

# LARIMS

The Los Angeles Risk and Insurance Management Society  
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# President's Message

## New Year, Hard Market, Fun Times

**H**appy New Year! 2020 looks to be a very interesting year in the insurance market, I hope you prepared for what looks to be a hardening market for a second year. It's been a long time since the last hard market, and this is when Risk Managers can really so their value within their organization. LA RIMS hopes to provide you with education and resources to help you navigate this market, while also providing you some opportunities to let loose and have some fun with the LA Risk Management Community. The purpose of this newsletter is to let our members and supporters know about some of the exciting events coming up throughout the New Year and to tell you more about our Chapter and how you can get involved.

First, I would like to introduce the 2020 LA RIMS Chapter Board Members. Without this group, none of our events would be possible. Being a Board Member requires extra time and commitment outside of everything else they do. They work hard to create and put on the best events for our members. We have a great mix of new faces and grizzled veterans making up our Board.

- President:** Jeff Stolle, Director, Risk Management, Castle & Cooke, Inc.
- Vice President:** Scott Ritto, Vice President, Risk Management, Kilroy Realty Corporation
- Treasurer:** Cristina Montijo, Director, Risk Management and Insurance, Edwards Lifesciences
- Secretary:** Margaret Fisetto, Senior Risk Manager, Big 5 Sporting Goods
- Past President:** Manny Chavez, Risk Manager, Princess Cruise Lines
- Directors:** Vincent Monastersky, Vice President, Risk Management, Fox Entertainment  
Dennis Healy, Risk Manager, BBSI  
Cristian Iglesias, Risk Analyst, The Cheesecake Factory  
Christal Warner, Associate Vice President-Commercial, Paul Davis  
Jackelyn Ho, Marketing Manager, LegalNet, Inc.  
Pat Koscher, Senior Account Manager, HARBRO Emergency & Restoration
- Rising Risk Professionals Chair/Board Liaison:** Mary Daly, Principal, Oliver Wyman
- Executive Director (keeps it all together!):** Amber Ardizone, Executive Management Associates

Other than our new Board members, Jackelyn and Pat, all the Board Members from 2019 have returned to the Board. We believe this continuity only helps enhance the mission of the Board. We are always looking for fresh perspectives and welcome anyone who is interested in helping out unofficially/officially or possibly serving on the Board. Please contact any of the current Board members for more info or for a Board Member application. New rules implemented by the Society now allow for at-large board members/directors to be both Professional (risk managers) and Associate Members (service providers).

Our new Board met for an entire Saturday in October to plan out the calendar for 2020. While we are still working out some of the details, but below is the current Schedule of Events for 2020. Please mark your calendars and check out the LARIMS.org website for updated information throughout the year:

- 2/21** Risk Manager Roundtable, TBA – FREE, Risk Managers Only!
- 3/18** Chapter Luncheon, The Proud Bird, Joint Meeting with the LA ASSP (Safety Professionals)
- 4/22** Chapter Luncheon, Castaway - Burbank, Natural Disaster Preparation
- 5/3-5/6** RIMS Conference, Denver, Colorado
- 6/3** Golf Tournament, Brookside Golf Club, Pasadena – “Around the World in 18 Holes”
- July:** Summer Break
- 8/13** Summer Networking Cruise, FantaSea, Marina Del Rey – NEW EVENT in 2020!
- 9/16** Chapter Luncheon, Doubletree Hotel, Downtown LA
- 10/16** Risk Manager Roundtable, Bird Cycles, Santa Monica
- 10/18** Education Day, The Proud Bird Conference Center
- 12/3** Holiday Party, Castaway - Burbank

We may also throw in a fun networking event or two such as a hike to the Hollywood Sign or paddle boarding in the South Bay, both of which were very successful events in the past. Stay tuned!

I hope you can join us at many of these events. With Los Angeles being so spread out and members being located all over the greater LA area, we try to plan events in different locales so members can be closer for some of the events. We recognize that there is a time commitment to attend, but that is why we try to put on quality events that should provide you with meaningful information, along with good networking opportunities. We will also continue to provide discounted pricing for Professional Members and their staff. While the Chapter takes a loss on these discounted costs, we think it is important that our members don't have issues attending just due to costs.

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The LA RIMS Chapter could not provide these quality events without the support of our Professional and Associate Members, through both the membership and event specific fees, and, most importantly, through the generous sponsorship of our events, especially the Golf Tournament and our Summer Mixer and Holiday parties. Thank you to all who have sponsored LA RIMS! We couldn't do it without you!

