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# Charles McConnell

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## Current Responsibilities

Chuck is responsible for management of Horseshoe Insurance Advisory, Ltd.

## Experience

Chuck has worked in the insurance and reinsurance industries for over 37 years. He has extensive actuarial experience in all of the major General (Property & Casualty) Insurance lines of business.

Prior to joining Horseshoe, he has most recently worked as an independent consultant providing financial and actuarial services to private equity investment groups, captives, insurers, reinsurers, law firms, and insurance regulators in the U.S. and Bermuda. His service offerings included:

- Loss reserving and insurance pricing
- Product development
- Risk transfer analysis
- Strategic and financial planning
- Valuations.

Before moving to Bermuda, Chuck was the Chief Financial Officer and Chief Actuary of Home Holdings in New York. In that capacity, he had responsibility for the Home's:

- Pricing and reserving functions
- Financial reporting
- Compliance
- Treasury

He also served as the primary liaison with rating agencies, regulators, and major stock and bond holders. He joined the Home virtually coincidentally with the initiation of the major recapitalization effort which resulted in the sale of the Home's underwriting and operations staff functions to Zurich. In that effort, Chuck was the leader of the actuarial and financial team. He left the Home with the closing of the recapitalization.

Prior to his tenure with the Home, Chuck spent 13 years with a predecessor organization to Towers Watson; Tillinghast. He was a partner and senior consulting actuary and had extensive experience in both pricing and loss reserving for all of the major General Insurance lines. He specialized in Property Catastrophe exposure analysis. He ran Tillinghast's Merger & Acquisition practice for over 8 years. He also led the team that developed Tillinghast's first property catastrophe modeling software. Over his time with Tillinghast, he had various management roles including stints as manager of the Washington, D.C. office and the New York City office.

Before Tillinghast, Chuck spent 8 years with the Hartford Insurance Group. He began as a Workers' Compensation pricing actuary and then became chief actuary for Commercial Automobile followed by appointment as chief actuary for Commercial

Property and Multi-Peril. He moved on to Commercial Property underwriting and ended his tenure with the Hartford as the head of Technical Services for the Product Development Department where he concentrated on small business-owners multi-peril packages.

### **Professional Designations**

- Fellow, Casualty Actuarial Society - 1979
- Member, American Academy of Actuaries - 1983

### **Education**

- BSc. Mathematics, Florida Technological University – 1973
- MSc. Mathematics, University of Florida - 1974

### **Languages**

- English