

# INTRODUCTION TO REINSURANCE

# **Course Description**

This course will provide a comprehensive introduction to the main types of reinsurance available in the International Property and Casualty reinsurance market. It will give an analysis of the theory and legal principles involved, and the practical operation of reinsurance clauses.

## **Target Audience**

The course will be of interest to anyone who is new to reinsurance business or has a little knowledge they would like to enhance.

## **Course Objectives**

On completion of the course the delegates will:

- Understand the principal functions of reinsurance
- Have knowledge of the legal principles relating to reinsurance contracts
- Have an understanding of the main methods of reinsurances and their advantages and disadvantages
- Appreciate the necessity for care in preparing reinsurance wordings
- Understand the implications of Claims Clauses

### **Course Format**

An interactive presentation including discussion, case studies and exercises based on examples and case law.

### **Course Content**

## **Reinsurance and Its Origins**

- A Brief History of Reinsurance
- The Purposes of Reinsurance
- Legal Principles
- The Present Reinsurance Market

#### Introduction to and The Functions of Reinsurance

### **Formation of the Reinsurance Contract**

## **Methods of Reinsurance**

- Facultative
- Quota-share (Proportional)
- Excess of Loss (Non-Proportional)
- Property Catastrophe
- Casualty Excess of Loss
- Casualty Clash
- Stop Loss

### **Treaty Clauses and Terms**

- Explicit and Implied Terms
- Incorporation of Terms of the Insurance Context

### The "Event" Definition Problem

**Legal Issues in Reinsurance Claims** 

**Reinsurance Wordings – Handle With Care** 

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**Venue** London Novotel Tower Bridge, EC3N 2NR

Fee £195.00 +VAT (including refreshments and buffet lunch)

**In-House Fee £600.00 +VAT** for up to 12 delegates

**Bookings** To reserve a place on this course please contact Tony Gregory

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