Society of Actuaries in Ireland

SAI Life Forum 2019 – Convention Centre Dublin

Wednesday, 6th March 2019

Details of the SAI Life Forum have now been finalised. To attend, reserve your place now at www.actuaries.ie/events

13:30- 14:00	**Registration & Tea/Coffee Reception (Foyer – Level 1)**	
14:00 – 14:45	**Plenary session: Update from the Life Committee (Mike Claffey) - Liffey Hall 2** **Balance sheet management (Jeffrey Hennen PwC The Netherlands & Niall Naughton PwC Dublin)** *Balance sheet management of an insurance company is now very complex and requires all types of skills in which an actuary is a crucial part. The presentation will focus on the activities of a good balance sheet manager.*	
14:45 – 15:30 (Parallel Session)	**Part VII Transfers – with profits & PRE considerations – Liffey Hall 1** (Ciara Regan & Viviana Pascoletti)	**Recovery and Resolution Planning – Liffey Hall 2 (Hosted by Eric Brown)** *The panel will provide different perspectives on RRP. All of the panellists have experience in RRP and will provide a view on key challenges, why there is a current focus on RRP and emerging regulatory initiatives.*
15:30 – 16:00	**Coffee Break (Foyer – Level 1)**	
16:00 – 16:45 (Parallel Session)	**Practical application of data analytics in a life Insurance setting - Liffey Hall 1** (Jean Rea & Niall Mulvey)	**IFRS17 – Panel discussion (Chair: John Coggins) - Liffey Hall 2** *Hot topics and recent developments*
16:45 - 17:30 (Parallel Session)	**Global trends in underwriting processing - Liffey Hall 1** (Declan O'Neill)	**Life HoAF – Panel Q&A - Liffey Hall 2** *Update on reserving and the actuarial function including what challenges are evolving and emerging.*

Speaker Biographies

Jeffrey Hennen
Jeffrey Hennen is a senior manager within the Actuarial Services department of PwC The Netherlands since 2011. Jeffrey has over 12 years of experience in the Insurance industry as a consultant, of which 5 years at Towers Watson. Jeffrey specialises in (Financial) Risk Management, Solvency II, IFRS9/17, ALM and Balance Sheet Management, and has worked with all the larger insurance companies in The Netherlands, and for a large international insurance group based in Germany. Besides his work at PwC, he is a secretary of the Risk Management committee of the CFA Institute and Society of Dutch Investment Professionals ('CFA/VBA'), and has a Masters degree in Econometrics, and a post graduate degree in Risk Management. Jeffrey also leads the Capital & Investment Management for Insurers group within PwC Europe.

Ciara Regan
Ciara Regan is a qualified Actuary with 25 years' experience in the life insurance and reinsurance industry in Ireland and is currently a partner in, and leads, Deloitte's Actuarial, Rewards & Analytics practice in Ireland. She is currently the Head of Actuarial Function for Royal London Insurance DAC and supported the parent entity with the process of establishing the new subsidiary and applying for the required regulatory approvals in her role as proposed HoAF. Ciara has also held the role of Independent Actuary on number of Section 13 life assurance business transfers, providing independent reports to the High Court of Ireland on proposed portfolio transfers.

Viviana Pascoletti
Viviana Pascoletti is CFO of the newly-established Royal London Insurance DAC. She has over 15 years of experience in the Life (re)insurance market and prior to joining Royal London she was CEO at Berkshire Hathaway Reinsurance (Ireland) DAC. She is a fellow of the Society of Actuaries in Ireland.

Eric Brown
Eric Brown is a senior manager in EY in the Actuarial practice. He has over 12 years consulting experience with EY including a number of years based in the London office. Eric leads a number of projects in the risk and regulatory space including a number of authorisation projects and is chair of the ERM Committee of the Society of Actuaries in Ireland.

Jean Rea
Jean Rea is a qualified actuary and Director in KPMG's actuarial services practice and has over 12 years' experience mainly in the non-life insurance industry. She has a Professional Diploma in Data Analytics from University College Dublin and is currently studying the MSc in Data Analytics. She is involved in data analytics and "ActTech" propositions and projects locally and leads KPMG's European reserve modernisation working group. She is a member of various subcommittees of the Society of Actuaries in Ireland including ERM and Data Analytics.

Niall Mulvey
Niall Mulvey is a qualified actuary and is a HoAF / Head of Actuarial Function in Hannover Re. He has 20 years' experience in life insurance and reinsurance and Niall has direct experience in the applications and use of Data Analytics and Machine Learning methods, particularly in the growing use of it in the fields of mortality, trend and underwriting. He is a member of the Life Re Committee of the Society of Actuaries in Ireland.

Declan O'Neill
Declan O'Neill is currently the EVP Product & Data at Munich Re Automation Solutions. He has been with Munich Re for 3 years and prior to this held diverse roles with Irish Life and Canada Life beginning in 1996. He is a Fellow of the Society of Actuaries in Ireland, and Institute and Faculty of Actuaries, and former Council member of the Society. Declan has a Master's in Business Administration and is a Qualified Financial Advisor. He has also served on the Board of Trustees of Pieta House since 2014.