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The UAE Internal Audit Association presents the



IT Forum

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About The Audit Festival

This festival is the first of its kind anywhere in the world, aiming at raising awareness of the Internal Audit as a profession by stressing on the key role of Internal Auditors in both private and public sectors.

CIA - Arabic Version

The CIA Arabisation Steering Committee (United Arab Emirates, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Lebanon, Sultanate of Oman, Qatar & Sudan) is pleased to announce the launch of the Arabic version of the professional qualification CIA-Certified Internal Auditor.



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08.30 - 09.00	Registration and Networking
09.00 - 09.05	Opening and welcome by a representative of The UAE IAA
09.05 - 09.20	Inauguration and Presentation by H.E. Thani Al Zaffin, Director General, Emaratech <i>Topic: Information Technology as Business Partners</i>
09.20 - 10.30	Session 1 - Panel Discussion <i>Topic: Emerging Technologies, Associated Risks and Expectations from Internal Audit</i>
	<p>The world of Information Technology is continually evolving, advancing and changing at an increasing pace. Internal Auditors should continually reassess the risks their organisations are facing and the role internal audit plays in mitigating them. The discussion will provide perspective and expectations of Chief Information Officers from the Internal Audit Profession.</p> <p>Moderator - Ahmed Al Mulla, Head CIO Club</p> <p>Panelists- Robert Pickton, Chief Information Officer, Information and Technology Services, Abu Dhabi Health Services Authority (SEHA) Raja Al Mazrouei, Head of IT, Dubai International Financial Centre Authority Saji P. Oommen, General Manager (Group IT), Al Batha Group Wael Abdel-Qader, Chief Information Officer, Group Information Technology, Al Rostamani Group Mohammed Thameem Rizvon, Group IT Manager, Kamal Osman Jamjoom Group LLC</p>
10.30 - 10.45	Break
10.45 - 11.00	Quiz
11.00 - 11.30	Session 2 - Importance of IT Governance and the Role of The Board in providing effective oversight of IT
	<p>A presentation on IT Governance which explores the meaning of IT governance, its relationship to enterprise governance and the action boards and senior management should take to effect IT governance.</p> <p>Presentation by - Nick Nadal, Head Hawkamah Institute for Corporate Governance</p>
11.30 - 12.40	Session 3 - Panel Discussion <i>Topic: Information Security</i>
	<p>In order to effectively compete in a fast-paced, highly complex global economy, organisations are employing new, more powerful Information Technologies at an unprecedented rate and in most instances this increases the information security risk. This panel discussion will provide insights from leading information security solution providers on topics such as infrastructure and network security, data leakage, cyber threat intelligence, social media and associated risks.</p> <p>Moderator - Fadi Mutlak, ME Information Security and Privacy Leader, Deloitte</p> <p>Panelists- Samer Omar, Managing Director Middle East, Qualys Bulent Teksoz, Chief Security Strategist for Emerging Regions, Symantec Iyad Mourtada, General Manager, Open Thinking Academy</p>
12.40 - 13.00	Prayer and Coffee Break
13.00 - 14.00	Session 4 - Panel Discussion <i>Topic: Evolution of technology auditing as a response to the changing IT environment</i>
	<p>Fast-paced advancing Information Technology environment necessitates today's Internal Auditors to continuously learn and assess emerging risks. This session would involve Chief Internal Auditors of leading organisations to discuss how Internal Audit can respond to the challenges enforced by evolving Information Technology.</p> <p>Moderator - Avinash Totade, Vice President ISACA UAE Chapter, Senior Manager - Internal Audit, Dubai Aluminium Company</p> <p>Panelists- Baljeet Nagi, Principal Sales Consultant, Oracle Corp (EMEA) Khurram Masood, Head of IT Audit, Abu Dhabi Health Services Authority (SEHA) Mohammad Akbar, Director - IS Audit, Emirates Integrated Telecommunications Company (du) Gina Elizabeth Eipe, Head of Internal Audit - IT Services, Etihad Airways</p>
14.00	Closing Note and Lunch



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