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Letter From the President

Happy Spring! May is a month of many transitional activities – graduations, weddings, and the start of summer vacation. I hope you make time for continuing education and to nurture your professional contacts by participating in your ISACA chapter.

Our May meeting is in Addison at the Crowne Plaza, where we welcome back Mike Saylor who will tell us about how Cyber Attacks are changing. Also, plan to join us for our Pre and Post meetings, where we will talk about security within a project lifecycle and auditing Microsoft Exchange.

The Nominating Committee has drawn up a Slate of Officers which will be presented to the chapter at the May meeting. We are still – always! – looking for people to serve on our committees: Programs, Hospitality, Newsletter, and Academic Relations. Let us know if you are interested in one of these or assisting the chapter in any other way.

The website update project is well underway. If you have any suggestions, please let us know, as it will continue to be our main source of communication.

We'll see you at the monthly meeting!

Thanks and Take Care



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May 12, 2011 - Luncheon Meeting Agenda

You have until noon on Wednesday, May 11th to [register](#) for this meeting. In the event you are unable to attend after you've registered, please contact reservations@isacantx.org for assistance with canceling your reservation. This will help us keep our event registration fees reasonably priced.

Pre-Luncheon Session - 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

Creating End-to-End Traceability

Bill Weber, Security Architect, Hewlett-Packard Enterprise Services

A successful Information Security program needs to focus on the practical implementation, business requirements and governance required to execute a comprehensive security architecture. This presentation focuses on the integration of all three topics into a Security Development Lifecycle (SDL). The intent is to show end-to-end traceability from policy and business requirement, through compliance, design, implementation and auditing. After the presentation the attendee will better understand how to incorporate disparate elements of Information Security into a cohesive end-to-end strategy.

Attendees will learn:

- The role of Governance, Risk Management and Compliance
- What is a Security Development Lifecycle (SDL)
- How elements of an Information Security program combine into an SDL
- How to improve compliance traceability through using an SDL

Luncheon Session - 12:20 PM - 1:20 PM

The Evolution of Cyber Attacks

Mike Saylor, Vice President, FBI Infragard

Cyber criminals have evolved from recreational social hobbyists to today's criminal, political, and terrorist activists. Beginning mostly with exploiting telecommunications systems, today's hackers are targeting critical infrastructure, financial institutions, intellectual property, personal identities, and state secrets.

Attendees will learn:

- A brief history and timeline of hacking and cyber crime, up through current day
- The evolution of cyber attacks
- The change in cyber attack approaches being used
- How effective and efficient these cyber attacks have become

Lunch registration begins at 11:15 AM. Lunch is served at 11:45 AM.

Post Luncheon Session - 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Key Considerations When Auditing Microsoft Exchange

Brian Thomas, Partner, Weaver LLP, and **Shohn Trojacek**, Consultant, PivotPoint Solutions

The objective of this session is to discuss some of the key considerations when auditing Microsoft Exchange.

Distinctions will be made for both internally and externally hosted systems. Discussion will focus on some of the common issues identified in audits of MS Exchange and practical solutions to recommend to your Exchange Administrator.

Attendees will learn:

- An overview of Microsoft Exchange
- Key risk areas to consider with email systems and Microsoft Exchange
- Considerations for internal vs. external hosting
- Commonly identified issues with Microsoft Exchange
- Practical recommendations to address common issues

For complete details, including CPE information, and to register click the buttons below.



Copies of the presentations for this meeting will be made available at www.isacantx.org/index.cfm/Presentations, before the meeting if possible.



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Richard Tuck, CES, CPC, CIPC

We are sad to announce that a dear friend and regular presenter at chapter meetings, Richard Tuck, passed away recently.



Richard and Michelle Maltzahn at our Chapter Meeting, June 2010

Michelle Maltzahn, Recruiting Director, Lander International provided the following precis of Richard's life and accomplishments:

Richard Tuck, a dedicated member of the audit community for over 35 years passed away at his home in El Cerrito, California, on April 12th.

