Hello All,

I recently attended a webinar on “Benefits of Diverse Workforce”, and one of benefits identified was inclusion means breaking barriers as well as creating level playing fields. In today’s work environment, it is imperative to be more inclusive.

One of the ways to create level playing fields is to obtain and maintain various professional certifications. To assist this CIA review course is been hosted at various locations. San Jose chapter is hosting CIA review course currently. Refer Certification section below for more details.

Following is the list of upcoming events at our Chapter:
March 8th – GRC Implementation – 2CPE
April 12th – Everyone Communicate Few Connect – 8CPE
May 30th – Personal Branding – 2 CPE

Registration for the March 8th event is open and the event will be held at the Chevron Bishop Ranch location.

Members will also be approving the chapter leaders, so plan to attend and meet the chapter leaders. Let chapter leaders know if you are interested in volunteering or reach out to me directly at info@iia-ncb.com. Current volunteer position at the chapter is for Asst. Treasurer. Reach out to me for more information.

Thanks and see you at the next event.

Mushtari Nagpurwala
Chapter President
Northern California East Bay Chapter

Greetings - Our next seminar is “Everyone Communicates, Few Connect” on Thursday, April 12 (8:30am - 4:30pm, registration/breakfast will be 8 - 8:30am) in Chevron’s office in San Ramon. This is a great opportunity to earn 8 CPE credits! This event will be presented by Don Levonius (Principal Consultant & Master Facilitator) who founded Victory Performance Consulting, and began providing learning solutions for a number of prominent organizations including General Electric, BP Oil, NBC Universal, and The IIA. Ever wonder why others seem to move forward, yet you feel stuck? Or why others get lots of attention but you struggle to get people to consider your ideas? Although everyone communicates, some are just better at identifying with and relating to others. According to leadership guru John C. Maxwell, “The ability to communicate and connect with others is a major determining factor in reaching your potential.” This highly engaging one day seminar, based on the book by the same title, will introduce you to Dr. Maxwell’s proven principles and help you connect with others one-on-one, in small groups, and with large audiences. If you want others to listen to you and consider your ideas, learn to connect!

The registration for this seminar will be sent to you by mid-March and will be posted in the NCEB-IIA website (https://chapters.theiia.org/northern-california-east-bay/Pages/default.aspx).

There was a great attendance at the “Vendor Risk Management” seminar on February 22nd in Armanino LLP’s office in San Ramon and it was great to see a lot of new faces including some attendees from the IIA-Sacramento Chapter. A big Thanks to Armanino LLP and Eric Weis (Armanino LLP – Partner) for allowing NCEB-IIA Chapter to use their facility for this seminar.
If you have any questions, please let me know (AGhafouri@chevron.com).

Ahmad Ghafouri
VP Seminars

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