Learning Objectives for Property – Casualty Insurance Fundamentals

Assignment 1: Understanding Risk

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Understanding and Quantifying Risk | Describe each of the following in the context of risk: |
| | Uncertainty |
| | Possibility |
| | Possibility compared with probability |
| Classifications of Risk | Explain how the following classifications of risk apply |
| | and how they help in risk management: |
| | Pure and speculative risk |
| | Subjective and objective risk |
| | Diversifiable and non-diversifiable risk |
| | Quadrants of risk (hazard, operational, |
| | financial, and strategic) |
| Financial Consequences of Risk | Describe the three financial consequences of risk. |

Assignment 2: Risk Management

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Basic Purpose and Scope of Risk Management | Describe the basic purpose and scope of risk management in terms of the following: • How risk management is practiced by individuals and organizations • The basic distinction between traditional risk management and enterprise-wide risk management |
| Loss Exposures | Describe the following elements of property, liability, personnel, and net income loss exposures: |
| Risk Management Benefits | Describe the benefits of risk management and how it reduces the financial consequences of risk for individuals, organizations, and society. |
| Risk Management Program Goals | Summarize pre-loss and post-loss risk management program goals and the conflicts that can arise as they are implemented. |
| The Risk Management Process | Describe each of the steps in the risk management process. |

Assignment 3: Risk Control

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Risk Control Techniques | Describe the six categories of risk control |
| | techniques in terms of the following: |
| | Whether each reduces loss frequency, |
| | reduces loss severity, or makes losses more |

| | predictable How each can be used to address a particular loss exposure How they differ from another |
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| Risk Control Goals | Explain how an organization can use risk control techniques and measures to achieve the following risk control goals: • Implement effective and efficient risk control measures • Comply with legal requirements • Promote life safety • Ensure business continuity |
| Application of Risk Control Techniques | Explain how risk control techniques can be applied to property, liability, personnel, and net income loss exposures. |
| Business Continuity Management | Describe business continuity management in terms of its scope, the process used to implement it, and the contents of a typical business continuity plan. |

Assignment 4: Risk Financing

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Risk Financing Goals | Explain how individuals or organizations can achieve their overall and risk management goals by fulfilling the following risk financing goals: Pay for losses Manage the cost of risk Manage cash flow variability Maintain an appropriate level of liquidity Comply with legal requirements |
| Retention and Transfer | Describe the following aspects of retention and transfer: Retention funding measures Limitations on risk transfer measures The advantages of both retention and transfer |
| Selecting Appropriate Risk Financing Measures | Explain how the following can affect the selection of the appropriate risk financing measure: Ability of a risk financing measure to meet risk financing goals Loss exposure characteristics Characteristics specific to an individual or organization |
| Risk Financing Measures | Explain how an organization meets its risk financing goals by using the following risk financing measures: • Guaranteed cost insurance • Self-insurance • Large deductible plans • Captives • Finite risk plans |

| | • Pools |
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| | Retrospective rating plans |
| | Hold-harmless agreements |
| | Capital market solutions |
| Traditional Risk Management Versus ERM | Contrast traditional risk management and ERM. |
| Improving Strategic Decision Making With ERM | Explain how an organization can improve its |
| | strategic decision-making by incorporating |
| | enterprise-wide risk management (ERM). |
| ERM in Approaching Business Uncertainties | Explain why ERM is an effective approach to use to |
| | face business uncertainties. |
| Major Risk Management Frameworks and | Summarize the main risk management frameworks |
| Standards | and standards. |

Assignment 5: Insurance as a Risk Management Technique

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| How Insurance Reduces Risk | Explain how insurance reduces risk through pooling. |
| Benefits of Insurance | Explain how insurance benefits individuals, |
| | organizations, and society. |
| Characteristics of an Ideally Insurable Loss Exposure | Explain why each of the six characteristics of an |
| | ideally insurable loss exposure is important to the |
| | insurance mechanism. |
| Insurability of Commercial Loss Exposures | Explain how the six characteristics of an ideally |
| | insurable loss exposure apply to commercial loss |
| | exposures. |
| Insurability of Personal Loss Exposures | Explain how the six characteristics of an ideally |
| | insurable loss exposure apply to personal loss |
| | exposures. |
| Government Insurance Programs | Explain how state and federal governments are |
| | involved in the insurance market and the rationale |
| | for, and level of, their involvement. |

