ended with an audited net gain of $843,651 compared to budgeted net gain of $247,989.

The CAS surplus now stands at $4,810,728. This represents an increase in surplus of $736,228 over the amount reported last year. In addition to the net income from operations of $427,771, there was interest and dividend revenue of $162,981, a realized gain of $974, and an unrealized gain of $251,925. There was a total net increase of $107,423 in various research, prize, and scholarship accounts (including the CAS Trust). Total Members’ Equity (CAS surplus plus non-surplus accounts) now stands at $5,809,459, an overall increase of $843,651 over last year.

For 2011–2012, the CAS Board of Directors has approved a budget of approximately $9.1 million. Members’ dues are $440, representing an increase of $10. The financial statements are attached to this report.

Respectfully submitted,

Leslie Marlo

Vice President-Administration
### Financial Report

**FISCAL YEAR ENDED 9/30/2010**

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Interest and Dividend Revenue: 162,981

Realized Gain/(Loss) on Marketable Securities: 974

Unrealized Gain/(Loss) on Marketable Securities: 251,925

**TOTAL NET INCOME (LOSS)**: $843,651

Note: (a) Includes $2,881,041 of Volunteer Services for income and expense (SFAS 116).

### Balance Sheet

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Matthew Eric Petro  
Robert V. Philipp  
Douglas E. Pirlle  
Ashley S. Pistole  
Amanda E. Popham  
Matthew Ryan Pundy  
Wenli Qiao  
Olivier Elie Quesnel  
Joseph David Raikstad  
Justin Taylor Ramsey  
Nanxia Yao  
Christina Michele Reich  
Ashley Arlene Relel  
Cheryl Lynn Roberts  
Alexander Robert Rosteck  
Jeffrey N. Roth  
Lindsay Aarson Roy  
Lydia Roy  
Sean A. Ruegg  
Nathan E. Rule  
Julia Mething Ryan  
Elizabeth Asher Sanders  
Kareem Ahmed Sandil  
Jonathan R. Sappington  
Brett Andrew Saturens  
Amy Beth Green Sayegh  
Adam Koloman Scarcit  
Jennifer Rae Schwartz  
Shayan Sen  
Dany Simard  
Jean-Philippe Simon  
Heidi Leigh Sjoberg  
Peter Felix Skerl  
Taralyn Slussarski  
Jeremy C. Smith  
Kunkook Son  
Jared Wallace Steinke  
Katherine Stelzner  
Stephen R. Sten  
Ping Su  
Xiao Shu Su  
Heidi Joy Sullivan  
Kelly Aline Sullivan  
Kevin M. Sullivan  
Sean Patrick Sullivan  
Xiaowei Sun  
Xiaoyu Sun  
Laura Lucy Sutter  
Timothy Delmar Sweetser  
Kuan Shuan Helen Tai  
Dan Omer Tevet  
Alyssa Thao  
Thomas J. Thornburgh  
Pierre Charles Tiani Kieu  
Kyle W. Tompkins  
Casey Ann Tozzia  
Donald K. Treazor, Jr.  
Matthew W. Trost  
Chee Lin Tung  
Katherine Anne Vacura  
Karen L. Van Cleave  
Andrew Vega  
Evgeni Venkov  
Chinatsu H. Vergara  
Pierre-Olivier Vincent  
Oleg Voloshyn  
Hao Wang  
Jiacheng Wang  
Jing Guan Wang  
Qing Janet Wang  
Darren Russell Weidner  
Katherine Therese Werner  
Chad P. Wilson  
Marily Ashy Wilson  
Jonathan B. Winn  
Shawn A. Wright  
Sandy Wu  
Xi Wu  
Xingzi Wu  
Lin Xing  
Jiangtuo Xiong  
Gang Richard Xu  
Yuchen Xu  
Yun Xu  
Joanne Yamine  
Chuan Yan  
Fang (Alice) Yang  
Stefanie M. Zacchera  
Virginia M. Zeigler  
Fanyu Zeng  
Lingang Zhang  
Rui Zhang  
Adolphe Emery Zielinski  
Wenchao Zong
New Fellows Admitted in May 2010

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Row 1, (left to right): Trintin Chad Glenn, Ryan Andrew McAllister, Ryan Nolan Voge, Surender S. Sodhon, Haiyan Pan, Ping Yang, Anping Wang (FCAS 2009), Jennifer M. Kubit.

Row 2, (left to right): CAS President Roger Hayne, Dominique Howard Yarnell, Scott D. Hornyak (FCAS 2009), Jason Edward Abril, Ross H. Anderson, John Frank Thomas, Simon Alexandre Séguin, Raisa Zarkhin, Étienne Plante-Dube, Russel W. Oslund (FCAS 2009).

Row 1, (left to right): Stephen R. Prevatt, Zachary J. Martin (FCAS 2009), Andrew J. Evans, Richard Carl Sutherland, Stephanie Elizabeth Russell, Amber L. Bentley, Angelina Marie Anliker, Anne Elizabeth Youngers.


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Row 2, (left to right): CAS President Roger Hayne, Zhihui Bian, William Paul Borgen, Samantha Lynn Nieveen, Nanxue Rao, Leah Zarbano, Xiaoye (Michelle) Cui, David Langlois, Ryan D. Dunkel, Joseph Nemet III, Xiaoying (Jenny) Yi.

