The Role of Reinsurers in Longevity Risk Transfer

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The longevity market is influenced by various factors, e.g. the demographics, funding and available trades. The holders of longevity risks typically face a number of additional risks and the longevity risk has a number of aspects. The presentation shows that different risks will typically not all suit pension schemes, insurers, reinsurers or investors, such that these risks need to be separated. I will present various ways how the risks can be separated and what role reinsurers have played in the past and what the future role of reinsurers may be in the longevity markets.