If you have any ideas for future newsletters or newsworthy notes, please email Victoria Holub by the 1st of each month.
Greetings and Welcome to the 2019-20 Year for The IIA Ak-Sar-Ben Chapter!

WOW! What a way to start the new chapter year! Our District Conference was held on August 19-20th and was a very successful event for our chapter. The theme of this year’s district conference was **Invest for Success: Diversify Your Audit Portfolio**! Planning for this event started a year and half ago with many volunteers coming together to tackle numerous tasks. It is only fitting that my first letter as president should start with thanking all of the volunteers who put in significant time to ensure success not only for our District Conference, but for the chapter as well. The time that these volunteers put in to SERVE our members is a true display of LEADERSHIP. I would also like to thank our past president and current Ak-Sar-Ben Board Chair, Kevin Hitchcock, and Joy Jacob-Warneke (past Seminars and Socials Co-Chair) for providing the LEADERSHIP necessary to put on this event. In total, 22 volunteers contributed to making the District Conference a success! The next Midwest District 3 Conference will be hosted by the Central Iowa Chapter August 2-4, 2020 in Des Moines, Iowa.

I am very excited for the chapter year and look forward to working with our chapter leaders and board to ensure that we provide another highly productive and successful year for our chapter. Our chapter continues to be successful as evidenced by achieving RUBY status under the IIA’s Chapter Achievement Program (CAP as we all know it). A RUBY chapter is one that has achieved 20 years of Gold status. We could not do it without the contributions by our members and our volunteers. Your attendance at our Chapter’s event programs, as well as any work undertaken to promote the Internal Audit profession, are key to getting us across the finish line.

Along with achieving RUBY status, we also were recognized as an IIA Chapter of Excellence for 2019. We were formally recognized with this distinction at the IIA’s North America Leadership Academy Conference this past April. The Leadership Academy was held at the Disney Yacht Club in Orlando, Florida and we were represented by myself, Carol Puszewski (1st Vice President), and Ryan Hansen (Assistant Treasurer). This event offers a unique opportunity to hear directly from IIA executive leadership, headquarters staff, and district representatives and advisors overseeing local chapters, along with IIA Global and North America board leadership. General and breakout session topics ranged from the strategic to the operational, equipping leaders with valuable knowledge, resources and a network of contacts. Tons of fun was had by all!

We certainly want to keep the ball rolling for 2019-2020. Our Programs Committee is busy securing quality speakers for our monthly meetings as we speak. Thanks to everyone who participated in our annual survey! Your feedback is the driving force behind the topics presented at our monthly meetings, spring and fall seminars, and socials. Please note that we are always listening and anytime you want to provide feedback on topics you would like to see presented, just reach out to either myself or any of your chapter leaders. Additionally, we are always looking to “give back” to our members through various initiatives. Last year we worked to secure an individual to teach the IIA’s CIA Exam Learning System. The initial feedback was good; however, there was not enough participation to justify moving forward with the initiative. For the current chapter year, we are looking to provide the same initiative; however, we believe there may be greater value with offering just Part III, as this section of the CIA exam tends to be the most difficult. If you are considering this certification, please watch your email for a survey that will be sent out shortly to obtain feedback and gauge interest.

Our first chapter meeting of the year is right around corner (September 25th) and I am looking forward to seeing everyone at the Scott Conference Center or at the Ameritas Building in Lincoln. If you have an interest in SERVING our chapter and growing in your LEADERSHIP, please reach out to us, as we currently are looking for additional assistance within the Programs Committee and are in need of a Day of Chair and Membership Chair. The tasks that these positions perform can be broken down into “pick and choose” tasks to accommodate your time and schedule. Every little bit helps! Thank you in advance for SERVING and demonstrating your LEADERSHIP! “In order to LEAD you must first walk to the back of the line and SERVE”.

