

# REINSURANCE LAW: A GUIDE FOR PRACTITIONERS

## **Course Description**

This course will provide delegates with an outline of reinsurance law and analyse court decisions on clauses used in reinsurance contracts.

# **Target Audience**

The course will be of value to anyone involved in reinsurance underwriting, claims handling, or contract wording preparation or checking.

# **Course Objectives**

On completion of the course delegates will:

- Take a more analytical approach to drafting or reading Contracts, Wordings and other reinsurance documentation
- Reach higher standards of document production
- Understand some of the complex issues relating to reinsurance law

## **Course Format**

An interactive presentation including discussion of issues based on real examples and case law.

## **Course Content**

## **Introduction to Reinsurance**

• Defining a reinsurance contract

## **Formation of the Reinsurance Contract**

- Reinsurable Interest
- Reinsured's duty of disclosure and fair presentation of risk
- Reinsurance Brokers' duties
- Formation of the contract
- Repudiation

## The Terms of a Reinsurance Contract

- Rules of construction
- Incorporation of Terms
- · Explicit Terms
- Implied Terms
- · Cut-through Clauses and their legality
- · Duty of skill and care of reinsured
- "Writing against reinsurance"
- · Sanctions Clauses

## **Conditions and Warranties**

#### The Law of Reinsurance Claims

- Full Reinsurance Clause
- Obligation to follow judgments
- · Follow the fortunes
- Follow the settlements
- Claims Control Clause
- Claims Co-operation Clause
- Ex-gratia payments

## **The Number of Claims**

"Event", "Occurrence", "Cause"

## **Arbitration**

Law and Jurisdiction

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**Duration** 1 day

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

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