Assignment 6: Overview of InsuranceOperations

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Classifications of Insurers | Explain how insurers have organized to provide |
| | property-casualty insurance. |
| Insurer Goals | Describe the major goals of an insurer. |
| Constraints on Achieving Insurer Goals | Describe the internal and external constraints that |
| | impede insurers from achieving their major goals. |
| Measuring Insurer Performance | Describe the measurements used to evaluate how |
| | successful an insurer is at meeting its established |
| | goals. |
| Functional View of Insurance | Describe the core and supporting functions |
| | performed by insurers. |

Assignment 7: Insurance Marketing and Distribution

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Property-Casualty Insurance Marketplace | Describe the following attributes of the competitive |
| | property-casualty insurance marketplace: |
| | distinguishing characteristics of insurance |
| | customers, insurer marketing differentiations, and |
| | unique factors in the insurance marketplace. |
| Insurer Marketing Activities | Explain how typical insurer marketing activities are |
| | performed and why they are performed. |
| Insurance Distributions Systems and Channels | Describe the main types of insurance distribution |
| | systems and channels, including the principal |
| | characteristics that distinguish one distribution |
| | system from another. |
| Functions of Insurance Producers | Describe the functions performed by insurance |
| | producers. |
| Distribution System and Channel Selection for | Describe the key factors an insurer should evaluate |
| Insurance Marketing | during the distribution-system and distribution- |
| | channel selection process. |

Assignment 8: Underwriting Property & Casualty Insurance

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Purpose of Underwriting | Describe the purpose of underwriting. |
| Underwriting Activities | Describe the underwriting activities typically performed by line and staff underwriters. |
| Underwriting Authority | Describe the importance of compliance with underwriting authority in individual account selection. |
| Constraints in Establishing Underwriting Policy | Describe the constraining factors considered in the establishment of underwriting policy. |
| Implementing Underwriting Policy | Describe the purposes that underwriting guidelines and underwriting audits serve. |
| Steps in the Underwriting Process | Summarize the steps in the underwriting process and the purpose of each. |
| Measuring Underwriting Results | Explain how an insurer's underwriting results are measured and how financial measures can be distorted. |
| Underwriting Property Insurance Using the COPE Model | Describe in detail each of the COPE factors used to evaluate property loss exposures. |
| Property Policy Provision Underwriting Considerations | Explain how insurable interest, policy provisions for valuing losses, and insurance to value affect a loss payment amount under property insurance. |
| Measures of Potential Loss Severity | Explain how underwriters use policy amount, amount subject, normal loss expectancy (NLE), probable maximum loss (PML), and maximum foreseeable loss (MFL) to measure potential loss severity. |

| Underwriting Business Income and Extra Expense Coverage | Describe the underwriting considerations for business income and extra expense coverage. |
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| Underwriting Commercial Crime Insurance | Describe the underwriting considerations and risk control techniques associated with employee dishonesty and crimes committed by others. |
| Underwriting Commercial General Liability Insurance | Describe the loss exposures and the underwriting considerations for commercial general liability insurance. |
| Underwriting Personal and Commercial Auto Insurance | Describe the underwriting considerations for personal and commercial auto insurance. |
| Workers Compensation Underwriting Considerations | Describe the underwriting considerations for personal and commercial auto insurance. |
| Underwriting Umbrella and Excess Liability Insurance | Describe the underwriting considerations for personal and commercial auto insurance. |

Assignment 9: Risk Control and Premium Auditing

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Insurer Risk Control Goals | Describe the goals of insurer risk control activities. |
| Risk Control Services Provided by Insurers | Describe the risk control services provided by insurers. |
| Cooperation Between Risk Control and Other Insurer Functions | Explain how risk control cooperates with other insurer functions. |
| Reasons for Premium Auditing | Explain why premium audits are conducted. |
| Premium Auditing Process | Describe the premium auditing process. |
| Importance of Accurate Premium Audits | Explain why premium audits must be accurate. |
| Premium Auditing Contributions | Explain how premium auditing contributes to other insurer functions. |