Row 3, (left to right): Mark Taber, Robert Michael Baron, Alexander J. Turrell, Christopher J. Knauer, Grant C. Owens, Nathan David Bailey, Matthew L. Antol, Kwame Akil Davis, Kishen Patel, Gregory Raymond Moyer.
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Row 3, (left to right): Justin Miles Morgan, Hemanth Kumar Thota, Sergei A. Panafidin, Michael Brandon McPhail, Walter T. Matthews, Jessica Johns Goulet, Dan Omner Tevet, Ashley Arlene Reller.

New Fellows Admitted in November 2010

NEW FELLOWS ADMITTED IN NOVEMBER 2010

Row 1, (left to right): Xuan Yang, Sandra Jean Callanan, Roselyn Mansa Abbiw-Jackson, John Stephen Bogaardt, Kai He, Erin Page Bellott, Elizabeth Mary Cashman, Jennifer L. Abel.

Row 2, (left to right): Christina Marie Boglarski, James Kelly Burns, Martin Birkenheier, CAS President Roger M. Hayne, Ting Yu, Matthew L. Antol, Aadil A. Ahmad.

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Row 2, (left to right): Christopher K. McCulloch, Jade D’Orsi, Dane Grand-Maison, Kristen Marie Gilpin, CAS President Roger M. Hayne, Michael Alan Donnelly, Jerome Dube, Kristen Gervais-Andrade.

Row 3, (left to right): Benjamin Ellis Crabtree, Amy Michele Fournier, Kathleen Jean Gunnery, Timothy David Conrad, Mark Allen Florenz, Gregory Matthew Fanoe, Rocklyn Tee Alshuler, Guillaume Chaput, Thomas Patrick Heise.
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Row 2, (left to right): Derek M. Lanoue, Benjamin Jerome Kimmons, Keith Patrick Kwiatkowski, Stephen Paul Heagy II, CAS President Roger M. Hayne, Tighe Christian Grovetti, Yuting Fan, Kevin Dennis Kelly.

Row 3, (left to right): Meyer Tedde Lehman, Camilo Mohipp, Derek Matthew Holmes, Jason Smith, Chia-Han (Jerry) Hsieh, Rebecca Heather Holnagel, Jonelle Leigh Graziani, Kristen Goodrich.
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Row 1, (left to right): Cedric Pilon, Mathieu Picard, Krista Robinson, Rong Lin, Anthony Salido, Felix Patry, Akshar Girishbhai Gohil, Li Ling Lin.

Row 2, (left to right): Hui Wang, Victor Maximillian C. Victoriano, Kathleen Suzanne Ores Walsh, Guixiang Wang, CAS President Roger M. Hayne, Anna Marie Wetterhus, Karen A. Scott, Renée Marie McGovern.

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Row 2, (left to right): Sharon Denise Mott, Lovely G. Pathenveetil, Thomas Michael Whitcomb, CAS President Roger M. Hayne, Wei Xie, Adam Kevin Niebrugge, Houston Hau-Shing Cheng.

Row 3, (left to right): Lin Xia, Stephanie Carrier, Olivier Lafrance, John Christopher Sadloske, Aaron Marshall Wilson, Todd Richard Rio, Ann Marie Smith, David Langlois.
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Row 1, (left to right): Chantal Gagne, Gena P. Rhee, Ying Li, Lily Giraldo, Jonathan Matthew Schreck, Queenie Wing Kan Tsang, Yiping Stella Shi, Carol M. Sorenson.

Row 2, (left to right): Kevin D. Staples, Ryan David Hartman, Sebastien St-Louis, CAS President Roger M. Hayne, Etienne Thibault, Kelly Marie Mattheisz, Ashley Brooke Lowenberg.

New Associates Admitted in November 2010

Row 1, (left to right): Karen Kam On Chang, Dea Kondi, Mariana Radeva Kotzev, Kagabo E. Ngiruwoonsanga, Xiaohan Fang, Wenli Qiao, Robert Vincent Spencer, Timothy Delmar Sweetser.

Row 2, (left to right): Shayan Sen, Kam Sang So, Marcela Granados, Boi Ning Tan, CAS President Roger M. Hayne, Benjamin James Lynch, Zachary M. Kramer, Yee Ting Lois She-Torn, Matthew E. May.

Row 3, (left to right): Easter H. Namkung, Christopher Timothy Rhodes, Molly Catherine Ingoldsby, Nicholas Joseph LaPenta, Jeffrey Grant Kinsey, Scott P. Key, Jason D. Stabbs, Ronald S. Rees.
Row 1, (left to right): Xiangyu Cheng, Qi Huang, Dara Marlene Seidler, Jennifer L. Nicklay, Thomas Samuel Lauren, Eva M. Suto, David Christian Beek, Alvin Kwong.

Row 2, (left to right): Phillip F. Schiavone, Michael Bordeleau-Tassile, Yali Li, Keyang Luo, CAS President Roger M. Hayne, Patrick Timothy Hyland, Christopher B. Martin, Jing Li.

