



## **Joint Groupe Consultatif/IAA Education Seminar**

### **The Hague 26 and 27 May 2013**

A seminar organised jointly by the Education Committees of the Groupe Consultatif and IAA will be held at the World Forum in The Hague on 26 and 27 May 2013.

The themes of the seminar will be:

- Creating Access to Actuarial Education
- Quality of Education: Equipping Future Actuarial Professionals

The seminar, which will be co-chaired by Mark Stocker and Mary Frances Miller, will include keynote speakers, small group sessions and general plenary discussion.

The conference language will be English.

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## **BURSARIES**

Bursaries may be available from the IAA fund for participants from actuarially developing countries. Application should be made to Chris Daykin: [chris@daykinactuary.co.uk](mailto:chris@daykinactuary.co.uk) with a copy to Michael Lucas, Secretary of the Groupe Consultatif: [mlucas@gcactuaries.org](mailto:mlucas@gcactuaries.org) or fax: +32 27 92 46 48

Hotel reservations for bursary recipients will be made by the Groupe Consultatif Secretariat: [ashoesmith@gcactuaries.org](mailto:ashoesmith@gcactuaries.org)

## PROGRAMME OUTLINE

### Day 1 Sunday 26 May 2013

- 12:30 Registration and Buffet Lunch
- 14:00 Chairman's introduction and welcome: aims of the seminar (Mary Frances Miller)
- 14:15 Panel Discussion; Creating Access to Actuarial Education: the role of distance education. (Andrew Gladwin and Daniel Clark)
- 15:00 Actuarial Education in Actuarially Developing Countries:
- Case Study 1 Hungary – a success story (Erzsébet Kovács)
  - Case Study 2 Ghana – a new challenge (Derek Asamoah Owusu)

### 15:45 Break

- 16:15 Break-out groups on Access to Actuarial Education
- 17:00 Report back
- 17:45 Summary and Close (Chairman)
- 19:00 Buffet Supper and informal discussions

### Day 2 Monday 27 May 2013

- 9:00 Chairman's Introduction to Day 2 (Mark Stocker)
- 9:15 Feedback from European Congress of Actuaries 2012 on education needs of future actuaries (Ron Hersmis)
- 9:45 Role of normative and professional education in developing actuaries of the future (Andrew Gladwin)
- 10:15 Break-out groups on topics from above
- 11:00 Break**
- 11:30 Keynote lecture (John Shepherd)
- 12:15 Lunch break**
- 13:00 Discussion in break-out groups: what different skills will actuaries need in 5 years time? (Facilitated by John Shepherd and Ad Kok)
- 14:30 Updates from members on actuarial developments in their country
- 15:30 Conclusion of Seminar: summary and future actions (Chairman)

## REGISTRATION

Registration should be completed online at the following address:

[https://www.actuaries.org/EVENTS/Meetings/hague/seminar\\_registration.cfm](https://www.actuaries.org/EVENTS/Meetings/hague/seminar_registration.cfm)

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## HOTELS

### **Bel Air Hotel 4\***

Johan de Wittlaan 30  
2517 JR The Hague  
Telephone: +31 (70) 352 53 54  
Fax: +31 (70) 352 53 54  
Email: [info@belairhotel.nl](mailto:info@belairhotel.nl)  
Website: [www.belairhotel.nl](http://www.belairhotel.nl)

Book directly with the Bel Air Hotel by using this [link](#).

Special early bird rate: (valid until 31 December 2012): € 139,50 for a single only available for a standard room, € 160,00 for a double.

Rate: € 155,00 for a single standard room; € 175,50 for a double.

These prices include breakfast & VAT. City tax is an extra € 3,81\* per person per night.

### **Crowne Plaza Den Haag 5\***

Van Stolkweg 1  
2585 JL The Hague  
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Website: [www.crowneplazadenhaag.nl](http://www.crowneplazadenhaag.nl)

To book a room in the Crowne Plaza Den Haag hotel, fill in the attached reservation form and send directly to the hotel.

Special early bird rate (valid until 20 March 2013): € 138,25 for a single standard room, € 153,25 for a double.

Rates: from € 160,00 for a single standard room, € 175,00 for a double.

These prices include breakfast & VAT. City tax is an extra € 4,76\* per person per night.

### **Hotel Ibis Den Hague 3\***

Jan Hendrikstraat 10  
2587 EN The Hague  
Telephone: +31 (70) 318 43 18  
Fax: +31 (70) 318 43 19  
Email: H5389-RE@accor.com  
Website: [www.ibishotel.com](http://www.ibishotel.com)

To book a room in the Hotel Ibis Den Haag City Centre, fill in the attached reservation form and send directly to the hotel.

Special early bird rate (valid until 31 December 2012): € 115,00 for a single, € 130,00 for a double.

Rates: € 125,00 for single, € 140,00 for double .

These prices include breakfast & VAT. City tax is an extra € 2,54\* per person per night.

\* Price valid for 2012.

### **Novotel World Forum 4\***

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Email: H5389-RE@accor.com  
Website: [www.accorhotels.com](http://www.accorhotels.com)

To book a room in the **Novotel World Forum hotel**, fill in the attached reservation form and send directly to the hotel.

Special early bird rate (valid until 31 December 2012): € 139,50 for a single, € 159,50 for a double.

Rate: € 155,00 for a single, € 175,00 for a double.

### **Carlton Ambassador Hotel 4\***

Sophialaan 2  
2514 JP The Hague  
Telephone: +31 (70) 363 03 63  
Fax: +31 (70) 360 05 35  
Email: [info@ambassador.carlton.nl](mailto:info@ambassador.carlton.nl)  
Website: [www.carlton.nl/ambassador](http://www.carlton.nl/ambassador)

Book directly a room in the Carlton Ambassador Hotel via this [link](#). The Attendee code is: AG&AI

Rates: € 175 for a single, € 192,00 for a double.

These prices include breakfast & VAT . City tax is an extra € 3,81\* per person per night.