He was a featured speaker at over 250 conferences and professional association meetings in the United States and Canada. He enjoyed speaking before groups, and he had the unusual ability to actively engage his audience no matter what the topic. He especially enjoyed his association with the North Texas Chapter of ISACA. He got an extra kick out of giving presentations to them. It didn't hurt that Dallas is home to Dave and Busters - a visit was in order when the educational part of the day was over.

When diagnosed with gall bladder cancer in February of last year, he knew that his traveling and speaking days were numbered. When the invitation arrived to speak at the June chapter meeting of the North Texas ISACA, he jumped at the opportunity. He and Michelle Maltzahn, Lander International Recruiter for Texas, traveled to Dallas, and gave their presentations. It was the last formal presentation Richard would ever give, and he was thrilled to be with friends and new IT Auditors in this ISACA chapter.

When originally diagnosed, the doctors predicted that he would not live to see his next birthday (November), but he made it long beyond that. He had a good (he would say "great") and productive final year - he survived (thrived even) long after the doctors had told him he would no longer be alive.

Richard began his business career after first earning his Bachelor's and Master's degrees in Victorian literature and teaching at the high school and college levels. Richard and his partner Tim Sauer co-founded Lander International in 1979 recruiting EDP Auditors (some of you will remember that moniker). Since that time Richard helped thousands of audit professionals meet their career goals. He authored over 100 articles in magazines, trade journals including the ISACA Journal, and newspapers. He held three certifications related to the human resource field and served as president of six different professional associations, including ISACA.

Richard followed his passions: audit, the circus, magic, and his beloved Playland-Not-at-the-Beach, family fun museum to name but a few. He worked tirelessly with Circus Chimera for ten years, and he shared this very special one-ring circus experience with many of the ISACA board members on one of his visits to Dallas.

Because of his early diagnosis and his strong desire to achieve all that he could, Richard prepared those around him for the future without him. He took great pride in knowing two of his great accomplishments will continue on: Lander International and Playland-Not-at-the-Beach. Recruiters and researchers were appointed to carry on. Even in these difficult, recessionary times, the Lander staff has been very stable - the average recruiter's tenure is nearly 8 years. And Tim Sauer, the new CEO has been with the company from the beginning, so the transition has been smooth.

True to his active and fun loving nature Richard wanted no immediate memorial service. There will be a gathering in July at Playland to celebrate his life, with people sharing stories of the best of times with Richard, music, food, fun and performances by some of his friends and the people who frequently perform at Playland.

Richard touched many lives and made positive contributions to all who knew him. He made his mark in a wide variety of fields: the audit community, amusement park and roller coaster enthusiasts, circus folk, D56 collectors, magicians, and the staffing communities among others.

Richard was a man who knew how to have fun, and nothing was more fun to him than seeing that others were having fun too. It was his gift to bring a sense of fun to whatever he did, whether it was riding a roller coaster, sharing his thoughts on the audit profession, or discussing career goals with IT Auditors. He will be missed.

For years, Richard was our June speaker, bringing with him excitement and a global outlook about our IT Auditing profession. I always left energized and proud to be a part of this great group. Richard will be missed.



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Nominations Now Open for 2011-2012 ISACA North Texas Chapter Board Positions

The ISACA North Texas Chapter Board and Nominating Committee are seeking volunteers interested in serving in a leadership role or other position for the chapter during the 2011-2012 timeframe to help continue the outstanding chapter and member programs. The tenure of the current Board officers and appointed positions will end on June 30, 2011 so a new slate of Board positions will be presented to the Chapter members on May 12, 2011 and the elections will occur at the Annual Meeting on June 9, 2011. Current nominations for the elected positions are:

Position	Candidate	Company
President	Marvin Reader	RealPage
Secretary	Shammy Rana	Electronic Arts
Treasurer	Chris Jordan	Union Drilling, Inc
VP Programs	Rick Nietubicz	Research Now
VP Education	Greg Streder	JCPenney
VP Facilities	Clifford Gomes	
VP Communications	Doug Gorrie	INX, Inc.
VP Membership	Laurie Flandrau	AmeriCredit
VP Certification	Iddah Wangondu	Alliance Data

Each year, in compliance with our Chapter's by-laws, open nominations are held to present a slate of Board Officers and Appointed Positions for the upcoming year. A nominee must be a Chapter member in good standing and have the skills, time and resources necessary to perform the duties of their nominated position. As a reference, the Board members are currently comprised of 9 elected positions and approximately 22 appointed and/or committee positions that collectively make it all happen for the benefits of the members.

