



The-Pensions-Net-Work

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A very warm welcome to the programme for our summer meeting – at a venue that we've not used for some time and which comes highly recommended. Shortly after the great success of our March meeting when the feedback was universally positive we were treated to a cracker of a budget from Chancellor George. Various described as Armageddon or "the best thing since sliced bread" it has certainly divided the industry and given everyone plenty to think about. We are of course looking in more depth at the proposals in our special themed event on 16th May – already sold out I'm afraid – but I'm sure we'll return to some of the proposals during the June meeting. The last meeting sold out so the message is very simple – if you want to be there – and hear from another glittering array of speakers drawn from across the industry- book early. And before anyone gets on their high horse yes I know it's an all male line up – that's certainly not by design. We just need more ladies prepared to put their head above the parapet – suggestions please- and I look forward to seeing you in June.

Thursday, 17.35 - 19.00



Henry Tapper
Business Development Director
First Actuarial LLP

"Why everything is nothing like it's been before!"

Our first speaker needs no introduction – one of the leading personalities in the world of pensions and a member of our Management Board – I've been hoping to get Henry to talk to us for some time. His blogs are always thought provoking – and sometimes outrageous – and of course the success of The Pensions Playpen has been phenomenal. From the title I glean nothing of what Henry will actually be talking about for sure it will be controversial perhaps even provocative and definitely topical.

Thursday, after dinner



Lucian Camp
Managing Director
Lucian Camp Consulting

"Pensions on The Box" A recap of some of the highs - and lows - of pensions advertising over the years

Our after dinner speaker also needs no introduction – a genuinely larger than life figure who has recently joined our management board Lucian has been involved in our industry for as long as I can remember. Lucian founded his first financial marketing agency twenty five years ago and after selling his second agency in 2007 he set up Lucian Camp Consulting in 2010. If you want to find out more I suggest you go to his website – www.luciancampconsulting.com – it's worth a look – and I have no doubt we will be well entertained on his tour of pensions advertising.

Friday, 08.35 – 09:40



Jonathan Lipkin
Director, Public Policy
IMA

"2020 Vision: The DC Delivery Challenge"

Our first speaker on Friday morning is Dr. Jonathan Lipkin from the Investment Management Association where he is responsible for the development and external representation of the IMA's policies on pensions and long term savings as well as the IMA's research facilities. Before the IMA he worked for a number of years at Oxford Analytica, an international consultancy. The investment management industry has come under increased scrutiny particularly in the area of disclosure – and it will be interesting to hear Jonathan's thoughts on these and other issues as part of what he describes as the DC delivery challenge.



David Fairs
Partner
KPMG

“Defined Ambition”

Our next speaker is David Fairs who will be known to many of you. David is a partner and member of the People Practice leadership team at KPMG and is also treasurer of the Association of Consulting Actuaries. He’s spoken at many conferences was recognised when he was made chair of one of the sub-groups of Steve Webb’s Defined Ambition Industry Working Group which produced their report in November last year. David will be talking about that report and no doubt positioning the recommendations within the rapidly changing world of pensions and employee benefits. It should be illuminating.



Trevor Llanwarne
Government Actuary, CB

“Reflections”

I am delighted to welcome our fifth speaker Trevor Llanwarne CB the current Government Actuary. I’ve known Trevor for nearly forty years and we worked together for some time when Small Self-Administered Schemes were in their infancy. Subsequently Trevor went on to bigger and better things spending sixteen years at PWC where he was partner prior to his appointment as Government Actuary in May 2008. In January 2013 Trevor was made a companion of the Order of the Bath in recognition for his services to the actuarial profession and the public finances. Trevor steps down at the end of August when he retires so this is a very appropriate time for what I am sure will be some very interesting “reflections”.



Jim Bligh
Head of Group, Public Services & Pensions
CBI

“Pensions for the 21st century – the business case”

Our last speaker is Jim Bligh from the CBI. Jim is Head of group, public services at the CBI. His previous position was head of Labour Market and Pensions policy so he is well qualified to talk to us about the impact on businesses of the fast moving pensions reforms that have characterised the current government’s period of office. Jim’s talk will round off what should be a morning of some really fascinating talks from some very accomplished speakers from across the pensions industry.

I think you’ll agree we have another very topical programme which should have something to interest all our members. I anticipate big demand for places following the success of the March meeting and I would urge you to contact Patricia as soon as possible to reserve your place. I look forward to seeing you in June when – scary thought – the days will be getting shorter and who knows England might still be in the World Cup! Enjoy the summer.

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