

the Greater Kansas City Chapter

CISA REVIEW COURSE - Begins November 9

The Greater Kansas City ISACA Chapter is excited to announce that we have finalized plans to team with Centriq-Foss Training to offer a CISA Review Course for this December's exam. This teaming allows us to offer a more in-depth review of the exam topics, as past participants have requested. The course will be led by a trained instructor who is also a certified CISA. By teaming with Centriq-Foss, we are also able to offer ISACA members a discounted rate from those normally charged for these training sessions. The \$800 registration fee includes 9 review sessions, practice quizzes and a mock exam, as well as all textbook and other course materials.

CISA Review Course Schedule:

November 9 (Wed) - 2 hour evening session: Opening Materials/Intro and IS Audit Process (Ch 1)

November 12 (Sat) - 3-4 hour morning session: Technical Infrastructure and Operational Practices (Ch 3)

November 14 (Mon) - 2 hour evening session: Management, Planning, and Organization of IS (Ch 2)

November 16 (Wed) - 2 hour evening session: Business Continuity Planning / Disaster Recovery (Ch 5)

November 19 (Sat) - 3-4 hour morning session: Protection of IS Assets (Ch 4)

November 21 (Mon) - 2 hour evening session: Business Application System Development, Acquisition, Implementation, and Maintenance (Ch6)

November 23 (Wed) - 2 hour evening session: Business Process Evaluation & Risk Management (Ch 7)

November 26 (Sat) – No Class

November 28 (Mon) - 2 hour evening session: Course Wrap-up - Remaining Chapter Info / Questions

November 30 (Wed) - Wrap-up / Mock Exam

December 10 (Sat) – CISA Exam

If you have any questions, please contact Melissa Ryan (mdryan@deloitte.com).

FEEDBACK 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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Monthly Meeting

Date: Thursday, November 10th

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

Place: Bo Lings
Country Club Plaza
4800 Main Street
Kansas City Board of Trade Building

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

CPE: 2 Credits

Topic: Life After Sarbanes-Oxley and other
Compliance Efforts for IT Risk
Professionals

Speaker: Tom Ellis
Director for Methodology and Quality
Assurance
Grant Thornton

Please register online by noon on Monday, November 7th. We now accept credit cards through Paypal: www.isaca-kc.org

Job Board

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*Senior Consultant-Technology
Risk/Internal Audit*

Commerce Bancshares, Inc.
Audit Analyst Senior

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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Register Now! COBIT User Convention - Orlando, Florida - 1-2 December 2005

Secure your place now for our last COBIT User Convention of the year! Our COBIT User Conventions fill up fast. Register online today at www.isaca.org/cobituserconvention for the 1-2 December event in Orlando, Florida, USA.

This two-day event, which was attended by hundreds of IT professionals in Chicago, Illinois, USA; Cape Town, South Africa; and Brussels, Belgium will feature case studies and facilitated discussion groups that will address how COBIT is employed from governance, security and assurance perspectives.

The convention will provide a unique opportunity for COBIT users to share their practical experiences, learn from successful implementations of others, explore solutions to problems and issues they have encountered, provide ideas to influence the improvement and expansion of COBIT products, and learn about new COBIT initiatives and plans. The convention will include interactive brainstorming workshops resulting in action items for future COBIT development plans.

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Venue:

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Please place your room reservations directly with the hotel.

You can find additional information and registration details for the Orlando event on the ISACA/ITGI web site at www.isaca.org/cobituserconvention.

Attractive discounts are available to ISACA members, as well as discounts for multiple registrations. Bring a colleague and they save 50%!