

the Greater Kansas City Chapter

ANSI Accreditation Awarded to CISA and CISM Certifications

Rolling Meadows, IL, USA (22 September 2005)—The American National Standards Institute (ANSI) has awarded accreditation under ISO/IEC 17024 to the Certified Information Systems Auditor (CISA) and Certified Information Security Manager (CISM) certification programs offered by the Information Systems Audit and Control Association (ISACA).

Accreditation by ANSI signifies that ISACA's procedures meet ANSI's essential requirements for openness, balance, consensus and due process. To maintain ANSI accreditation, certification bodies such as ISACA are required to consistently adhere to a set of requirements or procedures related to quality, openness and due process.

"Achieving ANSI accreditation is a major undertaking and maintaining it requires annual reports and onsite assessment," said Roy A. Swift, Ph.D., program director, ANSI. "Professionals holding or planning to achieve CISA and CISM can be sure these certifications meet ANSI's requirements for openness, balance, consensus and other due process safeguards. ISACA can be very proud of this accomplishment."

About ANSI

The American National Standards Institute (ANSI) is a private, nonprofit organization that administers and coordinates the US voluntary standardization and conformity assessment system. Its mission is to enhance both the global competitiveness of US business and the US quality of life by promoting and facilitating voluntary consensus standards and conformity assessment systems, and safeguarding their integrity.

Final CISA and CISM 2005 Exams Registration Reminder!

2005 CISA and CISM Exam Dates:

Final registration deadline: **30 September 2005**

Exams given worldwide on: 10 December 2005

www.isaca.org/examreg

Online registration (save \$): Member \$300.00 Nonmember \$420.00

Fax or mail registration: Member \$335.00 Nonmember \$455.00

As a reminder, the 10 December 2005 CISA exam will be the last exam covering the current CISA job practice areas. CISA exams offered in 2006 will cover new CISA job practice areas as defined in a recent job practice analysis.

For more information contact Melissa Ryan, (816) 802-7436, mdryan@deloitte.com.



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Monthly Meeting

Date: Thursday, October 13th

Time: 11:30 Registration
12:00 Lunch
1 - 3:00 Presentation

Place: Hereford House
2 East 20th Street
K.C., MO
(20th and Main)

Price: Members – \$35
Guests - \$40
Students - \$10

CPE: 2 Credits

Topic: Leveraging identity management solutions to improve control environments and auditing techniques

Speaker: Allen Kerwin
Director
Deloitte & Touche LLP

Please register online by noon on Monday, October 10th. We now accept credit cards through Paypal: www.isaca-kc.org

Job Board

US Central Credit Union
Information Security Metrics Analyst

UMB
Senior IT Auditor

CHAN Healthcare Auditors
IT Audit Manager

Visit our website for further details of each posting:

<http://www.isaca-kc.org/job.htm>

NOTE: All job postings will be removed from the website after 90 days. For more information please contact Julie Govaker at 816.468-2143 or govakerj@umkc.edu



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Introducing a New Image!

Concurrent with the change in ISACA's identity, the Kansas City Chapter is pleased to unveil a new image as well. The new logo mirrors the international association's logo, including the tagline that spells out the association's and chapter's purpose and intended audience: Serving IT Governance Professionals. The Kansas City Chapter is dedicated to meeting the objective stated in the tagline, and we invited all IT governance professionals to join with us in addressing our mutual challenges and opportunities. The new logo goes into effect January, 1st 2006.

The new image consists of two elements:

- Use of the acronym only, not the full name of the association
- A new tagline: Serving IT Governance Professionals



Feed Back Forum

If you have suggestions regarding presentation topics, speakers or locations, we need you! Please submit any and all ideas to the chapter Program Chair:

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If you have any suggestions regarding newsletter content or formatting, please submit comments to the chapter Newsletter Editor:

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Regional Meetings

Sarbanes-Oxley Symposium
27-28 October 2005
Chicago, IL

Featured are two separate programs within the symposium designed 1) for companies who have yet to undergo Sarbanes-Oxley compliance and also 2) for those who have experienced this review and are gearing up for year two.

The symposium is beneficial for both IT and financial professionals.

Additional information can be found at www.isaca.org