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Happy 70th Anniversary IIA

The IIA turns 70 this year! The IIA has played a monumental role in the development of internal auditing and we are proud to celebrate seven decades of achievement. Visit our special 70th anniversary website to participate and learn about an interactive photo campaign. Visit http://www.theiia.org/theiia/the-iias-70th-anniversary.

Cancelled Meeting – January 20, 2011

Speaker: Treasurer of the State, Richard Mourdock

Condensed Bio:

Richard Mourdock took office as Indiana's 53rd State Treasurer in February 2007 and re-elected to another four year term in November 2010. He brings to the office a 30 year record of executive experience in the Hoosier energy, construction, and environmental industries.

Richard serves as Indiana's Chief Investment Officer, where he seeks to maximize the return on the state's investment portfolio. He also serves on a total of 13 boards and commissions by virtue of his office. In addition, Richard currently serves as the Vice-Chairman of the College Savings Plans Network and the Midwest Regional Vice-President of the National Association of State Treasurers.

In his first term, Richard was at the center of the national debate regarding the bailouts of the automobile industry as he pursued a case on behalf of Indiana pensioners to the US Supreme Court. As a result of the case, Richard has been frequently cited for his willingness to stand-up for the rule of law, the US Constitution, and individual property rights.

Richard previously served two terms as a Commissioner of Vanderburgh County, where he gained a reputation as a results-oriented leader by setting goals and measuring progress.

Richard holds a Master's Degree in Geology from Ball State University and a Bachelor's Degree from Defiance College in Ohio.

On a personal note, Richard is frequently sought after as a speaker on the subjects of Abraham Lincoln and early American politics. Richard has served on numerous Christian mission trips to Bolivia and is currently training to run the Chicago Marathon on his 60th birthday, which will officially be his ninth marathon.

Richard lives in Darmstadt, Indiana, with his wife Marilyn.

JA In a Day – February 25, 2011

As you may have heard, our Tri-State Chapter will be teaching the first ever "JA in a Day" program for the Junior Achievement of Southwestern Indiana, Inc. There are (2) kindergarten and (2) 2nd grade classes at Daniel Wertz Elementary that will be participating in the JA in a Day option. Those who have signed up to volunteer will be contacted soon with detailed instructions on how the event will take place.

We see this as a wonderful opportunity to advocate one of our pillars of the IIA Tri-State chapter – volunteerism.

Remember there is still time to sign up.

IIA Tri-State Chapter to Appear In the Evansville Courier & Press

The word continues to get out!

The Evansville Courier & Press is doing a story about the Institute of Internal Auditors – including our Tri-State chapter, our members, our objectives and our various guest speakers.

Officer Nominations

IIA Leadership Team

2011-2012 chapter open positions include: Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary, one opening for nomination committee and one opening for audit committee. Please take the time to decide if you would like to nominate someone or even yourself to fulfill one of these positions.

CIA Exam – Don't Forget Your Discount

The Tri-State IIA Chapter has partnered with Gleim Publications to ensure your success on the CIA exam! Working together, we will provide you the necessary study tools to prepare for this difficult exam.

Gleim provides an extensive self-study course for the CIA exam. Our most successful candidates use the Gleim CIA Review System with Gleim Online. This system combines Review Books, Test Prep software, Test Prep for Windows Mobile, audio reviews, Gleim Online and a Personal Counselor (a real live person!) to maximize your available study time. Because Gleim identifies and focuses on your weak areas, you will not spend any more time preparing than is necessary to guarantee success. The CMA Review System with Gleim Online GUARANTEES that you will pass each exam part the first time. We are here to save you time and money.

As a member of the chapter, you are eligible for 20% off all Gleim's CIA Review materials, as well as Gleim CPE. To take advantage of the reduced prices, please contact our chapter representative, Melissa Leonard.

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By fax: (888) 375-6940, attn: Melissa Leonard

Member Profile: Brandon Ladley

Internal Auditor for Tropicana Entertainment – Casino Aztar

What do you do, and how long have you been doing it, what do you love about your job?

I work for Casino Aztar as an Internal Auditor. I love that the job can be different each and every day and since I have only been in auditing for 5 months I am constantly learning new things.

What is your favorite travel destination and why?

The Hawaiian Islands would be my favorite and in particular Kauai. I went there on my honeymoon and would love to get back there someday to visit the other islands.

Where did you complete your formal education?

University of Southern Indiana

Sociology & Criminal Justice 2005

Accounting & Professional Services 2008

What book are you currently reading?

Breaking Dawn – Twilight Series

What are your hobbies?

Other than spending time with my family, I enjoy reading, softball, golf, and running. I am currently training for the Southern Indiana Classic Marathon in April. I completed my first marathon in 2010 and have ran 4 half marathons. I would like to complete an Ironman someday.

CAP Reporting

CAP is the acronym for Chapter Achievement Program. This program has been established with the basic idea that the mission of the chapter is to serve its **members first** and then the internal audit profession. It is sponsored by the International IIA to encourage local chapters to be active both for the benefit of the chapter members and of the local community.

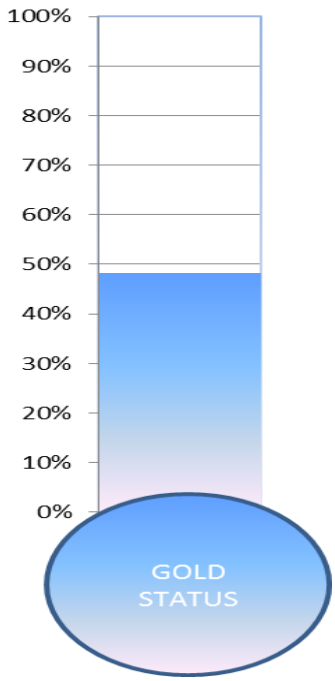
Minimum CAP Requirements / CAP Service Levels

Service to Members - 325 CAP Points
Service to the Profession - 200 CAP Points
Chapter Administration - 160 CAP points

CAP Performance Levels

BRONZE - 685 CAP Points
SILVER - 1,060 CAP Points
GOLD - 1,560 CAP Points
PLATINUM - This is a special level created to recognize chapters that attain GOLD status for 10 of 11 consecutive years.

As of January 1, our chapter had **751.68 CAP Points**.



IIA MEMBERSHIP ANNIVERSARIES

Christ Milienu	20 years
Timothy Lukomski	9 years
Regina Gauger	5 years
Carrie Holley	2 years

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tri-State Chapter Meeting	Jan 20
Groundhog Day	Feb 2
Superbowl Sunday	Feb 6
Tri-State Chapter Seminar	Mar 17
St. Patrick's Day	Mar 17

JOB OPENINGS

Corporate Auditor - Vectren (Evansville, IN)

Senior Auditor – Manufacturing/Production per FPSelectjobs.com (Evansville, IN)

Finance Manager (Jasper, IN)

Audit Manager – Madison Gas & Electric (Madison, WI)
*Note: Contact me if interested in recruiter info.

CHAPTER MEMBER CHALLENGE

Add value to your Tri-State chapter today!

- Ask a question at the meeting
- Share a personal experience
- Sign up for JA in a Day
- Write a piece for the newsletter
- Volunteer for a committee chair
- Anything that can add value to our chapter

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