Assignment 10: Adjusting Property and Liability Claims

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Overview of the Claim Function | Identify the goals of the claim function; the users of claim information, and the parties with whom claim personnel interact. |
| Claim Department Structure, Personnel, and Performance | Describe the claim departments in terms of the following: How they are structured The types and functions of claim personnel How their performance can be measured |
| Measures Used to Ensure Regulatory Compliance | Explain how the following measures are used to ensure regulatory compliance: Claim guidelines, policies, and procedures |

| Activities in the Claim Handling Process Framework for Coverage Analysis | Controls Supervisor and manager reviews Claim audits Summarize the activities performed in the claim handling process and the purpose of each. Describe the coverage analysis process that is used |
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| Applying the Claim Handling Process and the Framework for Coverage Analysis | to determine if the policy provides coverage Given a claim scenario, demonstrate how a claim representative can use the claim handling process and framework for coverage analysis to resolve a claim. |
| Property Claim Handling Process | Explain how and why the activities in the framework for handling property claims are accomplished. |
| Handling Specific Types of Property Claims | Describe the challenges of handling the following types of property claims: Residential dwelling claims Residential personal property claims Commercial structure claims Business income claims Merchandise claims Transportation and bailment claims Catastrophe claims |
| Liability Claim Handling Process | Explain how and why the activities in the framework for handling a liability claim are accomplished. |
| Handling Specific Types of Liability Claims | Describe the challenges of handling the following types of claims: • Auto bodily injury liability claims • Auto property damage claims • Premises liability claims • Operations liability claims • Products liability claims • Workers compensation claims • Professional liability claims |

Assignment 11: Reinsurance Principles and Programs

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Reinsurance and Its Functions | Describe reinsurance and its principal functions. |
| Reinsurance Sources | Describe the three sources of reinsurance. |
| Reinsurance Transactions | Describe treaty reinsurance and facultative reinsurance. |
| Types of Pro Rata and Excess of Loss Reinsurance | Summarize the types of pro rata reinsurance and excess of loss reinsurance and their uses. |
| Alternatives to Traditional Reinsurance | Describe finite risk reinsurance and other methods that rely on capital markets as alternatives to |

| | traditional and non-traditional reinsurance. |
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| Reinsurance Program Design | Describe the factors that should be considered in the design of a reinsurance program. |
| Reinsurance Program Design Case Studies | Given a case, identify the reinsurance needs of an insurer and recommend an appropriate reinsurance program to meet those needs. |

Assignment 12: Insurance Accounting

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Qualitative Accounting Information Criteria | Explain the following qualitative accounting information criteria: • Understandability • Relevance • Reliability • Comparability and consistency • Lack of bias • Cost-benefit effectiveness |
| Types of Accounting Frameworks | Describe the frameworks and the intended users and focus of each of the following sets of accounting frameworks: • Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) accounting • Regulatory/supervisory accounting • Tax accounting • Management accounting |
| Accounting Frameworks and Rule Hierarchies | Explain the concept of a rule hierarchy and the sources of the following accounting frameworks: • Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) • Regulatory/supervisory accounting • Tax accounting |
| Selected Accounting Concepts | Summarize the following accounting concepts: Fair value versus historical cost Recognition versus measurement Deferral-matching versus asset-liability Impairment Revenue recognition Reporting segment Liquidation versus going concern Change in accounting principle versus change in accounting estimate Principle-based versus rule-based |
| Fundamentals of Insurer Financial Statements | Describe the purpose and primary components of these key schedules of an insurer's financial statements: Balance sheet Income statement Cash flow statement |

| | Notes and disclosures |
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| Premium Accounting—Revenue Recognition | Explain how and when insurers recognize premium revenue in their financial statements under deferral- matching and asset-liability approaches. |
| Premium Accounting—Types of Written Premium | Distinguish between the various types of written premium and policy transactions that may not be classified as premium. |
| Other Premium Accounting Issues | Summarize the implications of these premium accounting issues: • Financing—premiums versus service charges • Earning premium before it is written • Extended reporting endorsements (definite versus indefinite periods) • Reinsurance lags • Large deductible credits |
| Unearned Premium | Summarize the purpose of unearned premium and these issues associated with how premiums are earned over time: • Pro rata and non-pro rata approaches to earning premium • Multiyear policies • Liability adequacy test and the premium deficiency reserve |
| The Relationship Between Loss Reserves and the Unearned Premium Reserve | Explain the relationship between loss reserves and the unearned premium reserve. |
| Loss and Loss Adjustment Expense Accounting | Describe the following issues related to loss and loss adjustment expense (LAE) accounting: • Loss accounts • Loss cycle • Paid loss versus cash payment • Recoverable amounts • Accounting for discounted reserves • Self-insurer issues |
| Reinsurance Accounting Basics | Explain the accounting and financial reporting considerations, including how values in insurers' financial reports are influenced by lags in the reporting of reinsurance transactions and bordereau reporting, for these types of reinsurance: • Assumed reinsurance • Ceded reinsurance • Commutations • Prospective versus retroactive reinsurance |
| Deposit Accounting | Explain the conditions under which an accounting framework may require deposit accounting for an insurance contract, and the operation of three general forms of deposit accounting rules. |

