



MOUND COTTON WOLLAN & GREENGRASS LLP 5TH ANNUAL NEW YORK CITY REINSURANCE CONFERENCE

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2018

NEW YORK CITY BAR ASSOCIATION
42 WEST 44TH STREET
NEW YORK, NY 10036

Qualifies for CLE/CE Credit
This conference is complimentary for company employees

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

8 a.m. REGISTRATION & CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

9 a.m. WELCOME

Conference Chair:

Lloyd Gura, Partner, Mound Cotton Wollan & Greengrass LLP

9:05 a.m. INSURANCE 2.0 & ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

Topics of discussion:

- The current state of the InsureTech sector and its disruption of the insurance industry
- InsureTech regulatory issues
- The impact of machine learning and Artificial Intelligence on manufacturing, transportation, retail, and insurance
- Potential legal and liability issues relating to AI

Speakers:

Steven Agosta
General Counsel, XL Re America

Kate Browne
Senior Claims Expert, Senior Vice President, Westport Insurance/Swiss Re

10:05 a.m. NETWORKING BREAK

10:20 a.m.

THE OPIOID EPIDEMIC: WHAT THE INDUSTRY IS SEEING FROM THE RECENT WAVE OF LITIGATION & LEGISLATION TO ADDRESS THE NATIONWIDE PUBLIC HEALTH CRISIS

Learn about the current landscape & statistics, who the plaintiffs are, the legal theories of liability against the major defendants, the MDL litigation, & potential coverage issues arising under CGL, D&O, workers' compensation & professional liability policies.

Panelists:

Andrew Hryn
Assistant Vice President – Strategic Claim Management, The Hartford

Marcy Oren
Head of Casualty & Workers Compensation, Claims, Reinsurance, XL Catlin

David Sobotka
Managing Director, Global Consulting, Guy Carpenter & Company

Amy Kallal (moderator)
Partner, Mound Cotton Wollan & Greengrass LLP

11:25 p.m.

LIFE REINSURANCE: ENHANCED OPPORTUNITIES AND CONTINUED INNOVATIONS

The panel will highlight recent developments in life reinsurance transactions and continued innovations aimed at improving the customer experience, enhancing life reinsurance underwriting, and closing the life insurance protection gap.

Panelists:

Louise Denegre
Vice President, Legal & Compliance, Swiss Re Management (US) Corporation

Brett Wiggins
Vice President & Counsel, Munich American Reassurance Company

Amy Woltman
Vice President & Corporate Counsel, Prudential Insurance Company of America

Gregg Hirsch (moderator)
Special Counsel, Mound Cotton Wollan & Greengrass LLP

12:25 p.m.

NETWORKING BREAK & LUNCHEON

Luncheon Speaker:

Anthony Vidovich, Chief Claims Officer, AIG

1:30 p.m. CONSTRUCTION DEFECT CLAIMS & ISSUES THAT ARISE IN REINSURANCE BILLINGS

Panelists will discuss hot topics in construction defect claims and issues that arise between cedants and reinsurers.

Panelists:

William Goldsmith
Associate General Counsel, Reinsurance, AIG Property Casualty

James McNamara
Senior Vice President & Head of Claims, Aspen Re

Karen Rice
Head of Construction Claims Operations, XL Catlin

Lloyd Gura (moderator)
Partner, Mound Cotton Wollan & Greengrass LLP

2:30 p.m. NETWORKING BREAK

2:45 p.m. SOME PRACTICAL ISSUES IN HANDLING REINSURANCE CLAIMS

The panel will discuss important and common topics in reinsurance claims handling, including, 1) in the context of follow-the-settlements, who has the burden on reasonableness and what is the burden; and 2) the role of attorney fees in arbitration and when are such fees appropriate?

Panelists:

Bill Bouvier
Vice President, Leader Assumed Reinsurance Claims, Riverstone

Marcus Doran
Chief Operating Officer, Armour Risk Management, Inc.

Glenn Frankel
Vice President, Claims, The Hartford

Chris Reichow
U.S. General Counsel, R&Q Solutions LLC

Raymond Mastrangelo (moderator)
Partner, Mound Cotton Wollan & Greengrass LLP

3:45 p.m. NETWORKING BREAK

4 p.m. **WHAT ARE INSURERS AND REINSURERS FIGHTING ABOUT, WHY & WHAT ARE ARBITRATORS DOING ABOUT IT?**

Hear insights into the marketplace by some of today's most experienced arbitrators.

Panelists:

John Cole
Wiley Rein

Susan Grondine-Dauwer
SEG-D Consulting

Mark Gurevitz
MG Re Arbitrator & Mediator Services

David Thirkill
The Thirkill Group

5 – 7 p.m. NETWORKING RECEPTION & COCKTAILS