

Prime Re Academy – stands for reengineering the academic state-of-the-art into practical applications. It is a “refinery” of useful techniques and important methods, in which longstanding PRS experts train other insurance professionals with hands-on workshops.

Prime Re Academy is pleased to invite you to attend its workshop in Zurich, Switzerland in October 2017. Focus will be set on the following topic:

The Standard Model of the Swiss Solvency Test

As an introduction or a refresher to the major risk based solvency scheme, Prime Re Academy offers a workshop where an in-depth overview of the standard framework is reflected. The workshop focuses on the Swiss Solvency Test (SST) and reviews all the modules of the FINMA template. For actuaries wishing to enhance their SST modelling skills or facing their first SST submission, this is an optimal chance to sharpen their expertise.

The workshop, addresses both the underlying theory and concept as well as the practical implementations with Excel[®] templates. This workshop can be combined with the successive workshop “Risk, Capital and Solvency Models – an ORSA Perspective”.

Target Group

The workshop is designed for all professionals who are interested in actuarial and financial modelling. Participants do not need to be fully qualified actuaries, however, they will benefit from a good command of Excel[®] (without VBA). In addition, they should be familiar with elementary concepts of insurance, statistics and stochastics.

CPD Credits

Attendance to each workshop will automatically credit members of the Swiss Actuarial Association with 10 CPD credit points. Members of other actuarial associations will receive a certificate they can submit to their CPD committee.

Conceptual framework

The Prime Re Academy workshops are of technical nature and structured such that theory and practice alternately complement each other, creating a lively learning platform. We simultaneously present on two separate screens the theoretical foundations in PowerPoint® format and the matching practical applications on an Excel® platform. Thanks to the interlocking of theory and practice, the course contents can be taught in a most efficient manner and the participants can be challenged intensively.

Participants should bring along their own laptops so that they can implement and test the theoretical concepts with the Excel® prototypes we will hand over to them.

Moreover, to enhance the international learning experience and networking, the workshop includes a joint dinner: this way the participants quickly get to know each other and the lecturers, so that promptly a dynamic atmosphere of mutual challenge and know-how transfer sets in. In particular we encourage the participants to steer the focus of the workshop according to their current needs, e.g. with more emphasis on life or property & casualty business.

Dates and Schedule

Monday, 16 October 2017	08.00 – 08.30	<i>registration</i>
	08.30 – 12.30	<i>workshop</i>
	12.30 – 13.30	<i>lunch</i>
	14:00 – 18.00	<i>workshop</i>
	18.30 – 20.30	<i>dinner</i>
Tuesday, 17 October 2017	08.30 – 12.30	<i>workshop</i>
	12.30 – 13.30	<i>lunch</i>

Fees

CHF 1'200 early-bird, if payment before 15 September 2017

CHF 1'500 if payment after 15 September 2017

CHF 500 for unemployed participants

A discount of CHF 500 for the third participant of the same company will be granted.

In combination with another one or two PRA workshop(s) in October 2017 discounts are granted. These discounts may not be combined with other reductions and are valid only for the same participant.

Discounts: CHF 500 for two workshops
CHF 1'000 for all three workshops

These fees are binding and must be transferred before 2 October 2017 on the Credit Suisse account

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The fees will be refunded in total in case of cancellation before 2 October 2017 or if the workshops must be cancelled.

The fees include: - the workshops
- the documentations
- the prototypes in Excel®
- the dinners and lunches

Registration

Registration will be closed after 2 October 2017.

[The Standard Model of the Swiss Solvency Test](#)



Venue

Hotel St. Gotthard, Bahnhofstrasse 87, 8021 Zurich, Switzerland

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Dress casual and comfortable.

Participants from abroad can reserve a room at approx. 290 CHF per night in the venue hotel. Alternatively, they can ask us for assistance with booking a room at a convenient location.

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Lecturers

Dr Frank Cuypers has led numerous actuarial engineering and modeling courses and workshops in Europe and Latin America. He comes with a vast lecturing experience and a prominent scientific track record in modeling complex systems. As a Swiss Re Executive and Chief Actuary at the former Zurich Re in Cologne, he has wide experience in most actuarial disciplines and lines of business, which he has deployed at KPMG and PwC to advise leading providers of financial services and Government Agencies. He is a fully qualified member of the German and Swiss Actuarial Associations (DAV and SAV), which he has served on numerous committees.



Simone Dalessi graduated with a M.Sc. in mathematics from the University of Zurich, and comes with significant expertise in statistics and cryptology. He started his actuarial career with PRS, helping (re)insurers in their pricing, reserving, regulatory and solvency issues, and he has been instrumental in establishing several foreign insurer's branch offices in Switzerland. He is a fully qualified member of the Swiss Actuarial Association (SAV).

For more details on their experience and expertise, please click [here](#) or scan the QR-code

