

University of Windsor 2010 (Jan-May) SOA Actuarial Exam Dates:

January 5, 2010; Exam P; (8:30-11:30 a.m., 30 questions)

April 29, 2010; Exam C; (8:30-12:00 a.m., 35 questions)

May 12, 2010; Exam MFE; (8:30-11:00 a.m., 25 questions)

May 13, 2010; Exam MLC; (8:30-11:30 a.m., 30 questions)

May 19, 2010; Exam FM; (8:30-11:30 a.m., 35 questions)

May 26, 2010; Exam P; (8:30-11:30 a.m., 30 questions)

There is also Exam P in March 2010 (computer based, not at U of Windsor), Exam FM in February, 2010 (computer based, not at U of Windsor)

Location: 9118 Lambton Tower.

The University of Windsor SOA Actuarial exams are all pencil and paper. For most other sites, exams P, FM and C are computer based. Exams MFE and MLC are pencil and paper everywhere.

There is **no real difference between pencil and paper based and computer based exams**. In the first case, the question is written in an exam booklet and the question must be solved on paper with the answer being marked on a multiple choice answer sheet. In the second case, the question appears on a computer screen and the question must be solved on paper with the answer being marked on the computer screen.

The computer based test randomly generates questions so two computer based exams may be completely different from each other but the level of the exams should be the same.

For computer based exams (P and FM), the computer should give immediate feedback of Pass or Fail. This is of huge value in deciding how to allocate study time for future exams. **The closest computer based test center to Windsor is Livonia, Michigan**. Other locations include Ann Arbor, Michigan, Troy, Michigan, and London, Ontario. People must sign up early to guarantee a seat. Computer based tests are more expensive (\$75 more), but the immediate result is worth at least that amount.

The **registration deadline** for all exams is approximately two months before the exam date. Exact details are available at www.soa.org or www.beanactuary.org (Try both sites.)

(For further information, contact **Dr. M. Hlynka**, 9114 Lambton Tower, 519-253-3000 (x 3014), hlynka@uwindsor.ca)