



The Insurance  
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Ipswich, Suffolk  
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Chartered Insurance Institute



Dear Member,

I can't quite believe that it's been a month since my last message. I think every past president will agree with me that a year is a very short time when it comes to their turn. However I am determined to squeeze as much as I can into my 12 months, and plans are coming along nicely!



## Get In Touch!

All of our professional, educational and social events are aimed at serving our members and I am keen to hear from as many of you as possible about what you need and expect from council. If you have any ideas or thoughts please do get in touch with us at [ipswichinstitute@cii.co.uk](mailto:ipswichinstitute@cii.co.uk) and let us know; we'd love to hear from you.

## Insurance Charities Awareness Week 19th-23rd June

The Insurance Charities is the charity for the UK and Irish insurance industry, providing support for current and former insurance employees and their dependants since 1902. Last year, they gave over £1.2 million to insurance people in need. The aim of the awareness week in June is quite simply to spread the word amongst as many people working in the insurance sector as possible; letting them know that there is a dedicated charity to provide help and support to insurance employees and their families if they ever need it. A percentage of all the funds raised through our

charity events this year will go to the Insurance Charities - and to help keep this in everyone's mind, I will be bringing a display box of goodies along to future events, to which you are welcome to help yourself. Take a look at [www.theinsurancecharities.org.uk](http://www.theinsurancecharities.org.uk) to find out more.



## Women in CILA Event - 'Mentoring Moments'

This event, being arranged by the Chartered Institute of Loss Adjusters, has been brought to my attention and whilst unfortunately I can't attend, I wanted to let you all know about it, as it's open to both members and non-members and sounds really interesting. It is being held at the JLT Offices in London, on Thursday 29th June in the afternoon. The subject is around the value of mentorship and removing the discomfort of asking someone to be your mentor. For more details and to book, please visit <http://www.cila.co.uk/cila/events/cpd/540-women-in-cila-event-mentoring-moments>

## Education

Our education programme continues to go from strength to strength. The value of these sessions really cannot be overestimated – they are a superb resource and I strongly encourage all members to take advantage of them. Our education team is still working on a few additional items for this year, so please keep an eye out for our e-flyers.

On **Friday 7th July** Stephen King of Mills & Reeve is coming to provide a Legal Updates session. This will include updates on the Insurance Act, the Enterprise Act, Third Party (Rights Against Insurers) Act 2010, Discount rate, Fixed costs, Vicarious Liability and a case update. Spaces for this session were all booked within one day of posting the event and so I am pleased to confirm that we will now be using a bigger space and have re-opened the bookings.

On **Thursday 20th July** we are holding a session on the Ogden Tables (discount rate changes on PI claims) with Alan Chandler. This has proved a very popular event and I understand it is already fully booked. However, watch this space, as our education team has committed to a second session later on in the year and will be circulating details very soon.

Hopefully you will have received the flyer to confirm the re-schedule of our event with Sam White. We tried out a new idea of holding an after work seminar followed by drinks and networking, but the small number of bookings suggested that this was not going to be popular. In order to ensure the event would be accessible for as many members as possible, we decided to reschedule to our normal lunchtime format on **Wednesday 26th July**. Sam White, CEO of Pukka Insure, is a serial entrepreneur and a gifted communicator and this will be a session you won't want to miss!

Full details on all events and how to book your place are available on our web site at <http://www.localinstitutes.cii.co.uk/ipswich/home/events/forthcoming-events/>

## Social

### Greene King Brewery Tour

There are still a few places left for the Green King Brewery tour which is arranged for the evening of **Thursday 22nd June**.

I've grabbed my place so I hope to see you there!

Click [here](#) to book.



Our social team is busy working on the full schedule for the year, which will include Summer Networking drinks, our annual charity quiz (which we may expand to a second venue in Colchester if there is the appetite), and perhaps a go karting event in the Autumn! Look out for our e-flyers for further updates.

## Annual Dinner 2018 – Save The Date!



I am excited to announce that, following an extensive procurement exercise, we have chosen a new venue! Our 2018 annual dinner will be held on Friday 20th April in The Hangar at Milsoms Kesgrave Hall. This is a spectacular venue where the service is second to none and I am looking forward to sharing more details with you very soon. We always ask for feedback following the dinner and we are keen to show that we listen and take account of it, positive or negative. One area that I knew we could improve on was menu design, and I am confident that our new venue will provide the choice, quality and diversity for which you are looking. Tickets will go on sale very shortly with an early bird reduction, so watch out for the e-flyer and make sure to book early to secure your place.

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