

# Audit Trails

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## Free Member Webinars

(Make sure to sign in to receive your discount!)

[How Internal Audit Can Master Pervasive Economic Uncertainty](#)

April 25, 2023

## IIA Conferences

[2023 Public Sector Virtual Conference: Navigating Today's Risks and Opportunities](#)

June 29, 2023

[2023 International Conference](#)

July 10-12, 2023

Amsterdam, Netherlands and Virtual

## Audit Job Openings

[Lead Internal Auditor-Great Plains Bank](#)

[Audit Intern-First Fidelity Bank](#)

[IT Auditor-The University of Oklahoma](#)

[Instructor in Accounting and Coordinator for](#)

[Accreditation, Assessment, and Program Analytics](#)

[Internal Audit Manager-RCB Bank](#)

[Staff Internal Auditor-CompSource Mutual](#)

If you have any jobs you would like posted in the newsletter, please let one of the chapter officers know and we can have these posted for you!

## Scholarship

CIA Certification Scholarship  
IIA's CIA Learning System  
(valued at \$1,000) to prepare for taking the CIA exam.

For more information and to apply go to Scholarships + Awards at:

<https://www.theiia.org/en/chapter/s/united-states/oklahoma/oklahoma-city/>

Please submit your applications to:

[IIAOKCAR@gmail.com](mailto:IIAOKCAR@gmail.com)

### ***Please note:***

If you have already submitted an application you will need to resubmit it to the [IIAOKCAR@gmail.com](mailto:IIAOKCAR@gmail.com) to be considered for the scholarship.

Deadline for submission is May 1, 2023.



“The CIA designation increases career-advancing opportunities and earning potential.”

<https://www.theiia.org/en/certifications/cia/>

## President's Message

Greetings IIA OKC Members,

Sometimes the seasons and the weather can make us think of auditing or at least for me it does. Growing up in Moore, Oklahoma I rode through several tornados in a storm shelter, heard the “train” sound as one came through our neighborhood, and helped other people pick up the debris when all that was left of their house was a concrete foundation. But a foundation seems to almost always be left. Yes, it may have shifted and moved a little, but it’s still standing. This reminds me of the audits we are performing within our various industries and organizations. We all come from different industries, different organizations, different business cultures and different personal backgrounds, but our foundation as internal auditors is the same. “To enhance and protect organizational value by providing risk-based and objective assurance, advice and insight” (Mission of Internal Audit, pg. 21 of the IPPF). No matter what kind of bad weather hits our organizations our foundation stands, and we stand together to protect this foundation.

Don’t forget to sign up for the “IIA of OKC Spring Seminar,” which will be a CPE event every Thursday for the last 6 weeks of the year (April 20 – May 25). This event will have many different speakers from various fields and backgrounds within the audit universe, one in-person meeting, five virtual meetings, and the opportunity to collect 10-12 CPE credits including more Ethics CPEs. You will have the opportunity to buy each event separate (\$40 for virtual and \$60 for in-person) or bundle them altogether to save costs (\$200 for 6 event bundle). The schedule and events have been added to the chapter website, so you can view all 6 events before making you selections. Below you can see the speaker listing:

- Dr. Walker, University of Central Oklahoma
- Jude Viator, IIA South District Advisor and Consulting Associate Director at Postlethwaite & Netterville
- Eddie Thomas, Talent Management/Development Professional at Devon Energy
- Jennifer Roberson, RAS Talent and Organizational Development at CBIZ Stinnett
- David Murrell and James Wright, Lead Auditors at Devon Energy
- Jami Shine, Corporate and IT Audit Manager at QuikTrip

Please be watching for upcoming meetings on both the monthly newsletters and the chapter website - <https://www.theiia.org/en/chapters/united-states/oklahoma/oklahoma-city/>.

I hope the IIA OKC will continue to provide a sense of comfort for all members. We are dedicated to bringing relevant and engaging CPE opportunities to members while also encouraging networking within numerous industries. Please feel free to reach out to any of our officers if you have any questions or suggestions.

Zach Bowen

IIA OKC Chapter President 2022/2023



## Current Chapter Programming

### Spring CPE In-Person and Virtual Options

Please click on the dates below to register for these CPE opportunities!

[Thursday, April 20, 2023](#) (12:00 pm – 1:00 pm)

Zoom Virtual Meeting

Speaker: Dr. Walker, University of Central Oklahoma

[Thursday, April 27, 2023](#) (12:00 pm – 2:00 pm)

Zoom Virtual Meeting

Speaker: Jude Viator, Postlethwaite & Netterville and IIA South District Advisor

[Thursday, May 4, 2023](#) (12:00 pm – 1:00 pm)

Zoom Virtual Meeting

Speaker: Eddie Thomas, Devon Energy

[Thursday, May 11, 2023](#) (12:00 pm – 2:00 pm)

Zoom Virtual Meeting

Speaker: Jennifer Roberson, CBIZ Stinnett

[Thursday, May 18, 2023](#) (12:00 pm – 2:00 pm)

Zoom Virtual Meeting

Speakers: David Murrell and James Wright, Devon Energy

[Thursday, May 25, 2023](#) (12:00 pm – 2:00 pm)

Bricktown Brewery

1 N Oklahoma Ave, Oklahoma City, OK 73104

Speaker: Jami Shine, QuikTrip

[Click here to sign up for all of the events at a special discounted rate!](#)

## Local Chapter Membership

For more information on membership benefits, please visit:

<https://www.theiia.org/en/membership/member-benefits/>

## IIA CIA Learning System Exam Prep Courses

If you are interested in pursuing your CIA certification, be sure to check out the Online IIA CIA Learning System Exam Prep Courses! The IIA offers CIA Instructor-led courses online. Upcoming dates for the online seminars include:

- **Part 1:** April 17-19 & 24-26, 2023
- **Part 2:** May 23-25, 2023
- **Part 3:** June 5, 7, 9, 12, 14, & 16, 2023

Please visit

<https://www.learnCIA.com/cia-course-listings/> for additional information and to register.

