President’s Message

Chapter Members –

I hope you are all having a fantastic summer and taking time off (if needed) for rest and relaxation. I have the following updates for this month.

Planning in Process
The NCEB Board is taking the June through August period to plan the events and activities for the chapter year. If you have any ideas for guest speakers or networking events or suggestions on how we could best support membership needs for the chapter year, please let me know. We are always looking for volunteers to help with various activities. If you are interested in learning about volunteer opportunities that are available, please reach out to me. We look forward to you attending our first chapter event in September.

News from IIA Headquarters
Please see the information below for updates from IIA Headquarters:

- **New Member Savings** - Receive 20% off as a new member using the applicable code. Limited time only. Join today!
- The IIA has released its 2020 Annual Report.
- The IIA has released Takeaways in Key Sectors from the 2021 Pulse of Internal Audit Survey.
- The IIA has released New Global Technology Audit Guide on Auditing Identity and Access

Michelle Dizon
Chapter President

Programs & Seminars

Greetings All,

I hope you had some well-deserved time off and continue to stay healthy and safe. Our next program event for the 2021-2022 chapter year will be 2-hours virtual training on September 9 (2:00pm to 4:00pm PDT) presented by two professional speakers from the IIA Speakers database. Ms. Jami Shine will present “Shades of Ethics – Setting the Thermostat” and Mr. Jay Wagner’s presentation is titled “Auditing for an Ethical Culture that is Resistant to Fraud and Misconduct.” This event will qualify for 2-CPE credits in the NASBA behavioral ethics field of study. Registration invites for the September 9th event will be sent out soon.

Phil Caoile
VP of Programs

Ferdinand Erhard
VP of Seminars

Academic Relations

We are planning for upcoming virtual student events for Bay Area colleges. Students welcome and appreciate the opportunity to engage with professionals. Your participation at these events is a great way to promote the profession of internal audit to the next generation of auditors. Please contact us if you can attend any of the following online events:

Friday, September 17 Meet the Firms CSU East Bay (time to be determined).

Monday, September 20 Meet the Firms SFSU Time: 5pm - 8pm.
We’re hoping to get 2-3 volunteers to participate at each event. Please contact us if you would like to participate.

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Academic Relations Chair

**Member Spotlight**

The NCEB Chapter Board extends its congratulations to the following individuals who have celebrated an anniversary *this July* as a member of the Institute of Internal Auditors. Thank you for your valuable contribution to the progress, development, and growth of the internal audit profession.

- Harold H. Jeffrey (*51 years, Honorary Member*)
- Paul T. Schafer (*completing 28 years*)
- Adel N. Flores (*completing 18 years*)
- P.J. Vaughn (*completing 17 years*)
- Baljit Gill (*completing 14 years*)
- Muhammad Farooq (*completing 11 years*)
- Frank Hemeng (*completing 6 years*)
- Chizuko Smith (*completing 6 years*)
- Cintia Miscavage (*completing 4 years*)
- Robert Boten (*completing 3 years*)
- Juan Maciel (*completing 2 years*)
- Justin Tang (*completing 2 years*)
- Pamela McCoy (*completing 1 year*)

Maya Shrivastava
Membership Officer

For a limited time, The IIA is offering a one-part challenge exam to become a Certified Internal Auditor (CIA). This is a rare opportunity to join an elite group of more than 170,000 CIAs worldwide who have earned this highly respected global certification to enhance their professional growth and upward mobility. Adding the CIA credential to your resume will differentiate you from your peers and demonstrate that you are:

- A credible and trusted internal auditor
- A stronger, more competent professional who is knowledgeable in organizational governance
- Equipped for career-advancing opportunities

For more information about the CIA Challenge Exam and how to apply, please visit the [CIA Challenge Exam](#) page.

**IIA North America Members Only Webinar Series**

Each month, the IIA hosts one to three webinars that are free for IIA members, including those listed in the Specialty Membership section. Please check the [IIA Learnings Webinar](#) site often to see what new offerings are available.

- August 17th: [Modern Audit: How to Create Attention-grabbing Audit Reports That Drive Action](#)
- August 19th: [Young Professionals Webinar - Part 2: Strategies To Be Even More Ready, Relevant, & Responsive](#)
- August 26th: [IIA Member Benefits Webinar: The Start Smart Advantage](#)
- September 8th: (FSAC Webinar) Culture and Conduct Risk: Internal Audit’s Response
- September 9th: [PSAC Webinar: Applying the Three Lines Model in the Public Sector](#)
- September 21st: [Auditing Cybersecurity Operations](#)

Kathryn Kark
Certifications Officer

**Certifications**

**CRMA Application Fee**

The IIA is [waiving the CRMA Application Fee](#) through this calendar year!

**IIA Offering Special CIA Challenge Exam to CPA Holders**
For announcements, articles, employment advertising, other information, or to unsubscribe to the newsletter, please contact the editor, Phillip Poma at: phillip.poma@csaa.com

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