

The IIA Global Nominating Committee Announces Slate of 2026–27 Officer and Director Nominees

In accordance with *Article VI, Section 1* of the *Bylaws* of The Institute of Internal Auditors, nominees for Officers and Directors have been selected by the Global Nominating Committee.

These candidates have agreed to serve, subject to election at the Annual Business Meeting on June 24, 2026, at the Marina Bay Sands in Singapore, Asia. The new leaders will take office immediately upon election. All members are invited to attend and may vote in person or [by proxy](#). Officers are elected for one-year terms; Directors serve two-year terms.

The IIA's *Bylaws* provide that additional nominations may be made by the membership, provided such nominations are submitted in writing by no fewer than 100 members and received by The IIA CEO at least 90 days prior to the meeting called for the purpose of elections. In the event more than one nominee is proposed for any position, a proxy ballot shall be allowed by each member of The IIA.

The Global Nominating Committee:

Chair: J. Michael Joyce, Jr., CIA, CRMA (USA)

Members: Jorge Badillo Ayala, CIA, CCSA, CGAP, CRMA (Chile); Stefano Comotti, CIA, CRMA (France); Terry Grafenstine, CIA, CGAP (USA); Jayson Kwasnik, CIA (Canada); Leticia Lucas, CIA, CFSA (Luxembourg); Leonard Okoth, CIA (Kenya); Stacey Schabel, CIA (Lansing); Laura Soileau, CIA, CRMA (Baton Rouge); R. Michael Varney, CIA (USA); Anthony Pugliese, CIA (USA)

THE INSTITUTE OF INTERNAL AUDITORS *Nominees, 2026–27 Global Board of Directors

Position	Name	Title, Organization (Country)
Chair of the Board	*Stacey Schabel, CIA	Senior Vice President and Global Head, Operational Risk Management Reinsurance Group of America (USA)
Senior Vice Chair of the Board	*His Excellency Dr. Hussam Alangari, CIA	President General Court of Audit (Saudi Arabia)
Vice Chair – Finance	*Fábio Pimpão, CIA, CCSA, CRMA	Director, Internal Audit Whirlpool Corporation (Brazil)
Past Chair of the Board	Stefano Comotti, CIA, CRMA	Chief Audit Executive (France)
NA Board Chair	*David Helberg, CIA, CRMA	Chief, Internal Audit Services and Corporate Ethics Cameco Corporation (Canada)
NA Board Senior Vice Chair	*Yulia Gurman, CIA	Vice President, Internal Audit and Corporate Security Packaging Corporation of America (USA)
Lead Director – National Institutes	*Isabel Derison, CIA	Partner, Business Risk Services Grant Thornton Belgium (Belgium)
Director – Global Services and Advocacy (IRC)	*Massimiliano Turconi	Chief Audit Executive Telecom Italia S.P.A. (Italy)
Director – Professional Certifications (PCB, EDC)	*Reyes Fuentes Ortea, CIA, CCSA, CRMA	Chief Audit and Risks Executive Aleatica (Spain)
Director – Professional Standards (IIASB)	Hiroshi Naka, CIA	Professor Kwansei Gakuin University (Japan)
Director – Global Guidance (GGC)	*Helen Li, CIA	Group Chief Auditor The Bank of East Asia Ltd (Hong Kong)
Director – Enterprise Risk	*Jessica Rodgers, CIA	Partner Global Internal Audit Leader EY (USA)
Director – Research (BOT, CREA)	Tshepo Mofokeng, CIA, CRMA	Chief Audit Executive Sefako Makgatho Health Sciences University (South Africa)
Director (AC Chair)	*Adnan Rahim, CIA	Director, Internal Audit – Corporate Functions Meta (USA)
Director (AC)	Wenxiu Zhang	Dean/Professor Nanjing Audit University (China)
Director (AC)	*Beili Wong, CIA	Comptroller General of Ontario Ontario Public Service (Canada)
Ex-Officio Director	Anthony Pugliese, CIA	President and Chief Executive Officer The Institute of Internal Auditors (USA)