We recognize the sponsors who contribute the highest dollars throughout the previous year on our website with rotating logos of their companies. We also recognize the individual event sponsors at each event through signage and on our invitations and registration pages. We hope our Members will support the companies that support the Chapter, and we hope that you will consider supporting LA RIMS in 2020. Please contact Amber or any Board Members about the 2020 sponsorship opportunities.

- Sponsors – we are continuing our Platinum Sponsorship opportunity this year. Please contact me if you are interested in providing an annual, discounted, sponsorship that will provide your company with sponsorship recognition and entrance to every event (including Golf), as well as year-long recognition on our website, along with other perks. We already have five (5) Platinum Sponsors for 2020 (announcement on February 1).

Another way to get involved is specifically for our younger members (37 and under and/or those with less than 7 years' experience) is our Rising Risk Professionals (RRP) Group which continues to grow and offer networking, career and professional development opportunities outside of the traditional RIMS Chapter events. For more information please contact any of these members or check out the LA RIMS RRP LinkedIn Group at: <https://www.linkedin.com/groups/13501237/>.

Finally, we want to make sure we are reaching as many members and prospective members as possible, we currently send out email event notices to over 1,000 people for each event, if you have attended an event before or if we have your membership email you should be getting these event notices. If you are not, please check your junk mail or contact Amber to be added to the list. We will also be posting all of our event links and other Chapter news to our LinkedIn sites. If you have not already "LinkedIn" with us please do so. Our Chapter profile is LA RIMS can be found at <https://www.linkedin.com/in/larims/>, our LA RIMS Chapter LinkedIn Group can be found at <https://www.linkedin.com/groups/12149164/>. You can use these LinkedIn sites to get information/links on upcoming events, see highlights from past meetings, and see "liked" or "shared" information and news that could be resourceful to your career. Also, you can follow the hashtag: #LARIMS.

The best place for current information on LA RIMS is on our website: [www.larims.org](http://www.larims.org). Here you can find out about and register for all of our events, see pictures from our past events, find out how to get involved, see a new job posting, and more. Check us out!

**I hope to see you at a LA RIMS event in 2020!** Also, please let me know if you have any ideas on how to enhance the Chapter in what we currently do or if you have any new ideas. The LA RIMS Chapter is for our members benefit, we want to make it the best it can be.

Best Regards,

**Jeff Stolle**

President, LA RIMS Chapter

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2020 LA RIMS Board: Pat Koscher, Christal Warner, Cristian Iglesias, Vincent Monastersky, Jeff Stolle, Scott Ritto, Cristina Montijo, Manny Chavez, Dennis Healy, Mary Daly (Not Pictured: Margaret Fisetto and Jackelyn Ho)



## President

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Castle & Cooke, Inc.



## Vice President

**Scott Ritto**  
Kilroy Realty



## Treasurer

**Cristina Montijo**  
Edwards LifeSciences



## Secretary

**Margaret Fisette**  
Big 5 Sporting Goods



## Past President

**Manny Chavez**  
Princess Cruises



## Director

**Rising Risk Professionals**

**Mary Daly**  
Oliver Wyman Actuarial Consulting Inc.

# Directors



**Director**  
Board  
**Vincent Monastersky**  
Fox Entertainment Group



**Director**  
Special Events  
**Dennis Healy**  
BBSI



**Director**  
Board  
**Cristian Iglesias**  
The Cheesecake Factory



**Director**  
Board  
**Christal Warner**  
Paul Davis



**Director**  
Marketing/Social Media  
**Jackelyn Ho**  
LegalNet, Inc.



**Director**  
Board  
**Pat Koscher**  
Harbro

# Events

# LA RIMS

Feb  
27

Risk Manager Roundtable  
@LACMA - Free!

