



# The-Pensions-Net-Work

*"Leading Thought in Long Term Savings"*

Thursday, 8<sup>th</sup> July 2021

ZOOM MEETING

5:30 pm – 7:00 pm

Welcome to the programme for last virtual meeting before we take a short summer break. Those of you who were fortunate enough to attend our June meeting will know we had a splendid session discussing the case for pensions simplification to be revisited with four excellent panellists. The meeting has had some press coverage largely as the result of the audience polls that we conducted during the meeting – an initiative that I think we will repeat. For the meeting we invited questions in advance from the members attending and that also seemed to work well. For the forthcoming meeting we are looking at the impact of the pandemic on pensions and pensioners. We are fortunate to have secured genuine subject matter “experts” and this promises to be a really popular and very topical session so I do urge you to reserve your place as soon as you can.

## Discussion Topic

***“Pensions, Pensioners and the Pandemic”***

## Panellists



**Dan Ryan**  
Chief Science Officer  
Coios Health



**Jamie Jenkins**  
Director of Policy & External Affairs  
Royal London



**Professor Trevor Williams**  
Visiting Professor  
University of Derby

Dan is an epidemiologist and digital demographer with 25 years experience in the insurance industry. Dan, who has spoken at TPNW in the past, is an internationally recognised expert on demographic trends, emerging insurance risks and digital innovation and was a key contributor to the development of the Pandemic Emergency Facility with the Institute of Medicine, WHO and World Bank. Prior to Coios Health, the Research Catalyst focused on health and longevity, Dan He led global multi-disciplinary research teams at Swiss Re and Willis Towers Watson.

Jamie will be known to many of you as he has spoken at TPNW on several occasions - although always wearing a Standard Life “hat”. He has worked in financial services for over 30 years, primarily in the area of pensions. In 2017, Jamie was appointed by the DWP to chair the Automatic Enrolment review on coverage, which resulted in the proposals to remove the Lower Earnings Limit from pension calculations and lower the minimum age for eligibility from 22 to 18. Latterly, he held the position Head of Global Savings Policy, speaking to people all over the world how countries were facing up to the challenge of an ageing population. Jamie joined Royal London in January 2021.

Experienced former Chief Economist with a demonstrated history of working in the banking industry, and delivering excellent analysis alongside leadership in managing diverse research teams. Skilled in economics and highly rated for his speaking ability. He is highly skilled in Banking, Credit Analysis, market strategy, investment portfolios. Whilst Chief Economist he managed equity, quantitative, fixed income, and interest rate analytics teams. Sited on a trading floor, Foreign Exchange (FX), FX Options, and Market Risk were daily discussion points. Strong finance professional with a Bachelor's and Master's degree focused on Economics from the University of Essex.

Please book your place in advance via [enquiries@the-net-work-meetings.com](mailto:enquiries@the-net-work-meetings.com)  
We look forward to “seeing” you.



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