



November 15, 2018

TO: Iowa Actuaries Club Members
FROM: John Fleming, Secretary/Treasurer, (515) 261-5671
RE: December 11, 2018 Club Meeting

Meeting Information

The Iowa Actuaries Club is excited to announce the following details of our second meeting of the 2018-2019 club year:

Tuesday, December 11, 2018
Downtown Des Moines Marriott
Des Moines Ballroom
Doors Open at 11:45 am
Lunch Served at 12:00 pm
Business Meeting and Speaker 12:30 pm

Featured Presentation

Topic - Actuarial Professionalism: Alive and Well in 2018

Our speaker will:

- Review the basic structures and key elements of U.S. actuarial professionalism
- Discuss recent developments in actuarial professionalism
- Identify tools & resources available to help actuaries keep up to date on professionalism

Presenter: Cecil Bykerk, FSA, MAAA, FCA, RHU

Bykerk is President of CDBykerk Consulting and currently serves as Executive Director of two state high risk pools, Alaska and Iowa. In addition, he currently serves on the Board of Directors of the Senior Health Insurance Company of Pennsylvania, a long term care company and Surety Life Insurance Company of Lee's Summit, MO. He was Executive Vice President and Chief Actuary at Mutual of Omaha Insurance Company, prior to starting his consulting career in 2004. Prior to his 25-year tenure at Mutual of Omaha, he was Director of the Actuarial Science Program at the University of Nebraska from 1975 to 1979.

He served as International Actuarial Association President for 2011 and as President of Society of Actuaries in 2008/2009 and President of the American Academy of Actuaries in 2012/2013. He served on the Board of Directors of PORTICO, formerly the ELCA Board of Pensions. He is past chairperson of The Actuarial Foundation. He was appointed to the Actuarial Standards Board in 2003 serving as Chair for 2006 and 2007 when his term ended. He served on the Board and as Chair of the National Association of State

Comprehensive Health Insurance Plans (NASCHIP) during 1996-1998, 2005-2008 and 2013-present. He served as Chair of the International Actuarial Association's Education Committee from 1999 through 2004. In addition, he served as Chair of the Nebraska Life and Health Guaranty Association as well as serving on the Board of Directors of the National Organization of Life and Health Guaranty Associations including serving as Treasurer.

During his career, Mr. Bykerk has been actively involved regarding Genetic Testing and Major Medical insurance, having made presentations to various professional, academic and regulatory bodies, and writing articles and white papers. Mr. Bykerk started his career on the life insurance side of the business, spending over 15 years in that specialty area. Mr. Bykerk received his bachelor's degree from the University of Denver in 1966, and his master's degree from the University of Nebraska Lincoln in 1968.

Menu

In your RSVP, please note your selection between:

White Bean Stew with Grilled Cauliflower Steak

Roasted Beef Sandwich with mustard potato salad

Grilled Chicken Sandwich with Italian pasta salad

Classic Tuna Salad Sandwich with house giardiniera

If you do not provide a selection, we will default to the White Bean Stew.

Cost

\$35.00 per person. Please make checks payable to the Iowa Actuaries Club.

Checks can be mailed to:

Iowa Actuaries Club

Attn: John Fleming

9000 Northpark Drive

Johnston, Iowa 50131

Dues

Dues were due by the end of October. If you have not yet paid your \$10, please make checks payable to the Iowa Actuaries Club and mail to John Fleming at the address above. You may write one check for both dues and cost of the meeting.

Reservations

Please make reservations through your company contact by **Monday, December 3rd**. Company contacts please compile reservations (*including lunch preferences*) and e-mail totals to John Fleming at jfleming@deltadentalia.com. If your company contact has changed, please let me know.

If you have questions or suggestions concerning the club's activities, please contact any of the officers.

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