Atlanta Actuarial Club
Speaker Session & Registration

Wednesday, August 19, 2009

Maggiano's (Perimeter Mall)
4400 Ashford Dunwoody Road, Atlanta, GA 30346 770.804.3313

Agenda *(session descriptions on the following page)*

11:30 **Registration**

12:00 **Luncheon… Maggiano's, Perimeter Mall**
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12:45 Luncheon Speaker Session…Creating Confidence: Five Ways to Build it in Your Clients, Your Teammates, and Yourself
Darcy Eikenberg*, President & Chief Creative Officer, Coach Darcy LLC*

1:35-1:45 **Club Business…** *Voting on Secretary, AAC member list distribution, and allowing non-actuaries to attend club events*

1:45-2:00 **Break**

2:00-2:50 **Speaker Session #1… Healthcare Reform**
Gary Brace, FSA, MAAA*, Principal, Consulting Actuary, Milliman*

2:55-3:45 **Speaker Session #2… The Changing Role of Reinsurance**
Mike DeKoning, FSA, FCIA, MAAA, *President & CEO, Munich American Reassurance Company*

3:45-3:55 **Break**

3:55-4:45 **Speaker Session #3… Liability Driven Investments: Working Actuarial Concepts into Capital Markets**
Chris Adair, *Senior Vice President, Institutional Marketing & LDI Portfolio Specialist, Ryan Labs*

5:00-7:00 **Networking Happy Hour… Hudson Grille, Perimeter Mall**
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Session Descriptions & Additional Information

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Please visit our website at http://www.atlantaactuarialclub.org/ for information regarding this event and other activities/volunteer opportunities. Do not hesitate to contact the officers via our website if you have any questions or comments.

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Luncheon Speaker Session…Creating Confidence: Five Ways to Build it in Your Clients, Your Teammates, and Yourself
Darcy Eikenberg, *President & Chief Creative Officer, Coach Darcy LLC*

As professionals, we're often confident in our technical knowledge and our skills, since we use them everyday. But the confidence from our clients, business partners, colleagues, and even friends and family can sometimes feel like it's in short supply, especially right now when so many things in our work and our lives is in flux.

Now more than ever, we need to build the confidence of our clients, teams, and ourselves. Join us for a fun, interactive session where leadership coach Darcy Eikenberg will share:

- The three ideas that get in the way of building confidence;
- The five ways you can build confidence in clients, team and yourself, and;
- The one action you can take to start increasing confidence today!

Darcy Eikenberg is a leadership coach, consultant, speaker and writer who helps people find simple, practical ways to become stronger leaders in their work and their life. Prior to launching her own firm, she was a Principal at Hewitt Associates, led its Communication Consulting business in the Southeast U.S., and served on Hewitt's North America Communication Leadership team. She is on the board of the Georgia Coach Association and the global marketing committee for the International Coach Federation. You can find out more about Darcy at www.coachdarcy.com.

Speaker Session #1… Healthcare Reform
Gary Brace, FSA, MAAA, *Principal, Consulting Actuary, Milliman*

Gary Brace's presentation will cover the major features of healthcare reform, those features most focused upon by the insurance industry and finally, the potential impact of the various features to the existing marketplace.

Gary began his career at Milliman, then left to serve as a regional director for the health actuarial practice of a Big Six accounting firm. He rejoined Milliman in 1995. During his 25+ years as a consultant, Gary assisted Blue Cross/Blue Shield Plans, HMOs, PPOs, hospitals, and long-term care providers. His product development services focus on managed care and HMO commercial products, HMO Medicare supplement and risk contracts, and individual hospital/surgical plans.

Gary also provides financial analysis involving merger and acquisition, appraisals of managed care plans, provider reimbursement, levels, managed care capitation negotiations, and analysis of impact provider reimbursement levels. Gary is a former member of the Financial Advisory Panel of the Continuing Care Accreditation Commission. Gary is Fellow of the Society of Actuaries and Member of the American Academy of Actuaries. He has served on the health benefit committees of both organizations. Gary received a BS in Business Administration from Drake University.

Speaker Session #2… The Changing Role of Reinsurance
Mike DeKoning, FSA, FCIA, MAAA, *Munich American Reassurance Company*

Mike DeKoning's presentation will cover the changing role of life reinsurance and how the reinsurance industry itself has evolved over the last 5-10 years.

Mike joined Munich Re in January 2008 to take on the role of President and CEO of the US Life Reinsurance business – covering all lines of business, including Ordinary life, Group Life & disability, Long Term Care and Individual Disability. Prior to Munich, Mike was with a large international insurance organization for almost 20 years – with roles such as the CFO of a direct marketing Insurance unit in Canada, line management responsibility of a large Reinsurance business unit, and a role in Risk Management, where he had worldwide accountability for product risk, underwriting risk, the development of Economic Capital models and for procuring all of the company's insurance and reinsurance covers (D&O liability, Property and Catastrophic Life covers).

Mike is a graduate of the University of Toronto with a BS in Actuarial Science and a Major in Economics. He is also a Fellow of the Society of Actuaries, a Fellow of the Canadian Institute of Actuaries and a Member of the American Academy of Actuaries. Mike is a member of the Board of the American Council of Life Insurers (ACLI), and a Trustee on the Educational Foundation Inc at Georgia State University.

Speaker Session #3… Liability Driven Investments: Working Actuarial Concepts into Capital Markets
Chris Adair, Senior Vice President, Institutional Marketing & LDI Portfolio Specialist, *Ryan Labs*

Chris Adair joined Ryan Labs in 2005 to specialize in providing clients structured solutions in liability management. He has over 13 years of experience advising corporate and institutional clients on currency and interest rate derivatives transactions.

Chris began his career at BayBank as a Junior Vice President where he was in a capital markets training program in the Foreign Exchange group. Here he worked with multinational corporations by advising them on currency risk management. Chris then moved to Wachovia Bank, as Assistant Vice President giving counsel to Fortune 500 companies on managing international cash balances and currency risk management. He then spent 5 years at Mellon Financial as Vice President with responsibilities such as advising large corporations, mutual funds, hedge funds, and private equity firms on currency risk management. Chris joined Citigroup Global Markets in 2001 as Senior Vice President specializing in consulting in interest rate risk, currency risk, mergers and acquisitions, capital market financing, and pension liabilities management. In 2004 Chris worked as President and CFO with a small advertising and technology firm to execute a private equity event. Chris graduated from Babson College in 1992 with a BS in Finance.

Networking Happy Hour… Hudson Grille, Perimeter Mall
Please feel free to join us for the happy hour even if you cannot attend the afternoon sessions. The Club will provide soda and various appetizers to those that attend. The purchase of any alcoholic beverage is the responsibility of the attendee and will not be provided by the Club.

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Lunch, Luncheon Speaker, & Speaker Session 1	$30
Speaker Sessions 1, 2, & 3 only	$15
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Your registration form and check must be **received by Friday, August 14th**. Note that payment is expected unless registration is cancelled on or before Friday, August 17th.