

Milliman, Inc.

- **Company Bio:**

Milliman is among the world's largest providers of actuarial and related products and services. Founded in 1947, Milliman is an independent firm with offices in major cities around the globe. We are owned and managed by our principals—senior consultants whose selection is based on their technical, professional and business achievements.

Milliman serves the full spectrum of business, financial, government, union, education, and nonprofit organizations. In addition to our consulting actuaries, Milliman's body of professionals includes numerous other specialists, ranging from clinicians to economists.

Despite our impressive growth over the past six decades, we still operate according to the guiding principles of our founders, Wendell Milliman and Stuart Robertson. We retain their rigorous standards of professional excellence, peer review and objectivity. We remain committed to developing innovative tools and products and providing expert solutions. And we continue to earn our clients' trust by keeping our focus fixed on their business objectives.

Please join the Milliman Chicago-Milwaukee Health and Chicago Financial Risk Management practices for an introduction to Milliman and the positions we have available for the upcoming year. Catering from Black Dog will be provided.

Note: The Health practice will NOT be attending Meet the Firms this year so please feel free to bring your resume and speak with us after the presentation. If your resume is not ready yet, feel free to come up and talk to us anyway and we'll look out for your resume on i-Link later in the year.

- **Representative Bio:**

Meredith Wellhausen, ASA, CERA, MAAA (Financial Risk Management)

Meredith is part of a team that prices and manages variable annuity hedging programs for U.S. and international companies. She is also responsible for internal controls and review of large scale hedging programs to verify calculations and trade information.

Since joining Milliman in 2011, Meredith has worked on enhancing current variable annuity hedging programs, consulting work for VA mergers and acquisitions, and daily operations of several of Milliman's variable annuity hedge outsourcing programs.

Meredith worked at a life insurance company working on disability income pricing prior to joining Milliman.

She graduated with a B. S. in Actuarial Science, minor in Business from The University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

Zak Fischer, FSA, CERA, MAAA (Financial Risk Management)

Zak joined Milliman Financial Risk Management in July 2013. He is a consulting actuary who works to design, operate and manage variable annuity hedging programs.

Zak is also a teacher with The Infinite Actuary for the following FSA exams:

- Quantitative Financial Investments (QFI) Core Exam.
- Life Risk Management (LRM) Exam.

His previous actuarial experience focused on risk management of defined benefit pension plans. Zak also worked on experience studies to assess the appropriateness of liability assumptions in pension funding valuations.

Zak graduated from Brown University with a concentration in Mathematics.

Nikki Haddock (Health)

Nikki recently joined Milliman as an Actuarial Analyst at the Chicago health practice.

Throughout her time at UofI, she majored in Actuarial Science and received a minor in Mathematical Statistics. After interning in the health industry as an underwriter, she decided to focus on health in her actuarial career.

Nikki Haddock graduated from the University of Illinois in May of 2016.

David Doiron (Health)

David joined Milliman's Chicago-Milwaukee Health Practice as an actuarial analyst in August 2016. He is originally from Baton Rouge, Louisiana but recently moved to the Chicago area.

While in school, he majored in Actuarial Science and worked as an actuarial intern in property and casualty pricing.

David Doiron graduated from the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign in May 2016.

Michelle Klein, ASA, MAAA (Health)

Michelle joined Milliman in July 2013. She focuses primarily assisting commercial clients with all aspects of the Affordable Care Act, including pricing, financial forecasting, and setting reserves. She is also involved in developing research tools in the commercial and pharmacy areas.

Prior to joining Milliman, Michelle interned with a large health insurer.

Michelle graduated from the University of Illinois with a double major in mathematics and statistics and a minor in business.

Cory Gusland, FSA, MAAA (Health)

Cory is a consulting actuary with the Chicago-Milwaukee office of Milliman.

Cory's areas of expertise are alternative payment models, managed care, provider-sponsored health plans, employer-sponsored medical, and international medical insurance. Cory has experience working across commercial, Medicare and Medicaid populations.

Prior to joining Milliman, Cory served as an actuary for a leading population health management services organization.

He graduated with a B. S. in Actuarial Science and Mathematics from the University of Iowa in Iowa City.

RGA

- **Company Bio:**

Reinsurance Group of America, Incorporated (NYSE: RGA) is a leader in the global life reinsurance industry with approximately \$3 trillion of life reinsurance in force and assets of \$50.4 billion. We are one of the largest life reinsurance companies in the world.

We are the only global reinsurance company to focus primarily on life and health-related reinsurance solutions.

Our core products and services include individual life reinsurance, individual living benefits reinsurance, group reinsurance, health reinsurance, financial solutions, facultative underwriting and product development.