Row 3, (left to right): Ronald S. Lettowsky, Chien Che Huang, Brett E. Myers, Christopher Allard, Steven M. Kendrick, Shannon M. Katzmayr, Mallika Kasturirangan, Courtney L. Lehman.
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ROW 2, (left to right): Liana Martuccio, Krystal A. Mathewson, Heidi Marie Holti, Rongfang Ji, CAS President Roger M. Hayne, Ya Jia, Annie On Yee Wong, Gabriel John Silvasti, Michelle Lynn Iarkowski.

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Row 2, (left to right): Darci Rae Earhart, Joel Christopher Griffith, Rebecca Wing Yee Chow, Cristina Ravineala, Kathryn Marie Rokusz, CAS President Roger M. Hayne, Elizabeth M. Mauro, Amy Beth Green Sayegh, David Govonlu.

Row 3, (left to right): Minesh Kumar Patel, Christopher Don Maloy, Laura A. Stevens, Alexander Robert Rosteck, Anthony M. Milano, Dede Amadou M. Ba, Kevin A. Groom, Ray Yau Kui Heo.
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Row 2, (left to right): Peter Kingsley Robson, Isaac Lee, John M. Gilbert, CAS President Roger M. Hayne, Jennifer Lee Beers, Taralyn Slusarski, Mary Elizabeth Daly, Lauren Barozie.
Row 3, (left to right): Adam Michael Gerdes, Yanqing Li, Kevin Hughes, Moshe Kohman, Richard Garvin Day, Brandon Lee Basken, Michael Scot Young, Christopher J. Enlund.
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Row 2, (left to right): Paul Pelock, Andrew Vega, Brandon John Buss, Yi Feng, CAS President Roger M. Hayne, Caroline Emily Cygnar, Xiaowei Sun, Anna Liu, Daniel J. Gieske.

Row 3, (left to right): Li Zeng, Elizabeth Asher Sanders, Brett Andrew Saternus, Michael Robert Scarpitti, Wade Daniluk, Michael J. Wittmann, Adam B. Tyner
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Row 2, (left to right): Karl Veilleux, Claude Nadeau, Michael Steven Goldman, Wei Gao, CAS President Roger M. Hayne, Pascal Vincent, Gregory Vincent Martain, Bo Yan, Colleen A. Cornell.

Row 3, (left to right): Cheryl Lynn Roberts, Audrey Lynn Thompson, Samantha M. Taylor, Cong Wang, Eric Chan, Simon Tam, Zachery Michael Ziegler, Phillip Charles Cooper, Vincent Coulombe.
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ROW 2, (LEFT TO RIGHT): Ryan Bransford Thomas, Christina Contento, Andrew M. Cheng, Michael Rice Cenzer, CAS President Roger M. Hayne, Gabriel T. Coon, Kelly Ann Bellitti, Grace D. Cabading.
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Row 2, (left to right): George M. Belokas, Zachary Ballweg, David Burack, Lin Xing, CAS President Roger M. Hayne, Scott Nelson Applequist, Benjamin James Villnow, Peter F. Soulen.

Rafal Jan Balcarek
Loring Montgomery Barker
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Francis J. "Frank" Hope
Dennis J. Loper
Daniel McNamara
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Robert "Gus" Oien
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LeRoy Simon
David G. Walker
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Rafal Jan Balcarek
1924-2010

Rafal Balcarek, of Cherry Hill, New Jersey, died on August 28, 2010, at the age of 86.

Rafal was born in Poland on August 3, 1924. He was fifteen years old when Germany invaded western Poland in September 1939. Soon after the invasion, able-bodied men were drafted into the German army or put into work camps. Rafal was put into a work camp, from which he escaped in 1940. It took him three years to make his way across Europe to Lisbon, where he obtained papers and passage on a ship to England. When he arrived in London in 1943, he joined the Polish Army that was forming in England, and fought in France under the British flag, serving as a motorcycle dispatch driver.

He met his future wife Doreen when he was in London serving in the army, at a wedding in which one of his friends married one of her friends. After the war, he won a scholarship to London University, School of Economics, and graduated in 1952. He and Doreen married in 1953.

In 1956, Rafal, with Doreen and their baby, came to the United States, where he was employed by Standard Accident Insurance Company in Detroit. He became an Associate of the Casualty Actuarial Society in 1959 and a Fellow in 1962. When his employer merged with Reliance in 1963, he relocated to Philadelphia. He worked for Reliance until he retired in 1983.

He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Doreen (nee Sadler), his daughter Joanna Maria McMorris of Bala Cynwyd, Pennsylvania, and his son Richard John Balcarek of South Easton, Massachusetts. His grandchildren are Elizabeth, Colin, Marissa, and Tate. His brother and sister, Zygmunt and Gertrude, live in Poland.
Loring Montgomery Barker
1918-2009

Loring M. Barker, called Jim, died on December 31, 2009, at the age of 91. He was born on July 1, 1918, and grew up in Berkeley, California. He graduated from the University of California-Berkeley. After obtaining his degree, he became an actuary for Fireman’s Fund Insurance Company. He became an Associate of the Casualty Actuarial Society in 1946 and a Fellow in 1947.

