Data Access Request Form

This Data Access Request Form is intended for completion by a researcher ("Primary Researcher") to request access to data managed by The Internal Audit Foundation ("IAF").

Completed forms should be emailed to research@theiia.org.

Primary Researcher—Name and Affiliations	
First name (given name)	
Last name (surname)	
Job title/designation	
Institution or organization affiliation	
IIA institute affiliation (if applicable)	

Primary Researcher—Contact Information	
Email address	
Telephone number (include all necessary country and region codes)	
Mailing address	
Country	

Primary Researcher—Qualifications	
Describe your qualifications as related to internal audit research. (Up to 250 words.)	

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Other Researchers—Name and Affiliations	
List the full names of any additional researchers involved, along with their job titles and affiliated institutions or organizations.	

Project Overview	
What is the anticipated title or topic of the research project? (Up to 25 words.)	
Expected project timeline (start and end dates)	-
What research question(s) are you seeking to answer using this data?	
Please briefly describe the anticipated research methodology. (Up to 250 words.)	
How will this research contribute to the field of internal audit? (Up to 250 words.)	

Planned Deliverables	
Please describe the planned deliverable(s) (academic journal article, conference presentation, etc.)	

Data Request and Storage	
What data are you interested in? (Select one.)	Internal Audit: A Global View (2022) Assessing Internal Audit Competency: Minding the Gaps to Maximize Insights (2021) Global Internal Audit CBOK (Common Body of Knowledge) (2015) Other
Please provide a statement of storage method by which access to data will be limited to research team members only.	

Other	
Do you have any additional comments regarding your request for data access?	

Terms and Conditions

The Researcher(s) must agree to the following terms and conditions regarding access to and use of Internal Audit Foundation data:

1. Researcher(s) requesting data must sign a Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement for use of data, which will be provided by the Foundation. Data provided to the researcher(s) shall be used only for the purposes for which data access was granted and remains the property of the Foundation.
2. Researcher(s) will provide a one- to two-page executive summary of the completed research to research@theiia.org. The Internal Audit Foundation reserves the right to showcase the provided information on its website(s).
3. The academic Researcher(s) who are conducting research at an institution of higher education must meet the requirements of their institution's human subjects committee (or similar governance committee).
4. Data must be stored in a secure location with access limited to research team members only.
5. Data must be presented and discussed in the aggregate and may not be used for any purpose that may allow any individual, business, or organization to be identified in any reports or other deliverables resulting from the research.
6. Research must be used for academic or practitioner educational purposes only.
7. The IIA and Internal Audit Foundation will store and use your data access request information in accordance with The IIA's privacy policy.

8. The researcher(s) will acknowledge the cooperation of the Foundation in all research produced as a result of such cooperation. For example, "The Internal Audit Foundation granted access to [[INSERT NAME OF DATA SET OR SURVEY]] on conditions of anonymity and confidentiality. Although the data were provided by the Foundation, the views expressed in this study are those of the author and do not necessarily present positions or opinions of the Foundation."

9. Research must not be used to denigrate The IIA, IIA institutes, the Internal Audit Foundation, or for any legal proceedings.

10. The Internal Audit Foundation reserves at its sole discretion the right to decline a data access request.

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