

BOOK REVIEWS

W. R. HEILMANN (1988). *Fundamentals of Risk Theory*. Verlag für Versicherungswirtschaft, Karlsruhe, 288 pages, 36 DM.

This book is essentially an English translation of the book “Grundbegriffe” by the same author. Our readers are therefore referred to the book review of “Grundbegriffe” published in the *ASTIN Bulletin* **18**, vol 1, 115–116.

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