Jim married Judy Warren in 1950. They lived in Oakland and Piedmont and had four children: Cathy, Linda, Loring, and Ken. He was a devoted husband and father, and loved to explore the California’s Bay Area and the West with his family. After he retired, he and Judy traveled extensively. They moved to Albany in 1966. His death followed only a few months after that of his wife Judy. He is survived by his sister Jean Matthaei, his four children, six grandchildren, and many friends.

Robert F. Bartik
1927-2010

Robert (Bob) F. Bartik, 82, passed away at his home in Panama City Beach, Florida, on May 16, 2010. Born June 4, 1927, in Cicero, Illinois, he graduated from Morton High School in January 1945 and immediately joined the Navy. After the war, he attended the University of Illinois on the GI Bill and received a bachelor’s degree in statistical economics in 1951. He married Evelyn Kotowski of Chicago in 1949, and they were married for 61 years. The Bartiks lived in Mundelein, Wauconda, and Lake Zurich, Illinois, before permanently moving to Florida.

Mr. Bartik was inducted as a Fellow of the Casualty Actuarial Society on November 10, 1972. He worked for Remington Rand, then Kemper Insurance in Chicago and Lake Zurich as an actuary until he retired in 1989. He is survived by his wife Evelyn and their five children, Karen, Steve, Susie Thomas, Dave, and Marcia. He has five grandchildren, Shane, Kaitlin, Marcel, Becky, Mariah and Zoe, and one great-grandchild, Garrick. He is also survived by his brother Edward in Missouri.

Mr. Bartik loved technology and, in 1981, was one of the first to own a TRS80 computer. He was an avid bridge player and a fan of Cubs baseball, Big Ten sports, and UConn Huskies women’s basketball. He was also an advocate of Title Nine before it ever became law. He valued a college education; all five of his grandchildren have graduated or are pursuing a degree. In retirement he loved to travel annually to New England for the fall colors and work his way south to the Florida Gulf coast for the winter. A celebration of his life was held on May 21, 2010, on his beloved white sand shore in Fort Walton Beach.
Myron Leo “Butch” Dye, of Spicewood, Texas, died peacefully on Dec. 8, 2009, after a 15-month battle with brain cancer. With him were his long-time friend and wife Emily Yeager, his daughters, his sister, and his two brothers.

Born in San Antonio on May 27, 1954, Butch, 55, got his nickname from his maternal grandfather, who didn’t “cotton to” calling him Myron or Leo. The nickname stuck—and even made it onto his business cards, ahead of the professional designations of FCAS, MAAA, CPCU, and senior vice president and chief actuary for USAA.

Although short, small and slow in his early high school days, Butch was an enthusiastic member of football and baseball teams for San Antonio’s MacArthur High School Brahmas.

After he graduated from high school in 1972, he went on to attend Princeton University, where he was a member of the Cottage Club, and he earned a Bachelor of Science degree in statistics in 1976.

Shortly after graduation, Butch became an actuary for USAA, where he worked for 33 years. Butch loved being with his daughters, Lindsay Alayne and Hannah Elizabeth, teaching, mentoring, and supporting them, and he put their interests first in his life.

Butch also was a popular teacher and mentor to his coworkers. His love for sports continued on many post-college softball teams—especially those with USAA. And he loved combining his passions for statistics and golf. Butch was a big fan of the San Antonio Spurs basketball team, and he held season tickets for over 30 years. He was a devoted follower of UT Austin’s Longhorn football and baseball teams.

He was a Fellow of the Casualty Actuarial Society, a Member of the American Academy of Actuaries, and a Chartered Property Casualty Underwriter. He served on boards of directors of the Insurance Institute for Highway Safety and the Highway Loss Data Institute, and was an Advisor for the UT Austin Actuarial Sciences Program.

Butch was preceded in death by his daughter, Courtney Michelle, in 1982; his mother, Thais R. “Tye” Dye in 1999; and the stepfather who adopted and raised him, Charles W. Dye, in 1997. His granddaughter, Ryleigh Michelle Cummings, passed away in 2009. Survivors include his wife Emily; his daughters Lindsay and Hannah; his sister Patrice Berglund of Laporte, Colorado; his brother David and Tara Dye, his daughters Madisen and Allysen of San Antonio; his brother Randall Dye of Lake Chapala, Mexico; and his stepchildren Kathryn Yeager and Russell Yeager.

His family described him as one who loved his family, life, golf, and statistics in approximately that order.

Francis J. “Frank” Hope, 93, died on December 29, 2010, at his home in Manchester, Connecticut. Frank was born March 25, 1917, and grew up in Wethersfield, Connecticut, the son of Joseph M. and Alice V. (Connor) Hope. He graduated from Trinity College, and served in the Army Air Corps during World War II. Frank was Chief Actuary with the Hartford Insurance Co. and retired in 1975, after 35 years of service.

During his retirement he enjoyed his true passion—golf—which he especially enjoyed playing in Connecticut and Venice, Florida.

Mr. Hope became a CAS Associate in 1949 and a CAS Fellow the following year. He served on the CAS Education and Examination Committee (1967-1969), Committee on Sites (1968-1970), and the Committee on Development of Papers (1964), which peer reviewed scientific papers published in the Proceedings of the Casualty Actuarial Society. In 1967 the CAS published Mr. Hope’s reviews of two Proceedings papers: “Reserving for Retrospective Returns” (PCAS 1966) and “Schedule P on a Calendar/Accident Year Basis” (PCAS 1967).