**Ron Povondra**  IIA Ak-Sar-Ben Chapter President
Welcome to Our New Members

Michelle Ambridge - Kiewit Corporation
Gloria Mendez - Iddings- Mutual of Omaha Insurance Company
David Warren - First National Bank of Omaha
Dan Hemphill - Hemphill Search Group
Brandon McKee - Securities America, Inc.
Matt Mayfield - Nelnet Corporation
Brandon McBride - Nelnet Corporation
Samuel Nelson- Werner Enterprises
Ryan McChesney - TD Ameritrade Holding Corporation
Jeffrey Schmid - TD Ameritrade Holding Corporation
Nicholas LaPlant- TD Ameritrade Holding Corporation
James Melgarejo - TD Ameritrade Holding Corporation
Matthew Kanger - TD Ameritrade Holding Corporation
Diane Holtorf - University of Nebraska
Mitchell Clark - CSG Systems International
Koffivi Agbaleti - Wells Fargo
Christian Cleberg- Nelnet Corporation
Michael Beatie - Union Pacific Corporation
Yves Delma - Valmont Industries, Inc.
Abby Reiss - ACI
Aaron Bieber - ACI
Chris Krueger - ACI
Samantha Thurber - Ameritas
Kristi Denison - Ameritas
Members In the News

Anniversaries

30th Anniversary
Darrel G. Moreland - Valmont Industries, Inc.
Galen Kathol - University of Nebraska
Hugh Spellman
Gary N. Jones - 1st Financial Bank USA

15th Anniversary
Mariah Lase - Gallup Organization
Joanne Sebby - First Data Corporation
Shannon Looper - Mutual of Omaha Insurance Company
Rachel Bellinghausen - First Data Corporation
Zeyna Rodriguez - Bank of the West

10th Anniversary
Seth McCune - Northstar Financial Services
Kelli Duffield - Caddo Parish School Board
Christina Collett - First National Bank of Omaha

5th Anniversary
Steven Coleman - Assurity Life Insurance Company
Pamela Peters - University of Nebraska-Lincoln
Derek Stearns - Mutual of Omaha Insurance Company
Philip McCormick - TD Ameritrade Holding Corporation
Jacob O'Neal - TD Ameritrade Holding Corporation
Jonathan Gasparovich - Green Plains Inc
Jamaal Mitchell - ACI
Jason Lehr - ACI
Mark Mowat
Cameron McKee - TD Ameritrade Holding Corporation
Emily Sherwin - First National Bank of Omaha
Troy Flynt - Cornerstone Bank
Anniversaries

5th Anniversary (cont’d)
Steve Agosta - First National Bank of Omaha
Janna Eckhardt - Mutual of Omaha Insurance Company
Shir Sandler - TD Ameritrade Holding Corporation
Megan Weise - American National Corporation
Jazmond Goss - Pinnacle Bancorp

1st Anniversary
Linda Wallen - Pinnacle Bancorp Inc
Rachel Powell - University of Nebraska
James Wilson - Ladenburg Thalmann Financial Services, Inc
Cassandra Cantu - BNSF Railway
Kyler Lambert - Union Pacific Corporation
Skyler Johnson - Physicians Mutual Insurance Company
Troy Hopkins - Lincoln Electric System
Tyler Isackson - Kiewit Corporation
Kristina Kruid - Exchange Bank
Sarah White - First National Bank of Omaha
Sean Rich - CSG Systems International
Jacob Gasnick - Verizon Communications
Christopher Bluvas - Centris Federal Credit Union
Molly Sherwin - First National Bank of Omaha
Boris Lvov - First Data Corporation
Maria Arroyave - First Data Corporation
Max Bjork - TD Ameritrade Holding Corporation
Sean Martin - TD Ameritrade Holding Corporation
Antony Wanyoike - TD Ameritrade Holding Corporation
Shany Porras-Deres - ACI
John Pinos - ACI
Jake Seeley - ACI
Janine Zimmer - ACI
Trevor Hagedorn - Blue Cross Blue Shield of Nebraska
Members In the News

Anniversaries

1st Anniversary (cont’d)
Kenneth Downing - Security National Bank
Melissa Schnick - Union Bank & Trust Company
Tyler Beck - Physicians Mutual Insurance Company
Chris Collver - Mutual of Omaha Insurance Company