Assignment 13: Insurance Policy Analysis

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Distinguishing Characteristics of Insurance Policies | Describe the following characteristics of insurance policies, including common exceptions to these characteristics. Indemnity Utmost good faith Fortuitous losses Contract of adhesion Exchange of unequal amounts Conditional Nontransferable |
| Structure of Insurance Policies | Describe these approaches to insurance policy structure and how they can affect policy analysis: • Self-contained and modular policies • Preprinted and manuscript policies • Standard and nonstandard forms • Endorsements and other related documents |
| Policy Provisions | Describe the purpose(s) and characteristics of each of these types of policy provisions in a property-casualty insurance policy: Declarations Definitions Insuring agreements Exclusions Conditions Miscellaneous provisions |
| Policy Analysis | Describe the primary methods of insurance policy analysis. |

Assignment 14: Common Policy Concepts

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Insurable Interest | Given a case, evaluate one or more entities' insurable interests. |
| Insurance to Value | Explain why insurance to value is important to property insurers, how insurers encourage insurance to value, and what insureds can do to address the problems associated with maintaining insurance to value. |
| Property Valuation Methods | Explain how property is valued under each of the following valuation methods in property insurance policies: • Actual cash value |

| | Replacement costAgreed valueFunctional valuation |
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| Valuation of Liability Claims | Explain how the amount payable for a claim covered under a liability insurance policy is determined. |
| Reasons for Property Deductibles | Explain how deductibles in property insurance benefit the insured. |
| Liability Deductibles and Self-Insured Retentions | Explain when and why deductibles and self- insured retentions are appropriate for use in liability insurance. |
| Other Sources Of Recovery | Describe the multiple sources of recovery that may be available to an insurance policyholder for a covered loss. |

Assignment 15: Personal Auto Policy Coverages

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Overview of the Personal Auto Policy | Summarize the sections of the Personal Auto Policy. |
| Declarations | Identify the types of information typically contained on the declarations page of a personal auto policy. |
| Definitions | Define the words and phrases included in the definitions section of the Personal Auto Policy. |
| Part A - Liability Coverage | Summarize each of the provisions in Part A - Liability Coverage of the Personal Auto Policy. |
| Part A - Liability Coverage Case Study | Given a case describing an auto liability claim, determine whether Part A - Liability Coverage of the Personal Auto Policy would cover the claim and, if so, the amount the insurer would pay for the claim. |
| Part B - Medical Payments Coverage | Summarize each of the provisions in Part B - Medical Payments Coverage of the Personal Auto Policy. |
| Part B - Medical Payments Coverage Case Study | Given a case describing an auto medical payments claim, determine whether Part B - Medical Payments Coverage of the Personal Auto Policy would cover the claim and, if so, the amount the insurer would pay for the claim. |
| Part C - Uninsured Motorists Coverage | Summarize each of the provisions in Part C - Uninsured Motorists Coverage of the Personal Auto Policy. |
| UM/UIM Endorsements and State Variations | Describe underinsured motorists coverage in terms of: • Its purpose • The ways in which it can vary by state |
| Part C - Uninsured Motorists Coverage Case Study | Given a case describing an uninsured motorists |