Please review [details on each position](#). The current Board members are available to assist interested parties with information about the positions and their contact information is available from the Chapter's website at [Board of Directors](#).

If you are interested in serving, wish to nominate someone, or have any questions about serving, contact any Board Member or reply directly to president@isacantx.org.

Nominations will close at the May 12, 2011 meeting, so please respond now!

The Chapter Nominations Committee Members include the following Past Presidents:

- Rick Link (Chair)

- Cheryl McKay-Dorrell
- Danny Daniels
 - Sue Pagel

See you at the next Chapter meeting!



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Dallas & Fort Worth ACFE Chapter 21st Annual Fraud Seminar - May 16, 2011

Where: Cityplace, 2711 Haskell Ave., Dallas, Texas 75202

When: 7:30 AM - Registration / Continental Breakfast, 8:00 AM - 4:45 PM Seminar, 4:45 PM - 6:00 PM Social Networking Reception

Featuring:

Detecting money laundering schemes: it's happening right under your nose

Robert Mazur

Robert Mazur served for 27 years as a federal special agent for the IRS, the Customs Service, and the Drug Enforcement Administration. He is now the president of Chase and Associates, an agency that advises law firms and public companies on banking protocols and risk assessment. During his career as a federal agent, Mr. Mazur specialized as a long-term undercover agent in money laundering and drug investigations. He is best known for his 2-year undercover role as a money launderer in an investigation that resulted in the prosecutions of the Bank of Credit & Commerce International (BCCI), senior officers of BCCI, and high-ranking members of Colombian drug cartels. Mr. Mazur routinely designs and presents curriculum to federal, state and local law enforcement officers throughout the U.S. and Caribbean. His lectures address Investigating Drug & Money Laundering Organizations, Managing Informants, Managing Undercover Operations, Financial Investigative Techniques, and Money Laundering in the Black Market Peso Exchange.

Human Behavior - A Key Investigative Tool

Phil Houston, Chief Executive Officer, Qverity

Phil Houston is a nationally recognized authority on deception detection, critical interviewing, and elicitation. His 25-year career with the Central Intelligence Agency was highlighted by his service as a senior member of the Office of Security. He is credited with developing a detection of deception methodology currently employed throughout the U.S. intelligence and federal law enforcement communities. The scope of Phil's work has covered criminal activity, personnel security, and key national security matters, including counter-intelligence and counter-terrorism. The fact that many of his interviews were conducted in foreign countries, coupled with six years of residence overseas, has given him unique insight and extensive experience in dealing with foreign cultures, particularly in the Far East.

Phil introduced the detection of deception methodology to the corporate world with the co-founding of Business Intelligence Advisors, where he served as Executive Vice President and worked with the company's largest clients in the U.S. and abroad. The story of his success in creating a commercial application and market for the detection of deception methodology is featured in the recently published book, *Broker, Trader, Lawyer, Spy* by Politico reporter Eamon Javers. Phil holds a B.A. in Political Science from East Carolina University in Greenville, N.C.

Major Embezzlements (Lunchtime speaker)

Toby Bishop, Director of the Deloitte Forensic Center

Toby is co-author, with Frank Hydoski, of the book *Corporate Resiliency: Managing the Growing Risk of Fraud and Corruption* (Wiley, 2009) and a related article in *Harvard Business Review* (October 2009).

Toby is also a contributing author and a member of the board of editors of *Business Crimes Bulletin*, a member of the Institute of Internal Auditors' (IIA) Board of Research and Education Advisors, a board member for the Institute for Fraud Prevention, has presented to the PCAOB Standing Advisory Group, and serves on a task force for the Center for Audit Quality's Anti-Fraud Working Group.

Panel Discussion

Charlie Blau, Moderator. **Robert Mazur, Phil Houston and Toby Bishop**, Panelists

Mr. Blau is Board Certified in Criminal Law by the Texas Board of Legal Specialization. He has an international client base with a practice focus on the representation of entities and individuals accused of white collar crimes. He practices principally in Federal Court. Mr. Blau has provided corporate representation in criminal government contract matters, major health care fraud cases, financial fraud suits, etc.