Certifications

Adam Cooper - Certified Internal Auditor (CIA)
Khater Khater - Certified Internal Auditor (CIA)
Kevin Hitchcock - Certification in Risk Management Assurance (CRMA)

Special Recognition

Scott Stepanek was recently recognized by the Professional Certification Board and the Board of Directors of The Institute of Internal Auditors for earning the 2018 William S. Smith CIA – Certificate of Excellence Award for your outstanding performance on the Certified Internal Auditor (CIA) examination. He successfully completed the CIA exam on the first attempt for each part. In addition, he submitted one of the best exam papers following that of the Gold, Silver, and Bronze Medalists.

The Certificate of Excellence is one of the prestigious William S. Smith Awards for Outstanding CIA Examination Performance. The Smith awards are named in honor of the first Chairman of the Board of Regents, who was a driving force behind the development of the CIA program. Consideration for the Smith awards is based on a candidate’s performance on the core parts of the CIA exam (Parts I, II, and III).

Congratulations Scott on your accomplishment!
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<td>Incorporating Strategic and Emerging Risks into Operational Audits a Value-Added Program</td>
<td>Wednesday, September 25, 2019 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM 1 CPE Hour</td>
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**CPE CREDIT NOTICE**

Reminder to those who attend our chapter meetings, seminars, and conferences: 1 CPE credit is awarded for each 50 minutes of a presentation or training time attended. We realize that there may be times when an attendee must leave early due to work or personal obligations; however, CPE can only be awarded for the time the person actually attended the event. If you must leave an event early, we ask that you let the registration attendant know and mark it on the sign-in sheet so your CPE can be adjusted appropriately. CPE certificates will be issued through the EMT system for confirmed and paid attendees.
Events and Opportunities

Chapter Membership Directory!

To promote and facilitate professional networking, idea sharing, and consultation, the Chapter publishes an Ak-Sar-Ben Member directory. This directory has been uploaded to the Members-only page of our chapter website, which requires a login with your IIA ID and password.

As part of your IIA Member profile, you may opt in or out as part of your communication preferences. Prior to the publication of the local directory, should you wish your information not to be included, we suggest revising your profile to opt out.

Interested in viewing videos from the IIA?

Visit the Audit Channel webpage for a wide range of thought-provoking videos including fraud, ethics, compliance, internal control, technology, and etc. These three–to five–minute videos focus on timely subjects of important to internal auditors in how they approach their daily work.

A Few Friendly Reminders...

- Please remember to preregister for Chapter Meetings, seminars, and any events requiring registration using our online Event Management Tool (EMT) system. The registration invitation is sent to your email address of record, and is also posted on the Ak-Sar-Ben Events page of our website. Having an accurate count enables us to better arrange space, and food needs with our host venue.

- Registration fees for all Chapter events (meetings, seminars, etc.) are payable either before (through the online preregistration process) or on the day of the event. Cash and check (no credit cards) are accepted day of at the registration desk. Requested CPE certificate will not be issued by the Chapter until full fee payment has been received from the confirmed attendee. For additional detail, see the Ak-Sar-Ben payment policy.

Thank you for your cooperation and consideration!
Events and Opportunities

AUDIT HAPPY HOUR

Connect with other professionals in the local Omaha area. Grab a drink and food on us and let’s all talk shop.

WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 25th
5:30 - 8:30 PM

THE GREY PLUME
220 S 31st Ave #3101, Omaha NE 68131
Meeting by the bar
Free Meeting Registration for Students  
Effective September 2018  

All currently enrolled Students (i.e. undergraduate, graduate, full-time, and/or part-time), whether working or not, are entitled to free registration at all Chapter Meetings. When registering, select “Student.” This initiative reflects the Chapter’s desire to cultivate student knowledge of, and interest in, internal audit careers.

