Insurance Institute of Exeter

 Young Professional of the Year 2024

The Insurance Institute of Exeter has pleasure in inviting nominations for the Young Professional of the Year, worth £250.00 to the winner, together with the opportunity to be presented with the certificate and cheque at the
Annual Dinner on 22nd March 2024.

The David Grimley Memorial Award for Young Professional of the Year 2024 is sponsored by Mark Fowles of
DWF Law. The award is to recognise the professional development and achievement of young people in our area.

To allow sufficient time for the panel to review all nominations, send completed applications by email to the Secretary at exeterinstitute@cii.co.uk before the **closing date on 1st March 2024**.

**Entry Criteria:**

* Candidates, who do not have to be existing CII Members, must be under the age of 35 on 1st January 2024 and have been working in the Insurance or Financial Services sector for a minimum of two years.
* Nominations may be supported by references from clients or customers.
* If you have been nominated or have nominated someone previously, this is not a bar to a nomination for this year's award.
* Examination success will be taken into account but will not be the sole or main factor.

**Points to Consider:**

* The judges are looking for professional development in the broadest sense and will wish to recognise someone who, in line with the CII definition of CPD, can demonstrate their professional development by 'the acquisition of knowledge, experience and skills and the development of personal qualities necessary for the execution of professional and technical duties throughout working life'.
* Employers and managers in the local institute's area are invited to nominate any number of people within their own company to be considered by a panel as worthy of being selected for one of the top three places from whom the overall winner will be chosen.

Nominations will be adjudicated by a panel comprising President/Past President, Deputy President and Education Secretary

**How to enter:**

1. Check that the candidate meets the entry criteria and contact us if unsure about anything.
2. Complete the nomination form below.
3. Email it to exeterinstitute@cii.co.uk

Please make sure that all of your details are completed so that we can contact you.

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Nomination Form

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| **Key responsibilities in their current position (no more than 200 words)**A brief overview of what their role includes and the tasks they are responsible for. |
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| **Specific career progress and achievements over the past 12 months (no more than 200 words)**A brief overview of any milestones or challenges they have excelled at recently. |
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| **Why do you think this person will be a worthy winner? (no more than 200 words)**An outline of why you personally believe they should win. |
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We will be pleased to receive references regarding this individual from any of your customers.

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| **I declare that the contents of this declaration form are true to the best of my knowledge** |
| **Nominator's Signature:** |  | **Date:**  |  |

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