



# Society of Actuaries in Ireland

## Professionalism Event

15<sup>th</sup> May 2013 – Conrad Hotel, Dublin

### PROGRAMME

**Dress Code:** Business Attire

<b>8:00</b>	Registration and Coffee	
<b>8:30</b>	Welcome & Introduction	Paul O’Faherty, President Mike Claffey, Course Facilitator
<b>8:40</b>	Professionalism & the Actuary <i>including Code of Professional Conduct</i>	Mike Claffey
<b>9:15</b>	Regulation and Disciplinary Measures for the Medical Profession	William Kennedy, Acting Director of Regulation, Medical Council of Ireland
<b>10:05</b>	Coffee	
<b>10:20</b>	Business ethics case study	Mike Claffey
<b>11:00</b>	Business Ethics – a question of Integrity?	Ronan Nolan, Vice President, Chartered Accountants Ireland
<b>11:45</b>	Under Fire – <i>could this be you?</i>	Mike Claffey
<b>12:30</b>	Lunch	
<b>1:45</b>	Practice-specific case studies	Duncan Robertson; Tom Donlon
<b>3:15</b>	Coffee	
<b>3:30</b>	Actuaries as INEDs – the major challenges	Tom Barry, INED, Irish Life Group
<b>4:15</b>	Summary of day	Mike Claffey

**Speakers’ biographies are attached.**

## **Mike Claffey**

Mike is a Fellow of the Society of Actuaries in Ireland and a Fellow of the Institute and Faculty of Actuaries.

He is a principal with the Dublin office of Milliman since 2005, having previously worked in a range of domestic and international life assurance companies.

Mike currently discharges the role of Appointed Actuary and Life Reinsurance Signing Actuary for a range of companies headquartered in Ireland. His experience includes all aspects of statutory life insurance work, including financial reporting and product development.

Mike has served on the Society's Council and is currently a member of the Life Committee and an elected member of the Society's Disciplinary Panel.

## **William Kennedy**

A solicitor by profession, William Kennedy practiced commercial litigation in the UK and civil and healthcare litigation in Ireland before joining the Medical Council in November 1997 as Head of Professional Standards and Legal Adviser.

William has responsibility for the processing of complaints to, and the hearing of inquiries by, the Medical Council's Fitness to Practise Committee. He also provides support, advice and research to Council, the Ethics Committee, the Monitoring Group (whose task concerns the monitoring of compliance with conditions by practitioners) and to various functions, in particular the Registration, Education and Training and Professional Competence Sections. He represents the Council at other fora, including the Health Professionals Crossing Borders, which represents all healthcare professionals within the EU/EEA.

William was the project lead on a project entitled "Professional Regulatory Bodies", which arose out of the 2008 report by the Commission on Patient Safety and Quality Assurance. He has recently been appointed a member of the Chartered Accountants Regulatory Body's Disciplinary Tribunal. He is a Council member and Honorary Secretary of the Corporate and Public Lawyers Association and has published a number of articles in the Law Society Gazette and in the Medico-Legal Journal of Ireland.

## **Ronan Nolan**

Ronan is Vice President of Chartered Accountants Ireland and chairs their Education Board. He was a member of the Auditing Practices Board (APB), the independent audit standard-setting body for the UK and Ireland, for a number of years up to 2012.

Ronan is a partner in Deloitte and leads the Corporate Finance division at Deloitte Ireland. He has wide-ranging experience in consulting and advisory engagements, covering mergers and acquisitions support and due diligence services as well as accounting, audit, governance and investigation services. He has served clients in a wide range of sectors, including property, manufacturing and technology, and the broad financial services sector.

## **Tom Barry**

Tom is a Fellow of the Society of Actuaries in Ireland and a Fellow of the Institute and Faculty of Actuaries.

He was the Managing Director of Canada Life (Ireland) from 2001- 2009. During this time, he managed or served on the boards of group companies in Ireland, Germany, the UK and Bermuda.

He is now a professional non-executive director serving on the boards of insurance, asset management and reinsurance companies. He has served on the Board of Irish Life since March 2011 and is Chair of the Risk Committee. He is also currently on the boards of Aegon Ireland and Eureko Reinsurance, Ireland.