IIA Ak-Sar-Ben Chapter Cancellation Policy  
Effective August 2018

**Monthly Meetings** – The designated point of contact must be notified of cancellation no less than 24 hours prior to the start of the meeting in order to receive a refund. Any cancellation within 24 hours of the meeting or failure to attend the meeting will not result in a refund. The registrant can designate someone to use his or her registration without notification to the committee.

**Seminars/Conferences** – In order for a registrant to receive a refund, the appropriate point of contact designated in formal communications must be notified of the cancellation. Notification must occur one week prior to the event at a minimum. For cancellation within a week of the event, no refunds will be granted. The registrant may designate an alternate to use their registration with notification to the designated point of contact.

This policy may be overridden with approval from the Chapter President, and a Hospitality Committee member for extenuating circumstances. Additionally, an event-specific policy may be determined by the Event Committee and approved by the Board. In those cases, the alternate rules must be communicated in the event registration communication.
What is CAP? Chapter Achievement Program (CAP), points are credits earned by the Chapter throughout the year. A minimum credit is required in each of the following three categories to qualify for Bronze status:

**Service to Members** - 325 credits are calculated from: CPEs for members, social events, and the number of IIA professional certificates presented.

**Professionalism (formerly Service to Profession)** - 200 credits calculated from: miscellaneous services to the profession, CPEs for nonmembers, and hosting a conference.

**Chapter Health (formerly Chapter Administration)** - 160 credits calculated from: reporting, newsletters and Leadership Conference participation.

Additional credits beyond these can come from any category in order to qualify for a higher level.

We need you, our IIA Ak-Sar-Ben members, to notify our Chapter President Elect, Conrad Saltzgaber of the following:

1. Any articles that you have submitted on audit-related topics to the IIA or any other professional organization (please include the date of submission, title, and the publication to which it was submitted).

2. Any articles that were published in The IA Magazine (please include the date of publication).

3. Any presentations for organizations that are audit-related (please include the date, presentation length rounded up to the next whole hour, location, number of attendees, and number of IIA member attendees).

4. Participation in any Junior Achievement Program (please include the date, hours volunteered, and location).

5. Participation on an IIA International or North American Committee.

6. Hosting an Internal Audit event at work (please include the date, presentation length rounded up to the next whole hour, location, and speaker).

7. Submissions to the Audit Channel TV.

8. Participation on an IIA-sponsored Quality Review Team.

9. The completion of a Quality Assessment by your organization.

Knowledge of these events could significantly increase our CAP points and help us maintain Ruby Status!

**CAP levels:**

- **Bronze:** 685
- **Silver:** 1,060
- **Gold:** 1,560
- **Platinum:** 10 years of Gold
- **Ruby:** 10 of 11 past years of Platinum

We achieved PLATINUM status for the 2018-2019 chapter year, qualifying us for RUBY status! Thank you for your continued participation in chapter events.
On August 19-20, Ak-Sar-Ben Chapter was proud to yet again host the Midwest Conference for IIA North America’s District 3 area. (District 3 encompasses five local chapters across Nebraska, Iowa, and South Dakota). The theme of this year’s district conference was **Invest for Success: Diversify Your Audit Portfolio**!

The event – held at the recently-remodeled Omaha Marriott Regency Conference Center – drew around 250 total participants, including attendees, chapter volunteers, sponsor organization representatives, and presenters. The conference, featured two days of intensive education, development, engagement, and networking, offered members and guests up to 16 continuing professional education credits. Attendees heard from three compelling keynote speakers and selected seven from among 28 smaller-format breakout session options spanning four tracks – Audit Practice, Fraud & Ethics, Information Technology, and Emerging Risks.

In addition to educational programming, qualifying sponsors participated in an exhibit hall marketing their professional product and service offerings. These sponsors were instrumental in making the event a reality and a success! Attendees were encouraged to visit tables, collecting stamps (game pieces) along the way on a Monopoly Board, with a full board qualifying entry into the grand prize drawing at the conclusion of the conference.

To promote networking and socialization, event registration included a complimentary Monday evening reception with hors d’oeuvres and drinks, along with a variety of themed gift basket raffle drawings. Attendees could also ‘invest’ in their professional brand by visiting the headshot photography lounge available throughout the day on Tuesday.