| | claim, determine whether Part C - Uninsured Motorists Coverage of the Personal Auto Policy would cover the claim and, if so, the amount the insurer would pay for the claim. |
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| Part D – Coverage for Damage to Your Auto | Summarize each of the provisions in Part D - Damage to Your Auto Coverage of the Personal Auto Policy. |
| Part D – Coverage for Damage to Your Auto Case Study | Given a case describing a damage to your auto claim, determine whether Part D - Damage to Your Auto Coverage of the Personal Auto Policy would cover the claim and, if so, the amount the insurer would pay for the claim. |
| Part E – Duties After an Accident or Loss | Identify the insured's duties after an auto accident or loss covered by the Personal Auto Policy. |
| Part F – General Provisions | Summarize each of the provisions in Part F – General of the Personal Auto Policy. |
| Common Endorsements to the Personal Auto Policy | Describe policy endorsements that provide coverage additions or modifications for customers who have coverage needs beyond the unendorsed Personal Auto Policy |
| Personal Auto Coverage Case Study | Given a case describing an auto claim, determine whether the Personal Auto Policy would cover the claim and, if so, the amount the insurer would pay for the claim. |

Assignment 16: Personal Home Policy Coverages

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| ISO Homeowners Program | Describe how individuals and families can use the ISO Homeowners insurance program to address their personal risk management needs. |
| Overview of Homeowners Form HO-3 | Summarize these aspects of the 2011 Homeowners Program: • Structure of the Homeowners Policy (HO-3) • Key changes in the ISO 2011 Program Revision • Factors important to rating homeowners insurance |
| HO-3 Section I - Property Coverages | Determine whether the 2011 HO-3 policy provisions in the following Section I - Property Coverages provide coverage for a given loss or loss exposure: Coverage A – Dwelling Coverage B - Other Structures Coverage C - Personal Property |

| | Coverage D - Loss of Use |
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| | Additional Coverages |
| HO-3 Section I - Perils Insured Against and Exclusions | Summarize each of the 2011 HO-3 policy provisions: • Perils Insured Against • Exclusions |
| HO-3 Section I - Conditions | Summarize each of the 2011 HO-3 policy provisions in Section I - Conditions. |
| 2011 HO-3 Section I - Property Coverage Case Study | Given a scenario describing a homeowners property claim, determine whether the 2011 HO-3 Policy Section I - Property Coverages would cover the claim, and if so, the amount the insurer would pay for the claim. |
| HO-3 Section II – Liability Coverages | Determine whether the HO-3 policy provisions in the following Section II - Liability Coverages provide coverage for a given loss or loss exposure: Coverage E – Personal Liability Coverage F – Medical Payments to Others Additional Coverages |
| HO-3 Section II - Exclusions | Summarize each of the 2011 HO-3 policy provisions in Section II - Exclusions. |
| HO-3 Section II - Conditions | Summarize each of the 2011 HO-3 policy provisions in Section II - Conditions. |
| Determining Whether Homeowners Section II– Liability Coverages Covers a Claim | Given a scenario describing a homeowners property claim, determine whether the Homeowners Policy Section II – Liability Coverages would cover the claim, and if so, the amount the insurer would pay for the claim. |
| Coverage Variations in ISO Homeowners Forms | Compare the coverage provided by each of the following Homeowners policies to the coverage provided by the HO-3 policy: • HO-2 Broad Form • HO-3 Special Form • HO-4 Contents Broad Form • HO-5 Comprehensive Form • HO-6 Unit-Owners Form • HO-8 Modified Coverage Form |
| Commonly Used Endorsements that Modify the 2011 ISO Homeowners Policies | Describe the commonly used endorsements that are used to modify a homeowners policy coverage |
| HO-3 Coverage Case Study | Given a scenario describing a homeowners claim, determine whether the HO-3 policy that may include one or more endorsements would cover the claim and, if so, the amount the insurer would pay for the claim. |

Assignment 17: Commercial Property Coverages

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Overview of the Commercial Property Insurance | Describe commercial property insurance in terms of these elements: • The major categories of loss exposures that can be covered • The components of a commercial property coverage part |
| BPP Covered Property | Determine whether a described item of property qualifies as Covered Property under one or more of these categories in the Building and Personal Property Coverage Form: Building Your Business Personal Property Personal Property of Others |
| BPP Additional Coverages and Coverage Extensions | Determine which of the additional coverages and coverage extensions of the Building and Personal Property Coverage Form apply to a described loss. |
| Causes of Loss—Basic Form and Broad Form | Determine whether the cause of a described loss is a covered cause of loss under either the Causes of Loss—Basic Form or the Causes of Loss—Broad Form. |
| Cause of Loss—Special Form | Determine whether the cause of a described loss is a Covered Cause of Loss under the Causes of Loss— Special Form. |
| BPP Limits of Insurance and Deductible | Apply the Limits of Insurance and Deductible provisions of the Building and Personal Property Coverage Form to a described loss. |
| BPP Loss Conditions and Additional Conditions | Explain how each of the Loss Conditions and Additional Conditions affects coverage under the Building and Personal Property Coverage Form. |
| BPP: Optional Coverages | Explain how each of the following optional coverages described in the BPP modifies the basic coverage of the BPP: • Agreed Value • Inflation Guard • Replacement Cost • Extension of Replacement Cost to Personal Property of Others |
| Commercial Property Conditions | Summarize each of the Commercial Property Conditions. |
| Common Policy Conditions | Explain how each of the conditions contained in the Common Policy Conditions affects coverage under a commercial property coverage part. |

