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Fall 2019 Actuarial Practice Case Competition

Monday, November 11, 2019

On Saturday, November 2, 2019, Actuarial Science undergraduate and graduate students taking the *Actuarial Practice: Property and Liability* capstone course participated in a case competition under the instruction of Professor Randy Dumm. The students, paired in teams of two, examined innovation, disruptive innovations, and transformations within the property-liability insurance industry. The students were required to report on trends related to innovation and InsureTech and to discuss the type of tools used related to machine learning (ML) and artificial intelligence (AI). Additionally, the students were asked to explore the question of how the junior actuary can prepare for success in a world of disruptive innovation. Actuarial Science professionals served as judges for the competition and rated the students based on their written reports and oral presentations.

The following students were recognized for awards:

Best Undergraduate Paper

Tom Lawn and Michayla Siemion



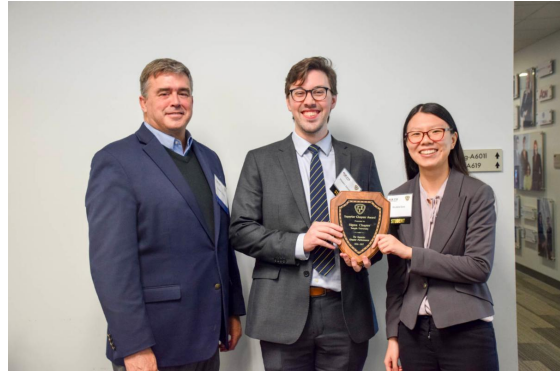
Best Undergraduate Presentation

Dan Polhamus and Maeve Connolly



Best Graduate Paper

Harry Dempsey and Eileen Guo



Best Graduate Presentation

Helen Davidson and Jaspal Brar

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