The Institutes’ Executive Education

Lead with an Enterprise Perspective in Risk and Insurance

April 26 to May 1, 2020
Here’s what survey respondents had to say about The Institutes’ 2019 Executive Education program:

100% said the program overall was excellent.

90% said the program met or offered more than what they expected.

89% would recommend this program to a colleague.
In a business environment filled with continuous and unpredictable change, senior-level executives must continually refine their skills and gain new knowledge to ensure that their organizations remain competitive and successful. Brought to you in partnership with the Darden School Foundation at the University of Virginia, The Institutes’ Executive Education provides strategic leadership training for leaders in the risk management and property-casualty insurance industry.

The Institutes
With more than 100 years of experience, The Institutes are the leading provider of risk management and property-casualty insurance education.

Institutes’ knowledge solutions include the premier Chartered Property Casualty Underwriter (CPCU®) professional designation; associate designations in areas such as claims, risk management, underwriting, and reinsurance; introductory and foundation programs; online courses; custom solutions; continuing education (CE) courses; and live events.

University of Virginia Darden Executive Education
For more than half a century, Darden Executive Education has served as a critical resource for businesses around the world, providing the relevant concepts and business skills needed to formulate sustainable growth.

Led by world-class faculty at the nation’s top public university, Darden’s learning experience is designed to develop management and leadership teams at all levels by teaching them how to think differently and find answers to key business challenges.

Darden School professors + The Institutes’ insurance education + Insightful classmates = A winning educational experience for senior executives.

DAVID SISON
Executive Education Participant
The Road to Autonomy: Vehicle Research Center Exclusive Trip

Attend a fast-paced presentation and demonstration to get a better handle on the autonomous-vehicle scene and receive updates on:

- **The features that are needed for autonomous driving and their real-world effects**
- **The problems with current technologies**
- **What auto insurers can expect in the future and how quickly this is all going to happen**
A Closer Look at Executive Education

What to Expect
- A variety of interactive learning methodologies, such as class discussions, workshops, experimental simulations, and small learning groups
- A personal assessment tool that pinpoints your leadership strengths and helps you learn how you can be more effective
- Relevant, real-world case studies that can be applied to the insurance industry
- A field trip to the Vehicle Research Center to learn about emerging trends and current technologies

Who Should Attend
The Executive Education program is designed for senior-level leaders in the industry who:
- Plan and formulate major strategic objectives throughout their organization
- Manage the competencies and resources required to pursue those objectives
- Help lead their organization as they aim to achieve their strategic goals

How You Will Benefit
- Broadened business perspective and improved decision making. Gain a deeper and more comprehensive understanding of the functional business areas and their interactions.
- Improved capacity to think and act more strategically. Establish personal and organizational goals consistent with corporate strategy.
- Increased personal effectiveness and leadership capability. Manage at the interface of key functions, create a high-performance culture, and generate superior results.
- Enhanced ability to envision, champion, and drive initiatives. Create competitive advantage in your markets.

How to Register
All attendees must be nominated by their organization to participate. Please complete the enclosed nomination form to apply, or complete the form online at TheInstitutes.org/ExecEd.

When: April 26 to May 1, 2020
Cost: $8,800 per attendee (including tuition, lodging, and meals)
Contact: For more information, contact Elisa Murray at (610) 251-2757 or ExecutiveEd@TheInstitutes.org
Deadline to nominate is April 24, 2020.
## Executive Education Program Schedule

Below is a high-level representation of the program (subject to change).

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*Learning Team - Small groups that are formed to discuss cases or other in-class assignments to sharpen participants’ thinking and to encourage learning from each other’s diverse perspectives and experiences.
Meet the Darden Team

The faculty for the Executive Education program were selected to provide a solid framework for future success in strategically managing, developing, and leading an organization. The faculty for any given session may vary, however, based on program needs and faculty availability.

**Robert L. Carraway**  
*Associate Professor of Business Administration | Area Coordinator, Quantitative Analysis*

Robert is an authority on the appropriate and constructive use of quantitative analysis in making important decisions. He focuses on the relationship between intuition and rational analysis and how the two can complement one another, as well as on the role analysis can play in innovating more effectively and efficiently. He has co-written a quantitative analysis case book as well as a number of papers and Darden cases on the topic.

**Paul J. Simko**  
*Associate Professor of Business Administration*

Paul is an authority on capital markets, financial accounting, corporate financial reporting and disclosure, and enterprise risk management. His research examines issues related to financial accounting information. He is particularly interested in topics related to how alternative accounting treatments affect the decisions of investors and financial analysts and how investors assess firms’ earnings quality. His current research examines the incentives and consequences of earnings management and valuation issues pertaining to earnings volatility and growth.

