Reactions unveiled the winners of its 2016 Latin American Insurance and Reinsurance Awards at the end of May in Miami’s prestigious Ritz Carlton resort in South Beach.

Following a packed day of discussions during the Reactions and Euromoney Seminars hosted Fifth Annual Latin American Insurance and Reinsurance Forum, attendees put on their best dress and filled out the Ritz Carlton’s ballroom to see which individuals and companies would be handed this year’s awards.

In the end, Suramericana went home with a quartet of awards. It was given Merger and Acquisition Deal of the Year for its purchase of RSA’s Latin American operations, while the firm was also named Andean Insurer of the Year.

Suramericana then went one better and was named Latin American Insurer of the Year and Gonzalo Alberto Perez Rojas was named Latin American Insurance Chief Executive of the Year.

Patria Re was another major winner, with the company and its chief executive, Ingrid Carlou, handed three awards. The first was for Latin American Reinsurance Deal of the Year in recognition of its move into Lloyd’s and the formation of Special Purpose Syndicate 6125. Patria Re was also named Mexican Reinsurance Company of the Year, while Carlou was herself named Latin America Reinsurance Chief Executive of the Year.

Elsewhere, Chubb’s Jorge Luis Cazar was handed the award for Latin America Influential Individual of the Year, the second year in a row he has been given the prize. Latin American Reinsurer of the Year went to Scor, while the Insurance Broker Award went to Marsh. Aon Benfield was named Latin American Reinsurance Broker of the Year, while Alejandro Galizia was named Reinsurance Broking CEO of the Year. Insurance Broking CEO of the Year was given to Willis’ Luis Maurette while the Lifetime Achievement prize
Hernan Moreno, Beatriz Americano and Rodrigo Botti came to the stage after Terra Brasis was awarded Brazilian Reinsurer of the Year.

Marsh won Brazilian Broker of the Year, an award which Eddie Hussey picked up.

Guy Carpenter won Brazilian Reinsurance Broker of the Year, with Judi Newsam collecting the award.

Hermann Giron picked up the award after his firm Seguros El Roble was named Central America Insurer of the Year.

Central America Reinsurer of the Year went to TransRe with Marco Giovane coming to the stage to collect the award.

Juana Francisca Llano collected the prize after Suramericana was named Latin America Insurer of the Year.

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- Latin American Law Firm of the Year: Kennedys
- Latin American Rating Agency of the Year: AM Best Company
- Latin American Technology Company of the Year: SISTRAN
- Latin American Consultancy of the Year: Willis Towers Watson
- Latin American Risk Modeler of the Year: AIR Worldwide
- Latin American Loss Adjustor of the Year: Crawford & Company
• Latin American Re/Insurance Deal of the Year: Patria Re approved for Special Purpose Syndicate 6125 in Lloyd’s of London
• Latin American Regulator of the Year: Comisión Nacional de Seguros y Fianzas, Mexico
• Andean Insurer of the Year: Suramericana
• Andean Reinsurer of the Year: Hannover Re
• Brazilian Insurer of the Year: Chubb
• Brazilian Reinsurer of the Year: Terra Brasis
• Brazilian Broker of the Year: Marsh
• Brazilian Reinsurance Broker of the Year: Guy Carpenter
• Caribbean Insurer of the Year: Guardian
• Caribbean Reinsurer of the Year: Everest Re
• Caribbean Insurance Broker of the Year: Marathon Insurance Brokers
• Caribbean Reinsurance Broker of the Year: Alwen Hough Johnson
• Central American Insurer of the Year: Seguros El Roble
• Central American Reinsurer of the Year: TransRe
• Mexican Insurer of the Year: Seguros Banorte
• Mexican Reinsurer of the Year: Patria Re
• Southern Cone Insurer of the Year: BCI Seguros
• Southern Cone Reinsurer of the Year: Munich Re
• Latin American Microinsurer of the Year: La Positiva
• Latin American Insurer of the Year: Suramericana
• Latin American Reinsurer of the Year: Scor
• Latin American Broker of the Year: Marsh
• Latin American Reinsurance Broker of the Year: Aon Benfield
• Latin American Insurance CEO of the Year: Gonzalo Alberto Perez Rojas, Suramericana
• Latin American Reinsurance CEO of the Year: Ingrid Carlou, Patria Re
• Latin American Insurance Broking CEO of the Year: Luis Maurette, Willis
• Latin American Reinsurance Broking CEO of the Year: Alejandro Galizia, Aon Benfield
• Latin American Influential Individual of the Year: Jorge Luis Cazar, Chubb
• Lifetime Achievement - Roberto Degl’Innocenti
Latin America Reinsurer of the Year went to Scor, with James Grieve heading to the stage to collect the award.

Marsh won Latin America Broker of the Year, with Alejandro Solorzano collecting the award.

Suramericana’s Gonzalo Alberto Perez Rojas was named Latin America Insurance CEO of the Year.

Latin America Reinsurance CEO of the Year went to Patria Re’s Ingrid Carlou.
Willis Towers Watson’s Luis Maurette was awarded Latin America Insurance Broking CEO of the Year.

Latin America Reinsurance Broking CEO of the Year went to Aon Benfield’s Alejandro Galizia.

Chubb’s Jorge Luis Cazar was named Latin America Influential Individual of the Year for the second time in a row.

Latin America Lifetime Achievement was handed to former Generali executive Roberto Degl’Innocenti.