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Matt serves as project manager for multiple insurance programs, including self-insured entities, traditional insurance companies, captive insurance companies, risk retention groups and state funds. He performs both interim and year-end reserve and funding analyses and develops rate indications and loss cost multiplier projections.

He also has experience in assignments involving enterprise risk captives, simulation methods, risk margin calculations and captive feasibility studies. He has worked with entities writing multiple lines of business, including workers' compensation, general liability, professional liability, auto liability and auto physical damage.

In addition, Matt works with insurance industry data to update and help develop benchmarks to be applied to various actuarial analyses. He also assists with preparation of statements of actuarial opinion and actuarial opinion summaries.

- ★ Qualified Actuary per the National Association of Insurance Commissioners (NAIC)
- ★ Qualified to sign statements of actuarial opinion per the American Academy of Actuaries (AAA)

YEARS OF EXPERIENCE

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EDUCATION

Illinois State University, 2020 B.S. Actuarial Science Minor: Insurance, Economics

CERTIFICATIONS

Casualty Actuarial Society (CAS), Associate, 2022 AAA, Member, 2022

PROFESSIONAL VOLUNTEERISM

CAS Membership Advisory Panel, 2022 – Present

PAST PROFESSIONAL VOLUNTEERISM

CAS Student Ambassador, 2018 – 2020

THOUGHT LEADERSHIP HIGHLIGHTS

- "Publicly Available Data in Actuarial Analyses," CAS Casualty Loss Reserve Seminar (CLRS), September 2025
- "Property & Casualty Loss Reserves," Insurance Regulators Education Foundation (IREF) Program for Insurance Financial Regulators, May 2025

- "Publicly Available Data in Actuarial Analyses," CAS CLRS Roundtable, September 2024
- "Deductible and SIR Adjustments," Pinnacle Internal Meeting, August 2024
- "Workers' Compensation," Milwaukee School of Engineering, November 2023
- "Analyst Panel: Data Issues," Pinnacle Internal Meeting, August 2023
- "Pet Insurance," Pinnacle University, March 2023
- "Ask an Actuary," Pinnacle Beyond the Classroom Webinar, April 2023
- "Captive Domiciles Where You Live Matters," Pinnacle Internal Zenith Webinar, July 2022
- "Frequency x Severity = Pure Premium, Right?" Pinnacle University, March 2022
- "Time Series to Model LDFs and IBNR Projections," Pinnacle University, March 2021

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Pinnacle Actuarial Resources, Inc., 2020 – Present State Farm Insurance (Actuarial Internship), 2019 Zurich North America (Actuarial Internship), 2018