

"ENERGISE INSURANCE IN INDIA!"


India Insurance Industry Essay Competition

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Important Dates

Launch Date 15 September 2018 • Closing Date 15 November 2018




Topics – pick one!

-  India as a Reinsurance Hub
-  The New World of Insurance/ Reinsurance in India in the Tech Era
-  The Future of Insurance – Cover or Service


Eligibility

-  Open to all insurance professionals working in India and students doing a two-year full-time insurance course from a reputed India-based insurance institute or university.

Prizes

-  **Winner:** The winner will receive a prize money of S\$1,000 **plus** a trip to attend and present his/her winning essay at the 12th India Rendezvous in Mumbai, in January 2019.
-  **Runner up:** A prize money of S\$500
-  The top-10 essays will be compiled into a book and distributed to all delegates attending the Rendezvous. All top-10 essayists will be invited to the Rendezvous and will also enjoy a one-year complimentary Online Subscription to *Asia Insurance Review*.

Essay Submission

-  All essays must be submitted electronically to:
adeline@asiainsurancereview.com

Rules

1. Essays will be evaluated by a panel of distinguished judges and assessed on: relevance to the essay topic chosen; relevance to the insurance industry; clarity of presentation and flow of ideas; and usage of proper English grammar. Writers must ensure that essays do not contain spelling errors or grammatical mistakes. Essayists should also avoid using bombastic words and contorted sentences, and ensure that ideas are expressed clearly and succinctly.
2. Each essay must be between 2,500 and 3,000 words. Charts and/or tables may be submitted, but they must be limited to a maximum of two charts and/or tables. All charts/tables must be relevant to the essay topic.
3. Only original submissions will be considered for the competition. Previously published works are not permitted. Entries must be checked and proofed against any form of plagiarism. Essays which are plagiarised will be automatically disqualified. A list of references and footnotes may be given but is not compulsory as long as ideas from other authors are properly attributed to within the essay. References and footnotes do **not** add the final word count for the essays.
4. Each submission must include a short 100-to-150-word resume of the writer along with a high-resolution passport-sized photograph in JPG format.
5. Format: All submissions must be in Microsoft Word (Doc) and double-spaced; Font must be Calibri; Font size must be 12 points; 1.5 interlinear space
6. Copyright in all submissions remain with authors. However, *Asia Insurance Review* reserves publication rights. Authors may re-use their own material **after** the competition.
7. Submissions incompatible with the above rules and conditions will not be considered.
8. Participation in the competition implies acceptance of the above terms and conditions. The judges' decision is final.

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