

Media Release  
On behalf of IRLA  
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### Appointment to Association Board

The Board of the Insurance and Reinsurance Legacy Association (“IRLA”) are pleased to announce that Leslie-Ann Giovilli, Services to Legacy Award 2021 winner and long-standing Head of Secretariat and Academy, was voted in as a director at last week’s AGM. The AGM also welcomed back Steve Hennessey of Enstar (EU) as an IRLA director. Steve was last on the Board in 2015. Steve takes on the role of Membership Benefits and will be working closely with IRLA’s younger professionals to create a wide appeal to membership.

Returning to directorships are current Chairman Stephen Roberts of RSML and James Bolton of Quest Group who takes on the Communications lead. Dan Cordina of Ernst & Young was re-elected as YPG Chairman by his fellow committee members.

Paul Corver, Governance Director commented “As we come out of a turbulent period for the whole sector, we took the opportunity to re-affirm the roles of Directors on the IRLA Board and establish a tighter working relationship for the Board and Committees to ensure an even distribution of work to keep the Association flourishing. We particularly welcome Leslie-Ann onto the Board where she will continue to forge ahead with the Academy and associated educational programmes.”

Leslie-Ann Giovilli commented, “The internal governance review of IRLA following the lengthy covid/lock down period has focussed our attention less on administration and more on what can we successfully do more of for members if we work better together. In this vein, the IRLA Board will be more visible and open to receiving members input directly.”

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### Who is IRLA?

IRLA is the UK market body for insurance and reinsurance legacy management professionals. IRLA is recognised as the voice of the legacy management sector by a wide range of government and market bodies including the UK Financial Conduct Authority (FCA), the Prudential Regulation Authority (PRA), the Financial Services Compensation Scheme (FSCS); the Department of Work and Pensions (DWP) as well as the Employers' Liability Tracing Office (ELTO). IRLA is also affiliated with several other market associations all the while working with these others to increase benefits to members.

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