

INSURANCE LAW - A GUIDE FOR PRACTITIONERS

Course Description

This course will provide delegates with a detailed analysis of some of the most important aspects of insurance law including changes brought about by the Insurance Act 2015.

Target Audience

The training will be of value to anyone involved in insurance underwriting, claims handling, or contract and contract wording preparation or checking. Those new to the legal profession will also find it valuable.

Course Objectives

On completion of the course delegates will:

- Have an understanding of the legal issues relevant to the formation of insurance contracts
- Understand specific legal aspects of insurance contracts
- Understand the principles of law in relation to the handling of claims

Course Format

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

Course Content

A Brief Introduction to the Law of England and Wales

Insurance Contracts

- Risks that may be insured
- Insurable Interest
- The principle of utmost good faith and fair presentation of risk
- Breach of good faith by the insured or the insurer
- Insurance industry codes of conduct
- Warranties and conditions and the consequences of a breach
- Interpretation of Insurance Contracts

Principles Governing Insurance Claims

- Proximate Cause
- Indemnity
- Number of claims
- The effect of 'reasonable precautions' and similar clauses
- Subrogation and Contribution
- Insurers' duties in claims settlement

The Insurance Act 2015

Legal Aspects of London Market Business

- Delegated Authorities
- Placer or Producer
- Placing inwards insurance and outwards reinsurance
- Preparation of slips and wordings
- Contract Documentation
- Subscription Market

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Duration 1 day

Date 26 March 2018

Time 9.30 am – 5.00 pm

Venue London Novotel Tower Bridge, EC3N 2NR

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

In-House Fee £950.00 +VAT for up to 12 delegates

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

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