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Want To Get Published? We'd Like to Hear From You

In today's hectic and challenging business environment, where we are faced with so many different sources of information, e.g., websites, blogs, tweets, listservs, social networks, RSS feeds, etc, competing for our attention, it is increasingly challenging to create a meaningful and relevant newsletter that members have the time and inclination to read. Despite this, the feedback from the annual chapter survey tells us that the newsletter is generally still well received and wanted. However, we'd like to try and make it even better and that is where you come in.

When we compare ourselves to other award-winning chapter newsletters, one area where we have room for improvement is sharing the work experiences of our chapter members. With over a thousand members in a broad range of industries of varying sizes, we have a vast source of experience. Some of you work in best practice audit groups, others are in less mature organizations that are still developing. All of you have something you can share with other chapter members.

We'd like to hear from any member that is willing to write a brief article for the newsletter that would be of interest to fellow practitioners, e.g.:

- A description of a productive or cost-saving audit/security technique that your organization uses
- A review of an audit/security tool used by your organization
- A review of a book that you have read recently that has helped you do your job better
- Tips and techniques for auditing/securing a particular risk area
- A summary of an emerging technology being used in your organization and how you are controlling it

These are just a few ideas and not meant to be all inclusive.

In addition, if you have any ideas for other content you'd like to see, let us know.

If you'd like to write an article or have ideas for the newsletter please send them to newsletter@isacantx.org.



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Current Job Postings

The word is getting out - that firms and recruiters can post their available audit and security-based openings on our JOBS Board, without charge. Help bring jobs and job seekers together by promoting job postings. Your fellow ISACA members will appreciate it.

As of May 3, 2011, we have nine opportunities posted on the jobs board, as summarized below. See [our website](#) regularly for any updates and for complete details. Please note that positions may have been filled or new positions added prior to the newsletter publication, so always check the jobs board directly for the most current status.

Company: Citigroup
Position: Audit Manager
Location: Irving, TX, USA
Salary: Based on experience
Contact: Rich Davies, 817-313-3597, richard.davies@citi.com, <https://citi.taleo.net/careersection/2/jobdetail.ftl?lang=en&job=717932>

Company: Coalfire Systems
Position: Managing Director
Location: Dallas, TX, USA
Salary: Based on experience
Contact: Chuck Glovick, 206-352-6028, cglovick@coalfiresystems.com, <http://www.coalfiresystems.com/careers.html>

Company: GameStop
Position: Security Engineer
Location: Grapevine, TX, USA
Salary: Based on experience
Contact: Tiffanie Chiles-Mitchell, 817-722-7423, ITRecruiter@Gamestop.com, <http://careers.gamestop.com/CAREERS/Jobs/NonStores.aspx?dept=Corp>

Company: JPS Health Network
Position: Information Security Analyst
Location: Fort Worth, TX, USA
Salary: Based on experience
Contact: Pratima Scholl, pschol01@jpshealth.org

Company: JPS Health Network
Position: Sr. Security Analyst
Location: Fort Worth, TX, USA
Salary: Based on experience

Contact: Pratima Scholl, pschol01@jpshealth.org

Company: Molkentine Professional Search
Position: IT Data Analyst (IT Auditor)
Location: Dallas, TX, USA
Salary: Based on experience
Contact: Jon Molkentine, 817-265-2291, Jobs@molkentinesearch.com

Company: RealPage Inc
Position: Sr. IT Auditor
Location: Carrollton, TX, USA
Salary: 70k-80k
Contact: Kerri Carpio, 972-820-3876, kerri.carpio@realpage.com

Company: Sabre Holdings
Position: Contributor IT Audit
Location: Southlake, TX, USA
Contact: Tyler Gordon, 682-605-6705, Tyler.gordon@sabre.com

Company: The Neiman Marcus Group
Position: IT Staff Auditor
Location: Dallas, TX, USA
Contact: Kelly Sessions, 214-761-2688, Kelly_sessions@neimanmarcus.com

Additional details about these jobs and all current job postings are available at: [ISACA North Texas Job Postings](#).