Our world headquarters is located in St. Louis, Missouri and we have operations in 26 countries

- **Representative Bio:**

Mark Brann FSA, MAAA

Mark Brann has spent the last ten years working at RGA Reinsurance Company in Chesterfield, MO. Currently he serves as Actuary in the Corporate Modeling department, where the team is responsible for enterprise wide modeling initiatives. Prior to joining Corporate Modeling, Mark spent eight years in pricing, management information, and inforce management roles serving the US Mortality Markets. Mark has a Bachelor of Science (Actuarial Science) from Maryville University. He is a Fellow of the Society of Actuaries and a Member of the American Academy of Actuaries.

Allstate Insurance

- **Company Bio:**

Allstate Property & Casualty offers the opportunity to work on a number of different pricing/actuarial teams, ranging from a focus on home and auto personal lines insurance, specialty products such as renters and boat insurance, and also commercial property and auto.

Allstate Life and Retirement is the life insurance arm of the Allstate Corporation. We employ more than 70 actuaries specializing in a variety of areas including reserving, pricing, modeling, asset liability management, reinsurance, and capital management. ALR's premiums represents roughly 40 percent of Allstate Corporation's premiums and deposits and accounts for 70 percent of Allstate's assets under management.

During the 2016-2017 recruiting season, Allstate is looking for both summer interns and entry-level talent to add to its Property & Casualty and Life practices. Please join us for a company presentation on Tuesday, September 6th to learn more about our culture, our Northbrook and Chicago* offices, our actuarial training programs, the work we do on a day-to-day basis, and what being an actuary at Allstate is all about!

*Currently, only Allstate P&C has employees in the Chicago office.

- **Representative Bio:**

Patrick Stapleton

My name is Patrick Stapleton and I am currently working as an analytics manager on the Allstate Product Management West team at Allstate P&C. I have responsibility for ratemaking of the home and auto lines of insurance for the North Central region, consisting of Indiana, Michigan, and Ohio. I have previously worked on the Encompass analytics team and the Texas region on the home and auto team. I interned with Allstate P&C in the summer of 2011 and graduated from UIUC in May 2012. I currently live in Chicago and in my free time I enjoy running, reading, and going to plenty of Cubs games.

Amanda Horn

My name is Amanda Horn and I am currently working as a senior actuarial associate on the Experience Analysis team at Allstate Life and Retirement. I have responsibility for conducting mortality, lapse, and premium persistency studies on several of our life insurance and annuity blocks of business. I have previously worked on payout annuity reserving in our valuations area as well as deferred annuity and traditional life modeling in our actuarial modeling area. I graduated from UIUC in May 2010 and worked in pension consulting for 2 years before coming to Allstate in January of 2012. I currently live in Chicago and in my free time I enjoy traveling, binge-watching Game of Thrones, and anything hockey related.

State Farm Insurance Companies

- **Company Bio:**

State Farm is a mutual based insurance company founded in 1922, and the largest auto, home, and individual life insurer in the United States. State Farm currently ranks in the top 40 companies on the Fortune 500 list, and offers more than 100 total products and services to

customers. As a company that focuses entirely on customers, it's mission is to help people manage the risks of everyday life, recover from the unexpected, and realize their dreams.

- **Representative Bio:**

David Podwojski

I am an alumni from the University of Illinois, where I graduated in 2011 with a degree in Actuarial Science. Prior to joining State Farm full-time, I was given the opportunity to work as an intern at the State Farm Research and Development Center in Champaign. Since college, I've have had the pleasure of pricing business insurance as well as being the lead actuarial analyst at the State Farm Research and Development Center. I am also currently pursuing my fellowship of the Casualty Actuarial Society.

October Three Consulting

- **Company Bio:**

October Three Consulting is a solution based consulting and technology business with a passion for pushing creative boundaries. We are designers and architects of ideas addressing today's retirement issues and are a leading force behind the reemergence of defined benefit plans across the country. Our presentation will focus on what role retirement actuaries play, and specifically what unique solutions October Three is bringing to the marketplace. During the presentation, we will also use a "retirement game" to highlight the key differences between the 3 most common types of retirement plans. Papa Del's pizza and drinks (pop/soda, iced tea, water, etc.) will be served.

- **Representative Bio:**

Jake Abry

Jake Abry is a member of the actuarial consulting team and an active member of our Flexible Deferral Plan practice. He excels at nondiscrimination and compliance testing, and managing the administration of our FDP plans. In addition, Jake has a passion for creating and innovating – particularly using his talents to create application software. He has played a critical role in the development of our plan design modeling tool, an industry leading technology platform tool that allows third party advisors to model and design an FDP plan on-line. The desire to build, rather than maintain, is what attracted Jake to October Three.

Jake received a bachelor degree in actuarial science from the University of Illinois. He is an Enrolled Actuary (EA) and an Associate of the Society of Actuaries (ASA).