If you attended, we hope you found the conference experience to offer a high return on investment of your time and treasure. If you weren’t able to join us this time, we hope to see you at a future conference!

Note the next Midwest District 3 Conference will be hosted by the Central Iowa Chapter August 2-4, 2020 outside Des Moines, Iowa.
Volunteer Opportunities

Want to get involved with IIA Ak-Sar-Ben Chapter? Now is your chance! We are looking for a Day-Of Chair. See below for the Chapter volunteers role.

Day-Of Chair and Committee Members: The Day-Of Committee is to be the point of contact for the Meeting and Seminar venue(s) and the "go-to" person the day of Meetings for the President, running the event livestreaming technology to the Lincoln satellite location.

Programs Committee Members: Provide an engaging educational program on subjects related to Internal Auditing with the purpose of improving the auditing competence and effectiveness of Chapter Members. The primary focus is on arranging speakers and the venue for monthly lunch Meetings.

Membership Chair and Committee: Recruit new, and engage/retain existing Chapter Members by understanding their professional development interests. Share collected information with relevant Board, Officers and Committees in a timely and actionable manner.

Interested? Reach out to Ron, our Chapter President.
News and Information

Please, Sir, I Want Some More

Mike Jacka, CIA, CPA, CPCU, CLU, worked in internal audit for nearly 30 years at Farmers Insurance Group. He is currently co-founder and chief creative pilot for Flying Pig Audit, Consulting, and Training Services (FPACTS).

Below is an excerpt from this blog. To read the entire blog, please go to this link.

A group named Farnham Street has a podcast called “The Knowledge Project.” Check them and their podcast out; it will be worth your time.

In the second part of a recent episode titled “Winning at the Great Game,” Adam Robinson — author, educator, entrepreneur, and hedge fund advisor — made these comments related to critical thinking:

Human beings have a limited processing ability ... We can’t maintain a whole lot of information in our head at any one point. Because of that limited processing ability we have a hard time with too much information. So we like to think that the more information we get the “better informed” we are, and will make better decisions. But that’s not true. A seminal study was done by a psychologist named Paul Slovic back in 1974. Paul Slovic gets eight horse handicappers into a room and he says, “I want to see how good you guys are.” He says, “We’re going to spend today handicapping horse races.” Which is to say, predicting the winner of a horse race. And these had been races that had been run over the last few decades that Slovic had gotten the stats on. And he deleted the names of all the horses. Because if you knew the name of the horse it would give you an edge. So all you saw was numbers. That’s all you saw. So he said, “We’re going to handicap 40 horse races, and we’re going to do so in four rounds, 10 races each. And in the first round I’m going to give each of you horse bettors, handicappers, any five pieces of information you want.”

So you might want the weight of the jockey but that guy next to you, the other handicapper, he doesn’t really care about the weight of the jockey. He wants some other variables. So each of you, whatever five pieces you wanted and each of the horse handicappers wanted, they got. And at the end of the first round with five pieces of information, they were 17% accurate (and 19% confident). Which is pretty good. [T]here were 10 horses in every race. So we would expect 10% accuracy just blind guessing. Just pick one in 10, you got a 10% chance of getting the horse right. So if you’re betting 19% you’ve almost doubled your results. That’s pretty good. So almost identical confidence and accuracy with five pieces of information. Round two, they were given 10 pieces of information, then 20, and in round four they had 40 pieces of information. And there were 10 races. So this was statistically valid results. Their accuracy was still only 17% with 40 pieces of information, but their confidence almost doubled to 31%. It went from 19% to 31%. So they are now almost twice as confident as they ought to be. ... All the new information did was make them more confident in a decision they already made.”

First, it feels like this explains my notoriously lousy results at the track. I can’t say exactly why, but I’m sure this somehow speaks to my ineptitude.

But, more to the point, this little snippet has a couple of takeaways for internal auditors.

