

David J. Nye

Biography

Interests:

Issues On Insurance Company Finance, Insolvency And Risk-Based Capital, Corporate Risk Management And Insurance, Public Policy Issues Regarding Insurance And Tort Liability

Education:

Ph.D., University of Pennsylvania, 1973; M.B.A., 1968; B.Comm., University of British Columbia, 1965.

Professor Nye currently teaches in the areas of risk and insurance, corporate risk management, investments and corporate finance. His current research focuses on the homeowner's insurance market failure since Hurricane Andrew and the use of catastrophe models in ratemaking. Professor Nye also directs the actuarial program at the university, which he helped to develop.

Author:

"Workers' Compensation Group Self-Insurance Funds: Some Reform Proposals," *Journal of Insurance Regulation*, with T.J. Jones and S.D. Makar, 1993; "Reinsurance Retention Levels for Property /Liability Firms," *Insurance: Mathematics and Economics*, with Y. Kroll, 1991; "A Note On Stop Loss Premiums," *The Journal of Risk and Insurance*, with P.P. Boyle, 1991; "Ethical Implications of a Complete Human Map for Insurance," *Business & Professional Ethics Journal*, with R. Moseley, L. Crandall, M. Dewar and H. Ostrer, 1991; "Workers' Compensation in Florida: Has the Self-Executing Experiment Failed?" *Chartered Property and Casualty Underwriter Journal*, 1989; "The Myth of the Liability Insurance Claims Explosion: An Empirical Rebuttal," *Vanderbilt Law Review*, with D.G. Gifford, 1988; "The Causes of the Medical Malpractice Crisis: An Analysis of Claims Data and Insurance Company Finances," *The Georgetown Law Journal*, with D.G. Gifford, B.L. Webb and M.A. Dewar, 1988; "Litigation Trends in Florida: The Saga of a Growth State," *University of Florida Law Review*, with D.G. Gifford, 1987; "An Insurance Approach to Risk Analysis of Home Equity Conversion Programs," *Journal of the American Real Estate & Urban Economics Association*, with W. Archer, 1987.

Grants and Consulting:

Funded research for the Florida Legislature; Florida Department of Community Affairs; Florida Department of Education; Florida Department of Labor; Florida Insurance News Service and the Citizen's Fraud Prevention and Education Bureau. He has also served as a consultant to insurance companies and numerous law firms.

Honors and Fellowships:

S.S. Huebner Foundation Fellowship, University of Pennsylvania; Alpha Kappa Psi-Spangler award, American Risk and Insurance Association; Outstanding Director of the Year, Bankers Insurance Group, Inc.