Mr. Hope is survived by his nieces and nephews; James Golden of Vernon, Connecticut; Mary Ann Schweitzer of Coventry, Connecticut; Robert Hope of Tolland, Connecticut; Alice Blakely of Arlington, Texas; Terri Cooke of Lake Wales, Florida; Kathryn Handley of Plymouth, Massachusetts; John Golden of Fairfax, Virginia; Francis Golden of Waxhaw, North Carolina; Kathleen Spier of Somerville, Massachusetts; Timothy Golden of Longmeadow, Massachusetts; Duncan Schweitzer of Ledyard, Connecticut; and Kathleen Burgess of Jamestown, Rhode Island. Besides his parents, Frank was predeceased by his sisters Anne Golden, Kathleen Schweitzer, and Margaret Vincent; his brothers Duncan and John Hope; and his brother-in-law and golfing buddy, John J. Golden.
Obituaries

**Dennis J. Loper**

1957-2010

Dennis Loper died on January 5, 2010, at age 52, after collapsing at the end of a five-mile race on New Year’s Day.

He was born on June 4, 1957, in Milwaukee, the son of Donald and Kathleen Loper. He graduated from Nathan Hale High School in West Allis and earned bachelor’s degrees in actuarial science and risk and insurance from the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

He was married to Rita Stengl on September 26, 1981. He began his career at CUNA Mutual in Madison and went on to work at Allstate Insurance in Northbrook, Illinois. Mr. Loper joined the American Family Mutual Insurance Company’s Controller Division in 1989 as a staff actuary. He was later promoted to chief actuary. In 2002, he was named director of loss reserving and product analysis, assuming responsibility for financial analysis of the product lines. In 2006, he was elected vice president of property and casualty loss reserving. He was a Fellow of the Casualty Actuarial Society and a member of the American Academy of Actuaries.

He is survived by his wife Rita and their four children, Becky, Alita, Patrick, and Michael; his parents, Donald and Kathleen Loper; and his siblings Don, Jean, Susan, and Cindy.

**Daniel J. McNamara**

1928-2010

Daniel McNamara died on January 12, 2010, in Pompton Plains, New Jersey. He was the husband of the late Patricia McNamara, and father of Joseph, Daniel, Patricia, and Jean, and had thirteen grandchildren.

His 35-year career in the insurance industry began in 1953 in the actuarial department of the National Bureau of Casualty Underwriters. Mr. McNamara earned his CAS Fellowship in 1962, and in 1968 he joined Chubb and Son as vice president and actuary. In 1971, he became president of ISO. He served as president of ISO for 17 years, from ISO’s inception in 1971 to his retirement in 1988. He also served as president of the American Academy of Actuaries from 1974-1975.

From 1964 through 1987, Mr. McNamara was very active in the CAS, serving on various committees concerning CAS publications and professionalism. From 1969 to 1970 he served as CAS president. In his presidential address to CAS members, delivered in November 1970, Mr. McNamara reflected on the state of the actuarial profession and the nature of insurance:

> As we enter the last thirty years of the Twentieth Century, any remaining isolationism of the property-liability insurance business from the economy of the country is a historic shadow. The business of insurance is inextricably involved in the social and the economic pressures of our time. We have only to glance at or hear the headlines of the communication media to realize that society’s problems are our problems. The breakdown of law and order, inflation, urban decay, the proliferation of natural and man-made disasters have made our business most sensitive to its environment.

During his tenure as president, the very first CAS member newsletter, *The Actuarial Review*, was launched in March 1970. In that first typewritten newsletter, Mr. McNamara encouraged members to take a more active interest in Society affairs. “It is only through such participation,” wrote McNamara, “that our profession and your Society can maintain and enhance its stature.”

**Robert L. Miller**

1964–2008

Robert L. Miller died November 30, 2008, at his residence in Faribault, Minnesota. He was 44.

Born November 9, 1964, in Owatonna, the son of Bernard and Betty (Riesing) Miller, Mr. Miller graduated from Owatonna High School in 1983. He then attended and graduated from the University of Minnesota with a bachelor’s degree in mathematics. He moved to Chicago, where he worked as an actuary for CNA Insurance. He became a CAS Associate in 1990 and in 1991 moved to Bermuda, where he worked for Centre Solutions. He earned his CAS Fellowship in 1994. In 2001 he moved to Faribault and made his home on Cedar Lake.

Mr. Miller was a canoeing and biking enthusiast and was a follower of the Minnesota Twins. He enjoyed playing guitar and piano and writing his own music. He loved traveling and playing games with his nephews and nieces.

He is survived by two brothers, Mike (and Jeana) Miller of Winona; Don (and Nikki) Miller of Owatonna; and a sister, Brenda (and Bruce) Martell of Somerset, Wisconsin. He is also survived by seven nephews and nieces. He was preceded in death by his parents.
Robert J. Myers, 97, an actuary who helped to create the Social Security program and to set America’s official retirement age at 65, died February 13, 2010, at his home in Silver Spring, Maryland. His actuarial expertise was also instrumental in developing legislation on disability insurance, Medicare, and Social Security for the self-employed.

