INVESTING IN THE TOOLS...

Helping Members Achieve Success in The Internal Audit Profession

As the research arm of The IIA, The IIA Research Foundation (IIARF) has been a driving force behind the evolution of the profession. The IIARF provides independent insight and knowledge to assist practicing internal auditors and academics to be empowered stewards of the profession.

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The IIARF has directed investments into forward-thinking research and practitioner tools by publishing more than 200 comprehensive publications, with over 35 downloadable research reports available to IIA members for free.

THE MISSION OF THE IIA RESEARCH FOUNDATION

The mission of The IIARF is to expand knowledge and understanding of internal auditing by providing relevant research and educational products to advance the profession globally. As a not-for-profit corporation operating independently of The IIA exclusively for research and educational purposes, The Foundation is funded by voluntary contributions from IIA members, Institutes, and chapters, as well as supportive organizations.
Meeting the Demand and Cultivating the Future of Internal Audit

Internal audit employers consider recruitment vital to the success of their departments. To help fill the pipeline with graduates ready to hit the ground running, The Internal Audit Academic Awareness Program and the Internal Auditing Education Partnership (IAEP) program were created to support institutions of higher education in creating stellar learning opportunities for those interested in a career in internal auditing.

Each year, through IIA partner schools, Principles of Internal Auditing courses are offered at the undergrad and graduate levels, introducing over 5,500 students to the profession of internal audit.

The Internal Auditing Academic Advancement Fund (IAAAF) has awarded more than $1.3 million in grants to universities around the globe to advance IAEP programs.

THE MISSION OF THE INTERNAL AUDITING ACADEMIC ADVANCEMENT FUND

In 2006, The IIA created the Internal Auditing Academic Advancement Fund (IAAAF), a separate 501c3, “to carry out the educational and charitable purposes for internal audit education of The Institute of Internal Auditors, by collecting and distributing funds to support the awareness and teaching of internal auditing in post-secondary educational institutions worldwide.”