Takeaway No. 1: We take a perverse pleasure in testing things to death. And the information age seems to have been specifically designed to give us a direct hit of that high we crave. Now we can literally test 100% of the data. Ah, what assurance, what perfection, what glory.
A Successful Wave Takes Goal-setting and Persistence

Laura Soileau, CIA, CRMA, CPA, discusses the daily challenges facing today's internal auditors. She is a director in Postlethwaite & Netterville's Consulting Department in Baton Rouge, La.

Below is an excerpt from her blog. To read the blog in its entirety, use this link.

As you have probably gathered from my previous posts, my family is very into sports, essentially following all the major U.S. sports from season to season. With that in mind, my family made our way to several Major League Baseball games this year when we found ourselves in the area of various local teams for conferences or work.

Earlier this summer, we were at a game in which the home team was not doing well. They were really struggling, and as sometimes happens, the few fans who were still left in the stadium toward the end of the game found things other than the game to entertain themselves.

One group of fans was very determined to get the "wave" started in the stadium. For those who aren't familiar with the wave, it involves fans in a stadium who stand up briefly, raise their arms, yell, and sit back down. The goal is to move the action continuously around the stadium.

Obviously, with the limited number of fans still present at this point in the game, getting the wave started proved to be a challenge. However, this group of fans was undeterred and persisted in trying to get the wave started even though their first 10-plus attempts were not successful. Finally, at some point between their 10th and 20th attempts, they got the wave to make its way around the stadium — no small feat with the limited number of spectators who were still there at the time.

Understandably, there was a lot of excitement when the wave was finally successful. Again, the game wasn't much to see, so this was one of the limited things that was keeping people at the game. As I watched all this take place — and participated when the wave came to my section — I reflected on both their persistence in getting the wave to take off and their enthusiasm when it finally succeeded.

As I observed the wave, it occurred to me that if we were to apply this same level of persistence to our internal audit careers, we could accomplish much more than we would otherwise be able to achieve. On the flip side, if we quit after our first or second unsuccessful attempt, we will never reach our goals.

While I've previously blogged about goal-setting, it is such an important topic in positioning ourselves for career success that it is worth revisiting. Particularly with the end of the calendar year quickly approaching, it is a good time to look back at the things that we had hoped to accomplish this year (passing the Certified Internal Auditor (CIA) or another certification exam, mastering a new technical topic, obtaining a promotion, etc.) and evaluate if we are on track to achieve those items.
Discounted CIA Study Materials for Members

As a member of The IIA Ak-Sar-Ben Chapter, you are eligible to receive a 20% discount on some CIA Review System materials sold by Gleim. You are also eligible to receive a 20% discount on any online CPE offered by Gleim.

The Gleim CPE courses are delivered via the Internet, so Chapter members can study when and where it is convenient for them. With the trend towards conserving resources, Gleim knows that many training budgets have been reduced. Eliminating travel costs associated with CPE is one of the areas where a Gleim CPE course can be of benefit.

If you wish to take advantage of these discounted courses or if you have questions regarding the discounted study materials, email Ryan Bergh with Gleim (rpbergh@gleim.com) or call him at 800.874.5346 ext. 438.

IIA CIA Learning System Study Materials

Earning your CIA designation could boost your knowledge and career. Be prepared for the CIA exam with the IIA’s CIA Study Materials!

The study materials encompass all methods for studying so that you can find what will work for you.

Methods include: reading materials, online study, instructor guidance, computer-based software, and audio CDs

See more information regarding the study material by clicking here.

IIA Bookstore Promotions

IIA Members log in and receive up to 20% off selected products.
Did you know that 3 hours’ IIA CPE Credit can be earned for completing the CPE Quiz for each IA magazine? The online quiz is free, and successful quiz completion of all six magazine issues in a calendar-year reporting period can earn an IIA-certified individual 18 CPE Credits!
Career Opportunities

If you see a posting that you are interested in, click on the position title to view the full posting.

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If you have an open position that you would like to see here, email [Alyssa Peterson](mailto:Alyssa.Peterson) with the details.
# Chapter Leadership

## 2019-2020 Officers, Governors, Committees

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