

Media release

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Peter Corrigan Scholarship for Innovation and Leadership open for submissions

The Australian and New Zealand Institute of Insurance and Finance (ANZIIF) and Finity Consulting are pleased to announce the opening of submissions for the 2016 Peter Corrigan Scholarship for Innovation and Leadership.

The bi-annual scholarship, funded by Finity Consulting, awards the winner up to \$10,000 to attend an international conference or seminar program that offers an industry or leadership-based professional development opportunity.

“Finity is very proud to sponsor the Peter Corrigan Scholarship for Innovation and Leadership for the fifth time,” said Scott Collings, Managing Director and Principal of Finity Consulting.

“This year, we focus on innovation and leadership, which acknowledges Peter’s key contributions to the industry. The award honours his leadership and drive for innovation by providing the opportunity for an outstanding insurance professional to build international networks and engage in inspirational learning and development.”

The scholarship is offered in memory of Peter Corrigan, one of the most highly respected figures in the Australian insurance industry, who passed away in 2002. During his career, Peter held senior positions in many businesses across the industry and was known for his straightforward manner and wealth of industry knowledge.

“Learning from experts in the field at a significant global conference is an invaluable experience,” said Prue Willsford, ANZIIF Chief Executive Officer. “This scholarship provides a deserving insurance professional the opportunity to continue their development by honing their leadership skills and broadening their knowledge of innovation in the industry.”

The Peter Corrigan Scholarship is open to current financial members of ANZIIF who have permanent residency in Australia, New Zealand or a country in the Asia-Pacific. Applicants must be currently working in insurance and have at least five years of experience in the industry. Applicants must submit a 2,500 word essay in response to the question “How will general insurance in Australia change in the next five years?”

Applications close at 5.00 pm (AEST) on Tuesday 14 June 2016.

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Established in 1884, ANZIIF has more than 14,000 members in over 50 countries. With offices in Australia, New Zealand and China, our mission is to lead, engage and support the industry through education, thought leadership, community initiatives and the promotion of professional standards. Through our activities, we aim to help members to achieve their career and corporate aspirations and to contribute to the success of the insurance and financial services industry.