Mar  
18

Chapter Luncheon  
@The Proud Bird

Apr  
22

Chapter Luncheon  
@Castaway Restaurant

May  
3-6

RIMS Conference  
Denver, Colorado

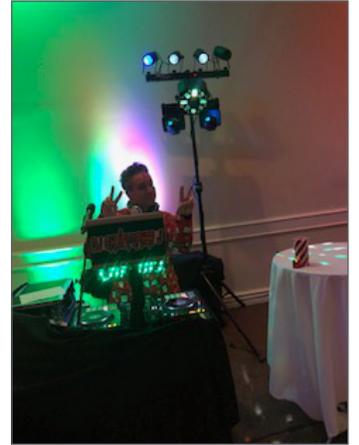
Jun  
3

RIMS Golf Tournament  
@Brookside Golf Club

Aug  
13

Summer Networking Cruise  
Fanta Sea, Marina Del Rey

# Holiday Party & Installation of Officers



*Thank you for attending*

**THANK YOU TO OUR**  
*Holiday Party Sponsors*

**SILVER**

AIG  
Paul Davis

**BRONZE**

Corvel

Harbro

Helmsman Management Services

Interstate Restoration

Kegel, Tobin & Truce

Lien on Me

Oliver Wyman

The Greenspan Co./Adjusters International  
Travelers

# Golf Tournament



## “AROUND THE WORLD ON 18 HOLES”

LA RIMS ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

Wednesday, June 3, 2020 | Brookside Golf Course

LOCATION	SCHEDULE		
Brookside Golf Course 1133 N. Rosemont Ave. Pasadena, CA 91103	10 A.M.: Registration & Range Opens	11 A.M.: BBQ Opens	5 P.M.: No Host (Cash) Bar
	10:30 A.M.: Putting Contest Course Opens	12 P.M.: Shotgun Start	6 P.M.: Dinner, Prizes & Raffle

## PRICING

**Golf & Dinner Package (including range, lunch, etc.):** \$225 per person

**Dinner Only:** \$75 per person

## SPONSORSHIPS

LA RIMS is proud to introduce this year's theme “Around the World on 18 Holes.” **Each Sponsor will choose a country.** This allows sponsors to decorate their hole with anything that involves a country. Remember, you own the hole so use your imagination! We encourage you to make it interactive with a booth (table & canopy), and include your company representatives, contests, drinks, handouts, prizes, etc. The winning hole sponsor will receive recognition in the tournament program and LA RIMS newsletter - PLUS, a FREE Hole Sponsorship & Foursome in 2021!

**Tournament Corporate Sponsor:**

\$5,000 (Includes 1 hole (Hole#1) 2 foursomes, your company logo on a sleeve of golf balls handed out to each player, company logo on website, program, newsletter, recognition throughout the event, company logo on the LA RIMS Website for a whole year.

**Early Bird Hole Sponsor Package:**

\$2,250 - Space Permitting! (Includes foursome - Deadline: May 4, 2020)

**Hole Sponsor:**

\$1,750 (Without foursome)

REGISTRATION  
FORM  
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FAX REGISTRATION TO: 818-843-7423 OR EMAIL: LARIMSCCHAPTER@LARIMS.ORG

### REGISTRATION

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT. ONE REGISTRATION FORM PER PERSON. PLEASE DUPLICATE THIS FORM FOR ADDITIONAL COPIES.

NAME _____		COMPANY _____	
TELEPHONE NUMBER _____		EMAIL _____	
GUEST #1 _____	COMPANY _____	DINNER ONLY? _____	
GUEST #2 _____	COMPANY _____	DINNER ONLY? _____	
GUEST #3 _____	COMPANY _____	DINNER ONLY? _____	
CREDIT CARD NUMBER _____	EXP DATE _____	V-CODE _____	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; font-size: small;"> <i>V-Code is the 3 Digit Code on the back of Visa and MC Cards and the 4 Digit Code on the front of AMEX Cards</i> </div>
BILLING STREET # _____	BILLING ZIP CODE _____	E-MAIL FOR RECEIPT _____	

GOLF & DINNER PACKAGE	_____ @ \$225 = _____	
DINNER ONLY	_____ @ \$75 = _____	
CORPORATE SPONSORSHIP	_____ @ \$5,000 = _____	
EARLY BIRD HOLE SPONSORSHIP	_____ @ \$2,250 = _____	COUNTRY _____
HOLE (WITHOUT FOURSOME) SPONSORSHIP	_____ @ \$1,750 = _____	
RANGE SPONSORSHIP	_____ @ \$1,500 = _____	
LUNCH SPONSORSHIP	_____ @ \$1,250 = _____	
DINNER SPONSORSHIP	_____ @ \$1,500 = _____	
BEVERAGE CART	_____ @ \$1,250 = _____	
COCKTAIL SPONSOR	_____ @ \$1,000 = _____	
HOLE-IN-ONE SPONSORSHIP (4 AVAILABLE)	_____ @ \$1,500 = _____	(INCLUDES PREMIUM)
PHOTO SPONSOR	_____ @ \$1,250 = _____	(RECEIVES LOGO ON PHOTOS)

TOTAL: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

RAFFLE PRIZE DONATIONS (DISCOUNT FOURSOME BY 10%) FOR RAFFLE. DONATION VALUE OF \$250.