Robert Julius Myers was born in Lancaster, Pennsylvania, on October 31, 1912, the son of Laurence B. Myers and Edith Hirsh Myers. He graduated from Lehigh University in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania.

In 1934, after earning a master’s degree in actuarial science from the University of Iowa, he moved back to Philadelphia and then landed a temporary job in Washington, DC, for a junior actuary with the Committee on Economic Security, which would later become the Social Security Administration. The Committee was set up during the worst of the Great Depression by the Roosevelt Administration with the aim to configure the first comprehensive social insurance program in the United States. The job that was supposed to last only six weeks ended up shaping Mr. Myers’ career over many decades.

Congress and the Roosevelt administration wanted the social insurance program to be a self-supporting entity funded entirely by payroll taxes and investment income. Mr. Myers was tasked with determining the age at which people should stop working and start drawing benefits, to make the system pay for itself.

The year 1934 would also be an important one in the personal life of Mr. Myers. After moving to Washington, he took up residence at the YMCA. It was at a social gathering with YWCA residents that he met his wife Ruth “Rudy” McCoy. The couple married in 1938 and had two sons.

Mr. Myers became a CAS Associate in 1937 and a Fellow in 1959. The author of five books and more than 900 articles on the Social Security program, Mr. Myers also wrote several papers for the Proceedings of the CAS including “An Analysis of Prepayment Discounts” (1941), “Further Remarriage Experience” (1949), and “OASDI Cost Estimates and Valuations” (1959). He also reviewed the paper “Funding Theories of Social Insurance” (1969) and chaired the CAS Committee on Social Insurance (1964 to 1967).

Mr. Myers served as the chief actuary for the Social Security Administration beginning in 1947. In 1970 he left the post that defined his career, resigning in protest because he deemed the government’s plans for the agency dangerous and fiscally unsound. Mr. Myers returned to Social Security in 1982, serving as its deputy commissioner under President Reagan. The following year, he once again resigned in protest, this time because he thought proposed program changes would penalize the poor.

He continued his work with Social Security in 1983, becoming executive director of the National Commission on Social Security Reform. Led by Alan Greenspan, this bipartisan body was tasked with correcting a severe deficit in the program, brought on by the weak economy of the 1970s.

After he retired, he consulted on social insurance systems for foreign governments. While on assignment in 1983 on the island of Granada, he and his wife were caught up in the turmoil of that country’s military coup. The couple was able to leave on a charter plane to St. Lucia.

Well into his later years, Mr. Myers continued to speak and write about Social Security, a fiercely debated political issue. In an interview in 1996, Mr. Myers said that Social Security was never meant to be the sole means of support for the retired. “People should do something for themselves on top of this basic floor. By the same token, I don’t think this basic floor should be destroyed by people opting out or privatizing out of it.”

In 1994 the American Academy of Actuaries created the Robert J. Myers Public Service Award to recognize Mr. Myers’ many years of extraordinary public service. The Myers Award honors an actuary for a single noteworthy public service achievement or a career devoted to public service.

Mr. Myers is survived by his sons Jonathan Myers of Philadelphia and Eric Myers of Wheaton, Illinois; three grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren. His wife died in 1995.
Robert “Gus” Oien
died on February 15. He was 86.

Born July 7, 1923, Mr. Oien helped define the actuarial profession in the 1960s, working in the Casualty Actuarial Society and such companies as Mutual Service (MSI) and The St. Paul Companies. Realistic, but never cynical, Mr. Oien was also described as an easy man to like yet a hard man to get to know.

During WWII he was a flight navigator on 35 combat missions and remained conscious of the plight of those bombed. He loved horse racing as it reactivated his world of probabilities and statistics.


He was a devoted husband who cared for his wife when she became ill. He suffered with Parkinson’s but didn’t let the disease make him give up.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Beverly (Kotilinek), and is survived by two children, Andrea (Harold Rochat, deceased) and Gregory (Arlene); four grandchildren; and one great-grandchild. The family requested that memorial donations be sent to Fairview Home Care and Hospice or the American Civil Liberties Union.

Phillip J. Panther, 44, formerly of Iowa City, died Wednesday, November 10, 2010, in Hinsdale, Illinois, of a sudden cardiac arrhythmia. He was 44 years old.

Phillip was born October 19, 1966, in Iowa City, the son of Bob and Sherrie (Nolan) Panther. He attended public grade schools in Milwaukee and Iowa City, and was a 1985 graduate of Regina High School. Phillip attended UNI and graduated in 1990 from the University of Iowa, with a degree in mathematical science.

Phillip lived in Phoenix for ten years, where he was employed by Scottsdale and Farmers Insurance Companies. He then moved to Hollywood, California, where he was an actuary for Farmers. In 2002, Phillip moved to Chicago, and was employed by Fireman’s Fund Insurance Company.

On June 13, 2004, Phillip married Jill Breuer in Chicago. Immediately following their wedding, Phillip and Jill moved to London. Even being far from the states, Phillip made it a point to call his parents and friends on a daily basis, and provided a warm welcome to everyone who came to visit. When they returned to the U.S., they were blessed with Gabriella Rose (February 23, 2007) and Alexis Tatum (September 25, 2008). The family moved from downtown Chicago to Hinsdale in 2009.

