Istituto Italiano degli Attuari and Ordine degli Attuari (ISOA) and the AFIR/ERM Section are very pleased to invite you to the AFIR/ERM COLLOQUIUM 2019 INNOVATING ACTUARIAL RESEARCH ON FINANCIAL RISK AND ERM that will be held from 21 to 24 May 2019 in Florence, Italy.
SHARING KNOWLEDGE

This is a “must” for the International Actuarial Association Scientific Sections. The AFIR/ERM Section mission focuses on actuarial and financial research on Finance, Investment and Enterprise Risk Management fields. Over the last years these scientific fields are increasingly innovating their contents and consequently the dynamics of the actuarial profession are rapidly changing. The Colloquium offers the best chance for calling on academics, actuaries and other experts and for sharing ideas and experiences, discussing new key issues, creating a global network of researchers dedicated to advance the Actuarial Science also with the aim of delivering a “sustainable” future for the actuarial profession.

The Scientific Committee, Chairman Ermanno Pitacco, is finalizing the Colloquium 2019 Scientific Program. With the aim both to grasp the objectives of AFIR/ERM Section and to provide great opportunities for new and emerging research to be shared, the Scientific Committee will propose some forward-looking topics as Sustainable Value Creation, Hedging Extreme Risks, Facing Non-Insurable Risks, Investment in a ESG Framework, Systemic Financial Risks and Enterprise Risk Management in Non-Financial Sectors.

The Speaker Corner for “off” topics is also provided for in the Program. Further details on the topics and formalities to be complied for the submission of the papers will be specified in the Call for Papers.

SHARING CULTURAL AND ARTISTIC HERITAGE OF FLORENCE AND TUSCANY

Florence was the cradle of the Renaissance. Its artistic heritage is an “open-air” museum. The Organizing Committee, Chairman Giampaolo Crenca, has defined the format of the Colloquium 2019. The Opening Ceremony and the Welcome Reception will take place on Tuesday afternoon, May 21, 2019 in Palazzo Vecchio, Salone dei Cinquecento. Two full days, Wednesday May 22 and Friday May 24, will be dedicated to the plenary sessions, with eminent keynote speakers, and to the parallel sessions for discussions and presentations. The working sessions will be held in the Baglioni Palace Hotel.

Half-day guided tours of Florence have been booked for the Accompanying Persons, on Wednesday afternoon and Friday morning. A full day excursion, from Florence to Siena and San Gimignano, has been organized for Delegates and their Accompanying persons, on Thursday 23.

The Organized Committee has chosen the Siena territory that offers a surprising variety of villages, abbeys, landscapes, where the medieval traditions have survived in the centuries. Siena is famous for its splendid examples of Gothic architecture as the Cathedral in Piazza Duomo and San Gimignano, a small medieval town, is famous for its “home-towers” and the production of DOC wines.

The Colloquium Gala Dinner will be held on the Roof Garden of Baglioni Palace Hotel, where you can enjoy also a fine view of the roofs and cupolas of Florence.

The design of AFIR/ERM Colloquium 2019 program has been two objectives-oriented: sharing knowledge and sharing the cultural and artistic heritage of Florence and Tuscany. A third objective has to be achieved “Sharing the Colloquium 2019 Program the ISOA is proposing” that needs the cooperation of the international actuarial community.

The submission of a good number of papers and a wide participation of delegates will be the signal that the two-way process for the organization of the Colloquium will be fully completed. We welcome all our colleagues with deep feelings of friendship and hospitality.