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Jinwon Cho

*Manager, Risk Management Department
LINA Life Insurance Korea*

Jinwon holds the position of Manager at Lina Life Insurance Korea within the Risk Management Department, where he plays a pivotal role in overseeing insurance risk and ensuring compliance with the new capital regulatory regime, K-ICS. His journey in the actuarial field began at AXA Insurance Korea, where he started as a pricing actuary and later transitioned to a valuation actuary role. Subsequently, Jinwon contributed significantly to the IFRS 17 implementation project at Samsung Fire and Marine, a major P&C firm in Korea, during his tenure at PwC Korea. Notably, he also spearheaded the ALM and K-ICS implementation project at ABL Life Insurance Korea. Jinwon actively engages in K-ICS task force discussions with regulatory bodies to address industry-wide challenges and share insights. His commitment to professional development is evidenced by his Master's degree in Actuarial Science from the Australian National University, underscoring his deep expertise and dedication to the field.



Vincent Chen, ASA

*Senior Consultant, Luminous Actuarial Consulting Taiwan
CEO, AC Actuarial Consulting Korea*

Vincent currently serves as the CEO of AC Actuarial Consulting in Korea and holds the position of a senior consultant at Luminous Actuarial Consulting in Taiwan. With an extensive background spanning over 20 years in actuarial practices, he specializes in liability and asset modeling, valuation, and pricing within global consulting firms and life insurance companies across Taiwan, Hong Kong, and Korea. Notably, Vincent has actively contributed to IFRS 17 and K-ICS implementation projects in Korea in recent years, showcasing his expertise and commitment to advancing industry standards and practices.



Scott Chow, FSA, FRM, CERA, FASHK, FAICT

*Head of Life Insurance Consulting, Taiwan
Milliman Taiwan*

Scott Chow is the Head of Life Insurance Consulting in Milliman's Taiwan office, and he is responsible for expanding Milliman's presence in the market and providing insights on various insurance and actuarial subject matters to companies in market. Scott is a seasoned consultant with broad experience in the Asia Pacific region covering different actuarial topics including but not limited to merger and acquisition, initial public offering support, product development and pricing, product and distribution strategy, supporting appointed / independent actuary and risk-based capital related projects.

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Erica Chan, FSA, CERA, FASHK

*Principal & Consulting Actuary
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Erica Chan is a principal and consulting actuary in Milliman's life insurance consulting practice in Hong Kong. She has 13 years' experience in the life insurance industry. She has worked on numerous merger and acquisition, capital planning, appointed actuary, EV methodology review and enhancement, actuarial modelling (embedded values, Solvency II/ RBC, IFRS 17, US GAAP) and business planning projects across multiple markets in Asia Pacific region. She is also active in the risk management space including but not limited to ORSA review and setting risk appetite.



Chadwick Cheung, FIA

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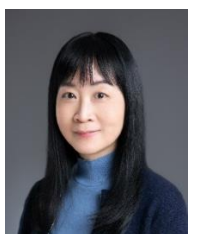
Chad is a life actuary with industry and consulting experience in the UK and Hong Kong. He has worked on a wide variety of topics including actuarial transformation, modelling, due diligence, capital and financial reporting. Chad is also a member of the Actuarial Innovation Committee in the Actuarial Society of Hong Kong.



Edwin Xu,

*Analyst
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Edwin Xu is an Analyst with the Actuarial Practice of Oliver Wyman and is based in Hong Kong. Before joining Oliver Wyman, Edwin interned at a direct insurer, a reinsurer, and a consulting company in Hong Kong. His working experience covers M&A, actuarial modelling, actuarial reporting, GI pricing, market trend desk research and analysis, and various types of insurance consulting projects. Edwin holds a bachelor degree in Actuarial Science.



Orchis Li, FIA

*General Manager, Strategy & CI Research, Asia Life/Health
Gen Re*

Orchis Li is the General Manager of Gen Re's Hong Kong Branch. She joined Gen Re in 2015 and is responsible for the management of the Hong Kong branch and MNCs client relationships. Orchis also has the responsibilities of driving InsurTech strategy as well as analytics and development of CI products for Asia. She has more than 20 years of experience with the insurance industry. Orchis is the Chairman of the Hong Kong Federation of Insurers. She has also been appointed as a member of the Industry Advisory Committee with the Insurance Authority, the Complaints Panel & the General Committee under The Insurance Complaints Bureau and the Appeal Panel on Disciplinary Actions for the VHIS. Orchis is also an active member of various committees with the Actuarial Society of Hong Kong.

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Kevin Low is a Risk Solutions Director at Conning Asia Pacific (康利亞太), responsible for applying Conning's Economic Scenario Generator to a range of applications including: measuring TVOG, risk capital and SAA.

Prior to joining Conning, Kevin was in the regional credit risk department at Credit Agricole CIB, specializing in improving their risk monitoring and reporting processes. He then moved to Moody's Analytics where he was responsible for providing advisory services to financial institutions in Asia Pacific on actuarial and risk solutions.

Kevin holds a Master's degree in Financial Mathematics from the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, and a Bachelor's degree in Risk Management Science from the Chinese University of Hong Kong. He is an Associate of the Society of Actuaries, a CFA charterholder and a certified FRM.



Rebecca Zhang, FSA, FCIA

*Head of Regional Partnerships, Innovation and Product Development, Fast Growing Market
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Rebecca ZHANG is the Head of Regional Partnerships, Innovation and Product Development for Fast Growing Market at SCOR Life & Health, responsible for developing relationships with priority clients, generating new business opportunities and facilitating product and solution development.

Rebecca first joined SCOR Hong Kong in 2016 and has worked in both Pricing and Marketing roles, focusing on product development and client management.

Prior to SCOR, Rebecca worked in Toronto with both traditional roles such as consultancies and insurance companies, and non-traditional roles such as being one of the first members of the NMG North American practice, and as a senior leader at a listed P2P insurtech startup.

Rebecca is a Fellow of the Society of Actuaries and a Fellow of the Canadian Institute of Actuaries.

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