**Thomas J. Steenburgh**  
*Richard S. Reynolds Professor of Business Administration | Senior Associate Dean for Faculty Development and Residential MBA Program*

Thomas is an expert in business-to-business marketing and sales and frequently speaks about his work in public forums. His academic research addresses questions that help managers measure the effectiveness of their sales and marketing strategies. He’s worked on issues such as whether lump-sum bonuses motivate salespeople to work harder or to play timing games with their orders and whether firms should use sales and marketing actions to manage their earnings. In 2012, he published an article in Harvard Business Review titled “Motivating Salespeople: What Really Works” that won Darden’s Wachovia Award for Research Excellence.

**Gregory B. Fairchild**  
*Isidore Horween Research Associate Professor of Business Administration | Associate Dean for Washington, D.C. Area Initiatives | Academic Director of Public Policy and Entrepreneurship*

Gregory is an expert in business strategy, business ethics, leadership and entrepreneurship. He specializes in underserved, overlooked markets and has taught financial literacy to victims of domestic violence, and has launched a program to teach entrepreneurship and business skills to inmates re-entering society. Gregory was named one of the 10 Best Business School Professors in the World by CNNMoney/Fortune in 2012 and one of the 50 Best Business School Professors by Poets & Quants.

**Lynn A. Isabella**  
*Associate Professor of Business Administration*

Lynn is an expert in leadership and how people think about change. She is an authority on leading and managing in a global environment and in competency in global leadership. As a teacher, consultant and executive coach, she teaches individuals and companies to develop talent and organizational effectiveness. Her research focuses on questions of developing personal leadership expertise, leading change as a middle manager and on the events that shape individual careers and propel organizational change.

**Jane Cahill**  
*Senior Consultant for Executive Education and Lifelong Learning*

Jane is an authority on business development, sales management, marketing strategy and implementation. She currently expands access to educational programming on change management, design thinking, digital transformation and strategic data analytics. An expert at promoting bold advancements, she developed the sales and marketing strategy for a global company that introduced cutting-edge technology to the North American marketplace and, as an international director of sales, helped identify key areas of growth for DNA-based precision medicine.
World-Class Accommodations

The Darden School of Business is located on the North Grounds of the University of Virginia in Charlottesville, Va., and includes a fully integrated, executive-level facility with classrooms, lodging, dining, and a fitness center all within a short walk of one another.

Lodging
All participants in the Executive Education program will stay at the Residence Inn by Marriott Charlottesville Downtown.

Amenities for each guest room include:

- Full Breakfast buffet in hotel café daily
- Evening Pub social with guest specials
- Complimentary Wi-Fi High Speed Internet access
- Fitness Facility & Indoor Heated Salt Water Pool
- Guest Laundry
- On-Site parking (complimentary self-parking)
- Outdoor Patio/Fire pit/Grill
- Easy access to all area local dining & entertainment

Dining and Meals

- Lunch is served buffet-style with multiple hot-entrée selections and a salad, sandwich, and dessert bar.
- Dinners are served family style and feature a unique cuisine each evening.
- Beverages, snacks, and fruit are continuously available outside the classroom each day.

Go to TheInstitutes.org/ExecEd to apply today!
The Institutes’ Executive Education Nomination Form

The Darden School Foundation, University of Virginia
April 26 to May 1, 2020

Nominator’s contact information:

Name: _________________________________________________________________________ Date: ________________

(Last)     (First)     (MI)

Designations: __________________________________________________________________________________________

Title: ___________________________________________________________________________________________________

Company: _______________________________________________________________________________________________

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Qualities of an Executive Education Participant

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I nominate the following person to attend:

Name: _________________________________________________________________________________________________

(Last)     (First)     (MI)

Designations: __________________________________________________________________________________________

Preferred Name (or Nickname): ____________________________________________________________________________

Title: _______________________________________________________________________________________________

Company: _______________________________________________________________________________________________

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Telephone: _______________________________________ Email Address: ____________________________

How did you hear about the Executive Education program?

Print ad   Email   Social media   Referral   Digital ad

Print brochure   Other: ____________________________
Brief description of nominee’s current responsibilities:

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Nominee’s employment history (most recent first):
Employer, position, major responsibilities (include dates)

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Please tell us why you are nominating this person:

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Billing Information
Upon acceptance into the program, an invoice will be sent to the individual indicated below.

Billing Contact Name: _____________________________________________________________________________________
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Cancellation Policy: Payment is due within 30 days of the invoice date. Cancellations must be submitted in writing more than 30 days before the program start date to receive a full refund.

After nominations are reviewed and approved, each nominee will be notified of the status of his or her nomination.

To submit your nomination, please upload the completed form in PDF format at TheInstitutes.org/ExecutiveEducation or email the form to Elisa Murray at ExecutiveEd@TheInstitutes.org
Participating in an executive education program specifically designed for leaders within the insurance industry provides a great opportunity to examine your own leadership style, as well as learn from the experience of your peers.

KATIE CAPLE
Executive Education Participant