Now, let's get **more** jobs posted. This is a win-win for all concerned employers, recruiters, job candidates and our ISACA chapter.

To post an available position, just complete a [Job Posting Template](#) and e-mail it to jobs@isacantx.org. Each job posting will be displayed on our site for one month, but can be reposted again or removed at any time by request.

All posted job descriptions will also be included in this newsletter each month. Members can also examine the available positions on the ISACANTX.ORG job board at http://www.isacantx.org/index.cfm/Job_Postings.

Don't forget - Postings are FREE!



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Interested in positions outside the DFW area, even world-wide? ISACA International maintains a Career Center that hosts hundreds of available opportunities. Just select Career Center from the left-hand menu options at www.isaca.org.

Special thanks to **Ahmed Jessa** for compiling these details for the newsletter.

ISACA North Texas Linked-In Group

Did you know the North Texas Chapter has a group on Linked-In? It's a great place to post questions and responses to some of those burning security, control and governance questions. After all, we learn from each other and grow from our shared experiences.

To access the group go to <http://www.linkedin.com/groups?mostPopular=&gid=1360787>

Get Linked-In!



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Welcome To Our New and Returning Members

We want to welcome our new and returning members - those that have joined/rejoined ISACA and our North Texas Chapter since the April newsletter. We hope to see each of you at our monthly meetings.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Company</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Company</i>
Adekunle Roy Adeyosoye		Kyle Kucera	
Vince Matthew Bueno		Sudeep Kizhake Kuttikote	INFOSYS
Jennifer L. Burns	CoreLogic, Inc	Caron L. Lawrence	GE Retail Consumer Finance
Prasanna T. Chari (T)		Alice Voong Leang	
Daniel Davis		Stephen Liao	Protiviti
Justus Ihechikara Ekeigwe, CISA (T)	Morgan Stanley	Dylan Lobo, CISA (T)	Venture Soft Tech
Jason Dean Gates	Hunt Transmission Services	Chary Malini M.	
Gigi Graugnard		Christopher A. Martin	
Hailey Grisham (T)		Karen E. Martinez (T)	USMD Inc.
Loretta Jackson	Dell Services	Darrell Porchia	
Karen Holland Joichin, CISA		Siva Surkunalingam	
Anthonia Kadiri, CISA (T)		Peter B. Zielke	Exigo

(T) = Transfer from another ISACA chapter



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Special thanks to **Armanda Moore** for compiling these details for the newsletter.

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April Luncheon Winners

Following each monthly luncheon meeting, we give away four \$50 gift cards to popular merchants in the area, typically Home Depot, Lowe's, Macy's, Nordstrom and/or Best Buy.

April's winners are shown below. The next winner, at our May 2011 meeting, could be you!



April 2011

Door Prize Winners - Jerry Dawson, Stacey Hamaker, Andy, Jami, Rhonda Allen and Katie Lange

To be eligible for the drawing, you must have checked in and paid at the registration table prior to the luncheon and be present at the time of the drawing. Walk-ins who have paid and registered are also included in the drawing. Our luncheon speaker typically draws the names from the basket to ensure objectivity, and the lucky winners are subsequently photographed for posterity.



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Don't Miss the Last Monthly Luncheon Before the Summer Break

The last luncheon meeting of the year is on June 9, 2011 at Cityplace Conference Center. The luncheon topic will be "Hot Topics in Audit"

.Refer to the [Current Events](#) to view details of session topics.



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TakeDownCon Dallas 2011

TakeDownCon is a brand new information security conference series, created by EC-Council. The TakeDownCon series aspire to differ from other of such conferences out there. It is very focused - the theme of this very first event of this series is "Taking Down Security". TakeDownCon Dallas 2011 is a highly technical conference.

Day 1 will feature the "No Holds Barred" general track, and Day 2 will feature 2 parallel tracks aptly named the "Attack Zone" and "Defense Sector". It is targeted towards the security researchers, engineers and technical professionals. Set against a very casual and relaxed setting, and taking away all the luxuries, it is priced very competitively, thus allowing the masses to participate and learn from some of the world's best. Over 500 people are expected to attend this event. Only presentations with live demos will be accepted.

