

Opportunity to contribute to Society of Actuaries in Ireland Library Initiative

Introduction

In July 2015, the Society of Actuaries in Ireland (SAI) launched a database of ERM resources. The ERM Library was updated in 2016/17 and now includes almost 900 articles, books and papers.

This Library contains a collection of seminal reference papers and more up to date cutting edge research that the SAI felt would be of interest to actuaries and risk management professionals. A wide range of risk management topics are covered, ranging from risk culture to risk-based capital.

The Library can be accessed via the SAI's website (<https://web.actuaries.ie/press/ermresource-database>) and is available to both members of the SAI and non-members; however certain papers (with restricted access) will require a member login.

The Library can be easily browsed or filtered using three search methods: by General Categories (i.e. common ERM topics), Specific Risk Categories (e.g. credit risk, operational risk) or by using keyword search functionality.

Call for Papers

The SAI's ERM Library working party is currently coordinating an update of the library and would like to enlist the help of university students in sourcing relevant articles to add to the library. For each new entry, a template containing summary information will need to be populated (this information will appear on the SAI's website and is the information used in the search functionality). The working party will provide guidelines on what kind of material is being sought.

The resources collected will be reviewed by actuaries from the SAI before being considered for submission to the database. The initiative gives students the chance to get involved with the work of the SAI, to help with a research project, to learn more about particular risk management topics and is an interesting point for prospective employers.

How to Get Involved

If you would like to get involved in this initiative or have sourced an article that may be relevant to the ERM library, please email info@actuaries.ie