# 1st Inclusive Insurance Conference

2-3 October 2018

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Theme: "Blockchain & Digital Solutions for Climate Risks and Insurance Anywhere, Anytime, Everybody"

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Beckoning the new era of insurance, transactions and global inclusion: Blockchain. A digital, decentralised and immutable transaction ledger that uses cryptography for secure exchanges is a powerful platform for the interplay of new and existing models of insurance that may include agriculture, crop, parametric, climate risk and weather index-based insurance.

Over time, this could lead to new players entering the blockchain ecosystem. Smart contracts and risk pools with conglomerates and large global charities, would eventually enable inclusion of small scale suppliers, farmers, donors, cooperatives and government bodies. The collaborative commerce value is huge. At the same time regulatory and supervisory authorities will need to respond to a disruptive environment and based on the results of a 'sandbox' approach, among others, come up with new legislation applicable to Insurtech companies, while they will be adapting the consumer protection regulatory framework accordingly.

Asia Insurance Review, together with GIZ RFPI Asia\* as Co-organiser, is pleased to put together the first-ever Innovative Inclusive Insurance Conference to look at a supercharged insurance industry powered by blockchain technology and digitisation in combination with a modernised regulatory framework to drive growth, create new value and promote global financial inclusion through innovation and connectivity, and most importantly, to reach out and deliver the benefits and protection to everybody in particular the poor and vulnerable against extreme weather events anywhere and anytime.

\*GIZ RFPI Asia – Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) Regulatory Framework Promotion of Pro-poor Insurance Markets in Asia (RFPI Asia)

### Who Should Attend

- Insurers, Reinsurers, Brokers
- Government Institutions
- Regulators
- Banks
- Financiers
- Development Aid Agencies
- Donors, NGOs
- Climate Risks, Catastrophe & Seismology Experts
- Consultants and Service Providers to the Insurance Industry
- Innovators and engineers in blockchain technology
- Regtech, Fintech, InsurTech, Start-up companies

# Tuesday, 2 October 2018

# **Programme**

8.00am Registration & Coffee

9.00am Welcome Address by Conference Chairman

**Dr Antonis Malagardis** 

Programme Director, GIZ Regulatory Framework Promotion of Pro-poor

Insurance Markets in Asia (RFPI Asia)

9.10am Opening Keynote Address

**Dr Alexander Raubold** 

Counsellor of Economic and Commercial Affairs, Embassy of the Federal

Republic of Germany – Bangkok, Thailand

9.20am Official Keynote Address

Dr Chayanin Kerdpholngarm

Assistant Secretary General, Office of Insurance Commission, Thailand

9.30am Industry Address I by Thai General Insurance Association (TGIA)

**Nopadol Santipakorn** 

Vice President,

Thai General Insurance Association (TGIA)

9.40am Industry Address II by Thai Life Assurance Association (TLAA)

Sara Lamsam

Vice President, Marketing, Thai Life Assurance Association (TLAA);

President & CEO, Muang Thai Life Assurance Public Company Limited

9.50am International Keynote

Dr Davaasuren Sodnomdarjaa

Chair, MEFIN Network; Chairman, Financial Regulatory Commission of

Mongolia

10.00am International Address: Regulating For Innovation

Hannah Grant

Head of Secretariat,

Access to Insurance Initiative (A2ii)















### **Tuesday, 2 October 2018**

## **Programme**

10.10am Global Address - Blockchain in Production - Lessons Learnt

**David Piesse** 

Chief Risk Officer, Guardtime



10.20am Q&A

10.30am Tea Break

#### **Plenary Session 1: Blockchain & Digitisation of Insurance Processes**

11.00am • Mobile and digital insurance

- Digitisation of contracts
- Benefits and challenges of blockchain
- Insurtech and value chain approach
- Minimising basis risk in index-based insurance solutions

#### Panelists:

- Michiel Berende
   Inclusive Insurance Lead,
   Etherisc GmbH
- David Piesse Chief Risk Officer, Guardtime
- Mohammed Ali Ahmed
   Chief Strategy Officer & Executive Director,
   EFU Life Assurance Ltd
- Alvin Ang
   CEO, fidentiaX,
   Multi-disciplinary tech humanist
- Benjamin Dean President, Iconoclast Tech USA

12.30pm Lunch



### **Tuesday, 2 October 2018**

### **Programme**

Plenary session 2: Regulatory Aspects of Climate Risk Insurance (CRI) Digitisation and Sandbox Approach

2.00pm

- Complementary of private insurance and social protection
- Links to financial inclusion and social protection
- InsurTech Supervisory practices

#### Panelists:

#### • Zaidi Syed Nayyar Hussain

Director

Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan (SECP)

#### • Muhammad Salman Anjum

Founder & CEO,

Feelogical Solutions LLC & Blockpreneurs, Dubai

### Shwetank Verma Co-founder and Partner,

Leo Capital

#### • Hannah Grant

Head of Secretariat,

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#### 3.30pm

Tea Break

# Plenary session 3: Climate Risks, Data Collection and Disaster Risk Financing (DRF) Solutions

4.00pm

- Technologies for climate risk insurance (CRI) Indices, measurements, insurance delivery, literacy
- Climate risks assessment for Disaster Risk Financing (DRF) purposes
- Data-related key challenges
- National climate insurance schemes
- Insurance Pools among (re)insurers
- Interagency cooperation

#### Panelists:

#### • Dr Naoyuki Yoshino

Dean,

Asian Development Bank Institute (ADBI), Tokyo

#### • Dr Sittiporn Intuwonges

Representative, Thai General Insurance Association (TGIA); Senior Vice President, Thaire Services Company

#### Dr Vaibhav Sharma

Technical Expert, Global Programme, InsuResilience Initiative

5.30pm Close of Day One



### Wednesday, 3 Oct 2018

# **Programme**

#### **Plenary session 4:**

Spotlight on Indonesia, Philippines, Thailand and Vietnam
Digitisation and Blockchain Solutions for the Insurance & Reinsurance Industry

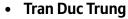
9.00am

- Use of technologies in inclusive insurance, climate risk insurance (CRI) and agriculture insurance
- Interagency cooperation

#### Panelists:

Atty Paola Sherina A Alvarez
 Assistant Secretary,

Department of Finance, Philippines



Deputy Head of Market Development Division, Insurance Supervisory Authority, Department of Finance, Vietnam

Lina Vongsa-Ath
 Regional Manager of Emerging Customer,
 AXA Indonesia





10.30am

Tea Break

Plenary Session 5: Sustainability of Peer-to-Peer Exchange and Sharing of Knowledge

11.00am

Inclusive Insurance Key Takeaways and the Next Steps

#### Panelists:

 Dr Davaasuren Sodnomdarjaa Chair, MEFIN Network; Chairman, Financial Regulatory Commission of Mongolia

Nilofer Sohail

Assistant General Manager and Head-Channel Strategy and Execution, EFU Life Assurance Ltd, Pakistan

• **Gereltugs Khulan**Foreign Relations Manager, Ulaanbaatar City Insurance LLC





12.30pm Lunch

# Wednesday, 3 Oct 2018 Programme

2.00pm Breakout Sessions: Concrete Suggestions Towards the Development of

A 'Roadmap For Digitalized Insurance to Tackle Climate Risks'

3.00pm Wrap-Up Session, Solutions & Key Takeaways

4.00pm Tea Break & Close of Conference



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