CPE Offered: Varies. Cost of Attendance: Conference pass from \$199 - \$399. 10% discount for all ISACA North Texas Members. Registration Cut-off Date: May 7 (for training); May 17 (for conference);

[Event Details](#)

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News from ISACA International

North American CACS, 15-19 May, 2011, Las Vegas, Nevada

The world's leading conference for IT audit, control, security and governance professionals. It is the must attend, hot-topic event attracting the best and brightest with its content-rich and thought-provoking sessions that delve into some of the biggest challenges facing IT audit and security professionals. Early Bird pricing expires 23 March, 2011. Earn up to 44 CPE Hours!

For more details and to register click [here](#).

Webinar: Making Data Loss Prevention Effective by Overcoming Uncertainty - May 12, 2011

Protecting data can be tricky. It has many different forms, resides in many different locations, is subject to an

increasing number of regulations but most importantly, it changes constantly. How can DLP solutions keep pace? Suffering from the "garbage in, garbage out" syndrome more than other security solutions, effective data protection places exacting requirements on IT. Join our data protection experts to hear their thoughts on how to make DLP solutions effective within this complex landscape.

For more details and to register [click here](#)

Webinar: Anti-Money Laundering - May 24, 2011

Maintaining open and candid lines of communications between anti-money laundering, audit and business unit team members is crucial to the overall vitality of the institution's compliance program. Understanding the roles and responsibilities of each group can lead to greater efficiency gains for the institution, create an environment for a marriage that can thrive and reduce the risk of unwanted and unnecessary negative attention from regulators.

For more details and to register [click here](#)

Now Available in the Apple App Store: ISACA Journal App

For those of you that own an iPhone, iPod touch, or iPad enjoy the ISACA Journal in a format that's as mobile as you are! The ISACA Journal App is packed with the latest complete ISACA Journal print magazine issues, plus the latest ISACA Journal Author Blog and ISACA Now blog postings. You'll now be able to access the Journal's managerial and technical articles and other ISACA information for professionals involved in IT audit, governance, security and assurance on the go. Droid version coming soon!

For more details and to register [click here](#)

eSymposium: Save the Date - May 31, 2011

Join us on Tuesday, May 31, 2011 to be a part of this important program! Earn 3 free CPE points.

For details and to register [click here](#).

ISACA World Congress - June 27-29, 2011 - Washington, DC

Integrating information and technology with business operations to drive strategic alignment within your organization. Discussions will focus on emerging technologies and IT and business trends, and present thought-leadership on what the future of the intertwined IT and business world holds for you. You will leave the event able to deliver greater trust in and value from information systems. . **Participants can earn up to 38 CPE credits.**

For details and to register [click here](#)

Certified in Risk and Information Systems Control (CRISC) - grandfathering option has been extended until 30 June 2011.

CRISC (pronounced see-risk) is the newest certification being offered by ISACA. The certification was designed for IT and business professionals who identify and manage risks through the development, implementation and maintenance of appropriate information systems controls.

Testing for CRISC certifications begins in the second half of 2011, but for professionals with at least eight years of relevant experience, a grandfathering program has been initiated that enables one to apply for the CRISC certification without taking the exam. Additional information is available at www.isaca.org/crisc.

Free CPE Using Your ISACA Membership

As a benefit of your ISACA membership, ISACA International is making free CPE available in four different formats. In fact, you can secure up to 62 hours of CPE per year, as follows:

- Earn one hour of CPE by taking and passing a quiz involving *ISACA Journal*. With six issues of *ISACA Journal* published each year, you can earn up to six hours of CPE, without charge.

- Earn three CPEs for each of 12 e-Symposia per year. That's 36 CPE credits available to you. Just sign-up for and attend each e-symposium in its entirety and complete a short 10-question quiz at the end of each 3-hour event.
- Earn up to 10 CPE by actively participating on an ISACA or ITGI board, committee, task force or as an officer of an ISACA chapter.
- Earn one CPE for each hour of mentoring efforts directly related to coaching, reviewing or assisting an individual with CISA/CISM/CGEIT exam (up to 10 CPE).

As always, read the full details at <http://www.isaca.org/Certification/Pages/How-to-Earn-CPE.aspx>.



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