| Commercial Property Endorsements | Explain how each of these documents modifies the Building and Personal Property Coverage Form: Ordinance or Law Coverage endorsement Spoilage Coverage endorsement Flood Coverage endorsement Earthquake and Volcanic Eruption Coverage endorsement Peak Season Limit of Insurance endorsement Value Reporting Form |
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| Factors Affecting Commercial Property Premium | Explain the factors affecting commercial property premiums. |
| Determine Whether the BPP Covers a Loss | Given a scenario describing a commercial property claim, determine whether the BPP policy would cover the claim, and if so, the amount the insurer would pay for the claim. |

Assignment 18: Commercial Liability Coverages

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Overview of Commercial General Liability Insurance | Describe commercial general liability insurance in terms of these elements: • The types of losses that can be covered by general liability insurance • The components of a commercial general liability coverage part |
| CGL Coverage A - Insuring Agreement | Determine whether a described claim meets the conditions imposed by the Coverage A insuring agreement of the Commercial General Liability Coverage Form (occurrence version). |

| CGL Coverage A - Exclusions | Determine whether any of the exclusions applicable to Coverage A of the Commercial General Liability Coverage Form eliminate coverage for a described claim. |
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| CGL Coverage B - Personal and Advertising Injury Liability | Determine whether a described claim meets the conditions imposed by the Coverage B insuring agreement of the Commercial General Liability Coverage Form and whether any of the Coverage B exclusions eliminate coverage for the claim. |
| CGL Coverage C - Medical Payments | Determine whether a described claim meets the conditions imposed by the Coverage C insuring agreement of the Commercial General Liability Coverage Form, and whether any of the Coverage C exclusions eliminate coverage for the claim. |
| CGL Supplementary Payments | Summarize the supplementary payments of the Commercial General Liability Coverage Form. |
| CGL Who is an Insured Provisions | Define whether a described person or organization is an insured under the Commercial General Liability Coverage Form. |
| CGL Limits of Insurance | Explain how the following limits of insurance in the CGL Coverage Form are applied: • Each occurrence limit • Personal and advertising injury limit • Damage to premises rented to you limit • Medical expense limit • General aggregate limit • Products-completed operations aggregate limit |
| CGL Conditions | Apply the Commercial general Liability conditions to claims or other interactions between the insured and the insurer |
| Rating CGL Coverage | Explain how the premium for CGL coverage is determined |
| Determining Whether the CGL Covers a Claims Case | Given a case, determine whether and for what amount the CGL Coverage Form (occurrence version) would cover the described claaim |

Assignment 19: Specialty Coverages

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Commercial Excess and Umbrella Liability Insurance | Describe commercial excess liability insurance and commercial umbrella liability insurance in terms of these characteristics: • The three basic types of commercial excess liability insurance • The provisions commonly found in |

| | commercial umbrella liability policies that distinguish them from other types of commercial liability policies |
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| Professional Liability and Management Liability Insurance | Describe professional liability insurance and management liability insurance in terms of these aspects: • How they differ from each other • How they differ from commercial general liability policies • The common types of professional and management liability policies |
| Environmental Insurance | Describe the purpose and characteristics of each of these types of environmental insurance policies: • Site-specific environmental impairment liability (EIL) policies • Underground storage tank compliance policies • Remediation stop-loss policies • Contractors pollution liability policies • Environmental professional errors and omissions liability policies |
| Aircraft Insurance | Describe aircraft insurance in terms of these characteristics: The purposes-of-use categories that insurers used to classify aircraft The coverages that can be included in an aircraft policy |
| Cyber Risk Insurance | Describe the types of losses that can be covered by each of the insuring agreements generally available in cyber risk insurance policies. |
| Insuring Foreign Operations | Explain how an organization domiciled in the United States can insure foreign loss exposures that would not be covered under standard property and liability insurance policies. |
| Terrorism Endorsements for Commercial Property and Liability Forms | Summarize the purpose and provisions of the terrorism endorsements developed by Insurance Services Office, Inc., and the National Council on Compensation Insurance, Inc. |
| Types of Surety Bonds | Summarize the guarantee provided by the particular types of surety bonds within the following bond classifications: |

