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We are excited to announce our annual social event will be a tailgate and football game at UTC! Come out and network with other chapter members, bring your family, and cheer as UTC takes on ETSU. A signup email for event will be sent out next week.

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From Compliance to Strategic Impact: How AI is Transforming Internal Audit

10/14/2025, 1:00 pm-2:00 pm ET

Internal audit is at a critical juncture, with the rapid advancement of AI presenting both massive disruption and unprecedented opportunity. This isn't just about adopting new software; it's a fundamental shift in how auditors work, think, and add value. In this webinar, we'll go beyond the buzzwords and explore how leading internal audit functions are truly leveraging AI to achieve tangible outcomes and elevate their role from compliance to strategic advisor. Join Workiva, KPMG, and The IIA to discuss a bold vision for how the internal audit profession will evolve in an AI-embedded world. We'll provide practical, real-world advice on how to empower your team to thrive in this new landscape, build trust with leadership, and envision what the next decade of internal audit could look like.

Registration: \$59, free for IIA members.

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Risk in Focus 2026 - Global Risk Trends

10/22/2025, 12:00 pm-1:00 pm ET

Learn about the key findings from the new Global Risk in Focus report, which tracks risk levels across regions and industries around the world. Based on a worldwide survey and regional focus groups, this report provides essential information for strategic audit activities. The featured topic for this year is political uncertainty.

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The Audit Committee Briefing: Risk in Focus 2026

11/13/2025, 12:00 pm-1:00 pm ET

Each year, the IIA's Risk in Focus research reveals the top risks facing organizations across sectors and geographies. As the stewards of oversight, audit committees play a critical role in understanding how internal audit prioritizes these risks and where gaps may exist. This webcast offers key takeaways from Risk in Focus 2026 report to help audit committee

members prepare for the challenges of 2026. Internal audit leaders have provided clear signals on the risks they spend the most time on, and where they need greater support or realignment.

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Join cybersecurity and internal audit professionals at The IIA's 2025 Cybersecurity Virtual Conference. This one-day virtual training event is built for internal auditors, cybersecurity, fraud, and risk professionals who protect, assess, and respond to cyber risk every day.

Whether you assess controls, advise leadership, or lead cyber risk strategy, this conference equips you to navigate disruption, reduce vulnerabilities, and align internal audit with cybersecurity priorities.

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Enhanced ERM



Enhanced Enterprise Risk Management & Strategic Decision Making

Enterprise risk management has come a long way, yet many organizations still struggle to turn risk intelligence into strategic advantage. This report distills insights from a global survey of 567 professionals, conducted by Baker Tilly and The IIA's Internal Audit Foundation from January 7th to February 7th, 2025. The study traces how

ERM programs are maturing, where technology and resource gaps persist, and how leading teams embed ERM into strategic decision making while safeguarding internal audit independence. Packed with fresh benchmarking data and practical guidance, the report helps you assess your own program's maturity and chart a clear path forward.

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