# Audit Trails

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# <u>Free Member</u> <u>Webinars</u>

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

Public Policy Impacts of the New Congress February 28, 2023

The Analytics and Automation <u>Revolution for Internal Audit</u> March 28, 2023

# **IIA Conferences**

2023 Fraud Virtual Conference February 23, 2023 Virtual

GAM Conference 2023 March 13-15, 2023 Grapevine, TX and Virtual

#### 2023 International Conference

July 10-12, 2023 Amsterdam, Netherlands and Virtual



# <u>Audit Job Openings</u>

<u>Staff Internal Auditor-</u> <u>CompSource Mutual</u>

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!

# <u>Scholarship</u>

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, see the application sent with this newsletter.

Deadline for submission is April 1, 2023.

### Additional Conference Opportunity

IIA San Antonio Chapter presents "I Heart Audit" <u>Conference</u>

Virtual Conference Thursday, March 2, 2023 8 CPE Hours Sign up by February 15, 2023 for Early Bird Discount

Congratulations to our newly certified chapter members!

Roger Gann, CIA Cynthia Hall, CRMA Elise Heigle, CIA Jeffrey Henkel, CIA Hiaire A. Johnson, CIA Luke Panter, CIA Emil Skrdla, CRMA

# President's Message

#### Greetings IIA OKC Members,

Seems like January just ran past us. I feel like the year just began, but we are already into February. We are continuing to offer great opportunities for CPE that you don't want to miss. We will be offering virtual meetings and in-person meetings this year, so make sure you are paying attention to the emails, newsletters and announcement.

We are about to roll-out a new feature for the OKC Chapter that you do not want to miss. To end this chapter year we are going to have 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 will be added to the chapter website soon, so you can view all 6 events before making your selections. We believe this will be a great way to end the year and celebrate the Internal Audit Awareness month of May!!

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

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**

#### **<u>1 CPE Credit Luncheon or Zoom Option</u>**

Thursday, February 16, 2023 (11:30 am-1:00 pm)

The Greens Country Club

13100 Green Valley Dr. Oklahoma City, OK 73120

Speaker: Cindy Byrd, CPA, State Auditor & Inspector

Accountability and Transparency with our Tax Dollars

Join us to learn more about:

- 1. Auditing of COVID dollars
- 2. Monitoring of Federal Grants
- 3. Municipality and School Audit Reform
- 4. Highlights of the State Department of Education Special Audit, and
- 5. An update on Epic Charter Schools Investigative Audit

#### **Registration is available at:**

**February Meeting-State Auditor Updates** 

#### **Spring CPE**

Coming this spring, the OKC Chapter will be offering **2 CPE Credits** every Thursday from April 20<sup>th</sup> through May 25<sup>th</sup> in lieu of a Spring Seminar.

There will be options to purchase individually or a discount to purchase all six.

Look for more information on this to follow in the upcoming months.

## 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:** January 30-February 8, 2023
- **Part 2:** January 17-19, 2023
- **Part 3:** January 23-February 3, 2023

#### Please visit

https://www.learncia.com/co mprehensive-facilitator-ledcourses/ for additional information and to register.