Phillip loved adventure and had an incredible love for life. He loved travel, scuba diving, and being with family and friends. Above all, Phillip loved his wife and girls, Jill, Gabby, and Lexi. His family is a beautiful testament to the love that Phillip shared so openly with everyone who knew him in his life.

Phillip is survived by his loving wife and daughters, his parents Bob and Sherrie Panther of Iowa City; his brother Paul and sister Devon, both of Phoenix; his in-laws Gary and Phyllis Breuer of Waukesha, Wisconsin; brother-in-law Corey Breuer of Seattle, WA; sister-in-law Gina Breuer of Chicago; and many aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews and friends.

Phillip was preceded in death by his grandparents, Adrian and Margaret Panther and Paul and Una Nolan.
Richard J. Roth Sr.
1919-2010

Richard J. Roth, Sr., died on April 9, 2010, of heart failure at his home in Northbrook, Illinois. He was 90 years old.

He was born on August 14, 1919, in Chicago. He attended Northwestern University and graduated Phi Beta Kappa in 1941 with a degree in economics. He was a member of Alpha Delta Phi fraternity.

Mr. Roth served in the Army Air Corps during World War II as a professional meteorologist, having received his meteorological training at MIT.

After the war, he started the Crop Hail Insurance Actuarial Association in Chicago, which provided statistical and actuarial data to the insurance companies that insured corn and tobacco crops from hail damage.

He became a CAS Associate in 1960 and a Fellow in 1966. Throughout the years, Mr. Roth served the CAS on several committees, including the Committee on Professional Conduct, the International Relations Committee, the Long Range Planning Committee, and several research committees. Mr. Roth also contributed to actuarial literature, writing various papers and articles, including “The Rating of Crop-Hail Insurance” (Proceedings of the CAS 1960), “Observations on the California Proposition 103 Debate Over Profitability and Surplus” (CAS Forum, Spring 1992), and “Analysis of Surplus and Rate of Return Without Using Leverage Ratios” (1992 CAS Discussion Paper Program). In 2006, he and his son, Richard J. Roth, Jr., were recognized for their service to the CAS, receiving the Matthew Rodermund Service Award. They were the first and only father-son duo to do so.

From 1960 to 1994, he worked as the professional insurance actuary for the Travelers Insurance Company in Hartford, the AIG companies in New York, the Great American Insurance Company in Los Angeles, and finally the CNA Insurance Company in Chicago, where he retired.

He had five children: Richard Jr. of Huntington Beach, California; Alex of Natick, Massachusetts; Regina and Michael of Glenview, Illinois; and Nancy of Brookline, New Hampshire. He had two stepchildren: Leslie Fryxell of Little Rock, Arkansas, and Lori Dildy of Round Lake, Illinois.

Gordon L. Scott
1948-2010

Gordon L. Scott, FSA, MAAA, FCAS, died September 29, 2010, in Golden, Colorado. He was 61.

He was born in Holyoke, Colorado, on November 13, 1948, and grew up in eastern Colorado. He put himself through college working at local grocery stores. He earned an associate degree in physics from Northeastern Junior College in Sterling, Colorado, and bachelor’s and master’s degrees in mathematics from Colorado State University in Fort Collins. From 1971 until 1976, Scott served with the Sterling Unit of the Army National Guard.

Mr. Scott became a Fellow of the Society of Actuaries in 1978 and a member of the Casualty Actuarial Society in 1993, skipping the Associate designation and becoming a Fellow. He served as a member of the CAS Examination Committee from 1994 to 1996. He retired as senior vice president of finance from Western Farm Bureau Life Insurance and its affiliated companies.

He is survived by Patricia, his wife of 36 years, his brothers Roger (Sandee) Scott of Temecula, California, and Robert (Myrna) Barnes of San Diego, California; and his best buddy, Cosmos.
LeRoy Simon
1924-2010

LeRoy Simon, 85, died on March 18, 2010. LeRoy was born November 19, 1924, in St. Paul, Minnesota, and lived in Morristown, New Jersey, for 36 years. He attended the University of Minnesota, where he earned his bachelor's degree in mathematics in 1948 and his master's in statistics in 1949. He was a veteran of World War II and served in the Pacific as a navigator for the Army Air Corps.

Mr. Simon began his actuarial career in 1949 at Mutual Service Insurance Companies in St. Paul. He moved to the Insurance Company of North America in Philadelphia in 1957. For six years, from 1965 to 1971, he was the general manager of the National Insurance Actuarial and Statistical Association, an industry association that brought modern technology to property insurance ratemaking and research. He spent the next 17 years at Prudential Reinsurance Company in Newark, New Jersey, as a senior executive.

After retiring from Prudential in 1988, LeRoy was an executive consultant for Coopers & Lybrand in the casualty actuarial consulting practice. He also served as a member of the John Deere Insurance Group from 1994 until 1999, when it was sold. He was a Fellow of the Casualty Actuarial Society, and wrote many papers and comments on a wide range of actuarial and reinsurance topics. He was president of the CAS in 1972 and served two terms on its board.