PROVIDE BRIEF DESCRIPTION & VALUE OF THE PRIZE: \_\_\_\_\_

To pay by check, please make checks payable to: LA RIMS Chapter

Mail check & registration form to: LA RIMS, PO BOX 10065, Burbank, CA 91510 (Please send in registration form by email in advance)

# LA RIMS 2020

## SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

**The LA RIMS Chapter** is a non-profit group, we are only funded through a small portion of our members annual membership fees. All of our other operating expenses are funded through registration fees to specific events and sponsorship of events. The Annual Golf Tournament is the major fundraising event of the year for the Chapter. We also offset some of our costs by having sponsors of our two big networking events of the year - the Summer Mixer and the Holiday Party.

We recognize that our partners sponsorship dollars are limited and we would prefer not to come to you multiple times throughout the year, but your support is critical and we hope you see a benefit to supporting LA RIMS – **THANK YOU!**

In 2020, we have multiple opportunities for sponsorship:

- **Golf Tournament**
- **Summer Mixer**
- **Holiday Party**

All are very well attended events.

**Each event has bronze, silver, and gold opportunities!**

Please see next page for specifics.

**We also like to give back to our sponsors** – the annual Education Day is an event where we offer sponsors free booths to promote their services.

We also include our top sponsors rotating logos on our website for an entire year after their donation.



The sponsorship dollars go to offset the cost of luncheons and our other events throughout the year. While we try to put on great educational and networking events, we want to keep the costs affordable for our members. When we determine there is excess funding, we work to provide scholarships and donations to risk and insurance related organizations and schools.



**In 2020, for a 2nd year, we will offer a PLATINUM sponsorship opportunity.**

This is an annual, discounted, sponsorship that will provide your company with sponsorship recognition and entrance to every event (including Golf), as well as year-long recognition on our website, along with other perks.

More info on Page 3. Let us know if you are interested!

# BECOME A SPONSOR

			
<b>SUMMER MIXER</b>	\$2500	\$1250	\$750
<b>HOLIDAY PARTY</b>	\$2000	\$1000	\$500
<b>PERKS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 4 passes</li> <li>- Event signage</li> <li>- All event correspondence</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 2 passes</li> <li>- Event signage</li> <li>- All event correspondence</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 1 pass</li> <li>- Event signage</li> <li>- All event correspondence</li> </ul>

**All sponsors will get free Education Day table/booth** (\$500 w/o sponsorship), plus 1 pass  
 Any sponsor who has annual contributions of \$3000+ will get their logo on the LA RIMS website for the entire following year (front page, rotating)



We are also looking for **raffle prize donations for the Golf Tournament and Holiday Party.**

Get free passes or reduced admission with a \$250+ donation.



## **NEW: We are looking for a Lunch Sponsor!**

This sponsor would allow us to keep our lunch costs down.

- Benefits:
- 3 passes to each lunch (can give to clients),
  - Logo on all lunch email invites, signage at event, etc.
  - Qualifies for logo on website for entire year
  - **Sponsorship Cost: \$4000 annually (4 lunches)**



**Education Day** is about giving back to our sponsors – all prior sponsors get a free table. If you have not sponsored, you can get a table for \$500 or sponsor the lunch or happy hour for \$1000.

# GO PLATINUM

**Annual Sponsorship Opportunity to have your firm associated with LA RIMS at every one of our events for an entire year (2/1/20-21).**

**Perks include:**

- 2 passes to every lunch (4 lunches)
- 3 passes for Summer Party
- 3 passes for Holiday Party
- Education Day Table
- Golf Hole Sponsor w/ Foursome
- Static Website Logo w/ Platinum Acknowledgment
- Logos on all emails, correspondence, newsletters, etc.
- Logos on all sponsorship signs/handouts at each event
- Recognition as Platinum sponsor – above Gold, Silver and Bronze sponsors at all events
- LinkedIn acknowledgements
- Discount on future year Platinum Sponsorships



**Sponsorship Cost:  
\$7500**

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LA RIMS recognizes our 2019, inaugural year Platinum Sponsors:  
**FM Global, Willis Towers Watson, Aon, ATI**  
THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT in 2019!



Helen Alarcon, *Parsons Corporation*

Jan Berger, *Jacuzzi Brands*

Andrew Daeyi Kim, *Cal State Fullerton*

Jackelyn Ho, *LegalNet, Inc.*

Melissa Ho, *The Walt Disney Company*

John Shelonko, *JBSConsulting*

Richard Smith, *Ally Investigations, Inc.*

Kari Walin, *Home Box Office*

Curt Yaworski, *Sedgwick*



## Mission Statement

Los Angeles RIMS is dedicated to be the preeminent association in risk management focused on attracting the leaders in the industry while fulfilling the needs of its members and affiliates. Through education and development, networking, and community outreach, we aim to promote the principles, and highlight the value of risk management to drive the success of our member organizations.