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| Economic Impact of the Insurance Industry | Explain the economic impact of the insurance industry. |
| The Objectives of Insurance Regulation | Describe the objectives of insurance regulation. |
| The Sources of Insurance Regulation | Describe the three sources from which insurance regulatory powers originate: • Legislation • Judicial review • Administrative agencies |
| The Structure of Insurance Regulations | Describe the structure of insurance regulations. |
| Elements of Rate Regulation and Ratemaking | Describe the following elements of rate regulation and ratemaking: • Purpose and unique qualities of the insurance industry • Actuarial ratemaking principles and considerations in rate regulation • Insurance advisory organizations |
| Types of Rate Regulations | Compare the following types of rate regulation: Prior approval File and use Use and file Open competition Flex rating Government-mandated rates |
| Effects of Rate Regulation on Insurers | Summarize the effects of rate regulation on these aspects of insurance: • Resources required for complying with rate regulations • The underwriting cycle • Insurers' decision making regarding where to operate |

Assignment 21: Insurance Ratemaking Basics

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Ratemaking Requirements Related to Exposure | Describe, analyze, or design the information requirements for ratemaking related to exposures and demonstrate the use of exposures in ratemaking • Definition of exposure base Aggregation of exposures • Organization of data: calendar year, policy year, accident year • Changes in exposure • Basic insurance measures |
| Ratemaking Exposure Data | Explain how exposure data is used in ratemaking. Internal data Risk data Accounting information |

| Ratemaking Requirements Related to Premium | Data aggregation Calendar year Accident year Policy year Report year External data Describe the types of premium-related information required for ratemaking . Premium aggregation Adjustments to premium |
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| Ratemaking Premium Data | Using the loss ratio approach, explain how premiums are used in ratemaking analysis. Loss Ratio Indication Current Rate Level Premium Trend Loss Development Loss Trend |
| Ratemaking Requirements Related to Loss and Loss Adjustment Expenses | Loss definitions policy year, accident year, report year Loss data aggregation methods Common ratios involving loss statistics Adjustment to loses Loss adjustment expense (allocated and unallocated expenses) |
| Rating Differentials for Increased Limits and Deductibles | Develop rating differentials and relativities for deductibles and increased limits. Increased limits ratemaking Deductible pricing |
| Pricing Solutions to Achieve an Organization's Goals | Assess the considerations for implementing rates to achieve an organization's goals. Rating algorithms Rating variables and differentials Expense calculation Other considerations |

Assignment 22: Estimating Claim Liability

| MODULE TITLE | LEARNING OBJECTIVES |
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| Overview of Basic Claims Terminology | Understand the basic terminology used in estimating unpaid claims liability including: Insurer Reserves Claims, Losses and Claim Count Reported Claims Ultimate Claims Claims Related Expense Experience period Emergence |

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| Understanding the Claims Process | Summarize the activities and important characteristics of the claims process. Claims Professionals Claims Reporting The life of a claim |
| Understanding Data Used in Estimating Unpaid Claims | Describe the information requirements for estimating unpaid claims. Types of data and their sources Insurer reporting and understanding data Verification of the data Organization of data: calendar year, accident year, policy year, underwriting year, report year claims |
| The Claims Development Triangle | Organization of the development triangle Detailed examples of development triangles |
| Using the Claims Development Triangle as a Diagnostic Tool | Given an insurer's claims experience, explain how actuaries can use development triangles for diagnostic review. • Premium history • Reported and Paid Claims Triangle • Ratio of Paid to Reported Claims • Ratio of Paid Claims to On Level Earned Premium • Claims Count Triangles • Ratio of Closed to Reported Claim Counts • Average Claims |