## **Audit Trails**

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# Free Member Webinars

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

Gaining Momentum in Your
ERM Program
May 9, 2024

Addressing Complex Audit Issues
in ESG
May 30, 2024

#### **IIA Conferences**

2024 Analytics, Automation and AI Virtual Conference April 18, 2024

#### **Audit Job Openings**

Team Leader of Internal Audit, Sr Auditor-Paycom

Financial Reporting Controls
Director-American Fidelity

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!

## Welcome New IIA OKC Members

Please give a warm welcome to the following members who are new to our chapter:

Brian Kelley

Mary Grace Smith



Congratulations to our newly certified member!

Samuel Taylor, CIA

### President's Message

Greetings IIA OKC Chapter Members!

Thank you to all those that attended our virtual CPE event with Chris Hutchison on March 27<sup>th</sup>. For those in attendance, we learned valuable lessons about how control owners perceive auditors and how we can shape our communication to be more effective.

April 25<sup>th</sup> - We have an <u>in-person</u> cybersecurity presentation that will be fascinating for everyone who attends! Cody Eidson, Cybersecurity Lead – Diamondback Energy, will be presenting on cyber risks, common techniques utilized by bad actors, ways to mitigate risk, and much more! Mr. Eidson has routine discussions with the FBI and other agencies to discuss best practices, so this will be a great presentation to learn and ask questions on one of the biggest risks companies currently manage. This event will be at Ted's Café Escondido from 11:30am – 1:00pm. Address: 2836 NW 68th St, Oklahoma City, OK 73116.

Lastly, I want to mention that our Spring Seminar will be taking place on May 7<sup>th</sup> from 8:00am – 4:30pm at the Greens Country Club. The presenter will be Robert Barry, also known as "That Audit Guy", who has a long history of interesting and engaging presentations. Mr. Barry summarizes this presentation as "Ask better Questions, Get Better Answers, Perform Better Audits". This will be a great opportunity for anyone looking to fulfill a significant CPE requirement while obtaining the most up-to-date audit techniques from a world-class presenter.

I want to thank you all for continuing to support our local chapter and for providing me with feedback on how we can improve and what we are doing right. We are continuing to grow and have welcomed many new faces in our officer group, and we are making improvements every day and I want to keep the momentum going!

Best Regards,

Cory Brown

President, IIA Oklahoma City Chapter 2023/2024

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### **Current Chapter Events**

#### 1 CPE Credit

Thursday, April 25, 2024

Ted's Café Escondido

2836 NW 68th St., OKC, OK 73116

Speaker: Cody Eidson, Cybersecurity Lead-Diamondback

Energy

Registration is available at: April Meeting

#### **8 CPE Credits**

Tuesday, May 7, 2024 (all day)

The Greens Country Club

13100 Green Valley Dr. OKC, OK 73120

Speaker: Robert Berry (That Audit Guy)

Watch your email for details on registration!

OKC Chapter will be handing out random gift cards at the CPE events, just another reason to attend a meeting!

## **Local Chapter Membership**

For more information on membership benefits, please visit:

https://www.theiia.org/en/ membership/memberbenefits/

#### 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:** May 29-31, 2024
- **Part 2:** June 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 14, 2024
- **Part 3:** May 28-30, June 4-6, 2024

Please visit

https://www.learncia.com/ci a-course-listings/ for additional information and to register.