Mr. Simon was predeceased by Catherine, his wife of 62 years, and is survived by his daughter, Catherine Trebelhorn, and his son, Charles. He is also survived by his five grandchildren, Matthew Trebelhorn, Joanna Trebelhorn, Thomas Simon, Carolyn Simon Noon, and Andrew Simon.

Mr. Simon had a tremendous influence on CAS members, whether they knew him personally or not, through his many published papers and willingness to share his knowledge with others. Many members knew that, even during his retirement, they could call on LeRoy Simon for advice and guidance. It was in his address to new CAS members in November 1999 that Mr. Simon first said, “It is easier to become an actuary than to be one.” Since 1999, many former CAS presidents have used Mr. Simon’s sentiment in their own addresses to new members.

David G. Walker
1947-2010

David G. Walker, of Hacienda Heights, California, died at the age of 62 on June 26, 2010.

The fourth of six children, he was born in Ames, Iowa, on September 29, 1947, to Scott and Polly Walker. Shortly after his birth, the family moved to Moscow, Idaho, where he spent much of his youth. The family moved to Washington, DC, in 1961. He graduated from Anacostia High School in 1965.

He attended the University of Maine in Orono where he obtained a BA (1969) and MS (1972) in mathematics. A clarinet player in high school and college, Mr. Walker was very active in the University of Maine marching band and served as the band’s drum major.

In 1973 he married Ann Hamilton and moved to Providence, Rhode Island. The couple had a son, Allen. He attended Brown University and earned an MS in mathematics in 1976.

Mr. Walker started working in the actuarial field in 1976 for Metropolitan Property and Liability Insurance Company. He worked for over 35 years as an actuary, and had been at Farmers Insurance Group in Los Angeles for over nine years.

Mr. Walker became a CAS Associate in 1986. He served the CAS on several committees, including the Committee on Review of Papers (1993-1996), Task Force on Nontraditional Practice Areas (1998-1999), Examination Committee (2002-2005), Task Force on the ACAS Vote (2003-2004), and most recently on the Task Force on Associates Rights (2010). He also was a panelist for the concurrent session “Actuaries in Nontraditional Roles,” which was part of the 1999 CAS Spring Meeting.

In 1994 he married Rebecca Chan and together the couple had another son, Christopher.

He enjoyed hunting, fishing, and camping with family and friends, as well as taking trips to Asia with his wife and sons. He also volunteered with the Arthritis Foundation, the United Way, the Kiwanis of Hacienda Heights, and the American Cancer Society’s Relay For Life.

He was a very active parent in his sons’ sports teams and Boy Scouts. He was involved with Troop 620, Golden Eagle District, and San Gabriel Valley Council of BSA. With his guidance, his son Christopher was awarded the rank of Eagle Scout on June 11, 2010. A devoted parent, he enjoyed watching his sons grow and succeed in life.

Mr. Walker is survived by his wife Rebecca; sons Allen and Christopher; mother Polly; siblings Joyce Nelsen, Jeanne Cline, Scott Walker, and Wanda Walker; and several nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, the family requested that all donations be made to the American Cancer Society.
Phillip Adger Williams
1928-2010

P. Adger Williams died January 17, 2010, at his home in Hilton Head, South Carolina, at age 81. Born in Greensboro, North Carolina, in 1928 and raised in Greensboro and Asheboro, North Carolina, he was the son of Lila and John Williams and was the youngest of five children.

He was elected president of his class in high school and also served as editor of his school’s newspaper. He joined the Merchant Marines after graduating from high school, and then served as Sergeant in the Army from 1946 until 1948.

He attended the University of North Carolina in Chapel Hill, where he graduated Phi Beta Kappa in 1951 with a degree in mathematics.

Mr. Williams then moved to Hartford, Connecticut, starting in the actuarial program, and later became senior vice president and actuary for Travelers Insurance Company, where he remained for 39 years until his retirement.

He married Joan Morel in 1958, and settled in Glastonbury. He was an active leader in the actuarial profession, serving on the CAS Council (1963-1967), as CAS President (1977-1978), and as the American Academy of Actuaries President (1982-1983). After retiring, he served as an officer of the Actuarial Standards Board and as its Chairman from 1993 until 1994. He enjoyed tennis and golf, and was a great lover of classical music.

In concluding his address to new members in May 1998, Mr. Williams told the assembled group of new Fellows and Associates to look to their fellow classmates sitting next to them. “As the years go by they will form what I like to call an accumulation of actuarial fellowship which will become the continuity in your life,” he said. “Ultimately I think you will find, as I did, that being an actuary is not only a profession, it is a process of life enrichment.”

Mr. Williams is survived by his wife, Joan; his three children, Paige Williams of Brookline, Massachusetts; Gail Weeks of Bedford, New Hampshire; and Christopher Williams of Los Angeles; his sister-in-law, Barbara Williams of Raleigh, North Carolina; and his five grandchildren, Andrew, Matthew, Timothy, Sarah, and Michelle. He was predeceased by his four older siblings and two of their spouses: Ruth Williams; Mary Dorris McEachern; and brother-in-law John McEachern; John Wesley Williams and sister-in-law Frances Williams; and Harold Williams.