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Doing Your Homework: Tackling 10 Frequently Asked Questions in Actuarial Interviews - Part IV

Divyani Mehta concludes her 4-part series with this article, where she shares some useful tips to tackle common interview questions for actuarial roles. She not only gives guidance on how to respond to questions, but also suggests some questions that you should pose to the interviewers to understand the opportunity better.



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Operational Challenges in implementation of market risk framework for financial institutions



To solve these puzzles related to symbols all actuaries know and love, rearrange the panels to reveal the correct image. Take your time and as many attempts as you want (most importantly, don't give up). These are no more trickier than developing replicating portfolios! Enjoy this brain teaser by the Puzzle master: **Kathan Jain.**



Job listings



JOB DESCRIPTION Insurance Department (Life / Non- Life)

Job Profile: Senior Actuarial Analyst: Experience (2- 5 years) Location: Mumbai

The candidate must have domain knowledge of Insurance Concepts for working in the Actuarial team of the company. The role involves working on various projects across different geographies, related to reserving, pricing, IFRS 17, risk management and other areas as required.

Key Responsibilities

- > Develop and implement various actuarial models as needed
- > Prepare and review statutory and other consulting reports
- > Pricing and designing insurance products
- Risk Management Framework review and construct
- > IFRS17 end to end implementation

Desired Skillset

- > Relevant work experience of 2-5 years in Insurance Actuarial domain
- At least 4 Actuarial exams cleared from IAI or IFoA
- > Strong communication and interpersonal skills preferred
- Knowledge of Advance excel preferred
- Working knowledge in Actuarial software like prophet for the life domain

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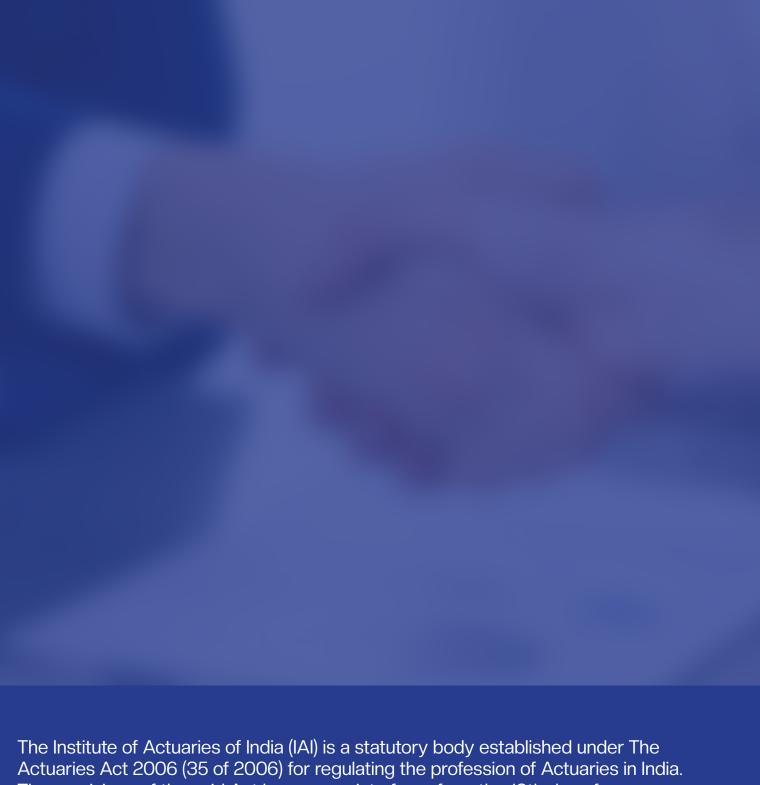
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