Pathway to Progress

William G. Bishop III, CIA, Memorial Fund
The path to success is being created, brick-by-brick, through contributions to the William G. Bishop III, CIA, Memorial Fund — the driving force behind the Common Body of Knowledge (CBOK) Study conducted by The Institute of Internal Auditors Research Foundation (IIARF). The CBOK study encompasses a series of reports that capture a snapshot of the current state of the profession. Collectively, the reports provide a road map for professional development, performance improvement, and practice management.

The Global Internal Audit Survey, a component of the CBOK study, is the most comprehensive global study ever conducted on the profession. It is paving the way for internal auditing to realize its full potential as a value-added resource for organizations around the globe and for practitioners to reach their individual professional goals. The results are a readily available resource made possible because of the continued commitment of the supporters of the William G. Bishop III, CIA, Memorial Fund — individual practitioners, chapters, institutes, organizations and corporations whose contributions clearly state that they believe their professional futures are a worthy investment. Each time a contribution is made to the fund*, a brick on the path that leads to the doors of The IIA’s Global Headquarters is embossed with the donor’s name. With each brick, internal auditors get a step closer to gaining the insights they need to help them succeed.

* Minimum $500 donation
Building on the Past. Committing to the Future.

Beginning with the 2006 study, The IIARF set out to not only capture a current snapshot of the profession around the globe, but to create a living and breathing body of work that could be built upon to provide a study of the profession that was both reflective and forward-looking in scope. Continuing to build upon the findings of the 2006 study, the 2010 global survey provides insights into:

- characteristics of internal audit activities around the globe
- core competencies for today's internal auditor
- preparing for what's on the horizon for internal auditing
- top imperatives for change

A database that encompasses results from both the 2006 and 2010 study has been created to begin to establish trending and leverage the information for future research about the profession.


The IIA Research Foundation’s 2010 Global Internal Audit Survey, a component of the CBOK study, represents a two-year effort to collect and analyze responses from 13,582 practitioners in 22 languages and more than 107 countries. A project of this scope and global reach required the collaboration and coordination of a long list of individuals and entities and called on the strength of the international internal auditing community to support the effort. It required countless hours of dedication from a range of resources including a primary steering committee comprised of approximately 20 global volunteers and a host of supportive subcommittees, staff from The IIARF, IIA Global Headquarters, and IIA Institutes, and a carefully assembled team of researchers. More than 80 institutes worked to promote the survey to their members.

Additionally, the 2010 study included a special pilot study launched initially in the United States only, A Call to Action: Stakeholders’ Expectations and Perceptions Study, designed to give CAEs a clear picture of how stakeholders currently view the internal audit activity and what the performance expectation is now and in the future.

“We, as auditors, are constantly doing assessments for the companies we work for. Shouldn’t we consider taking the time to assess the skills that we will need in order to remain relevant to our stakeholders.”

— Denny K. Beran, CIA, CCSA
Senior Vice President-Audit of JCPenney, Inc. and Senior Vice Chairman of The IIA Board.

“I consider the CBOK study one of the most critical projects that the IIARF undertakes. It provides the fundamental research needed by the profession to underpin developments in ensuring training and certification programs remain robust, relevant, and current.”

— Carman L. Lapointe, CIA, CCSA
Under-Secretary-General for Internal Oversight Services, United Nations and former Chairman of The IIA.
His Passion. Our Pledge. Your Future.

The William G. Bishop III, CIA, Memorial Fund — the sole financial support for the CBOK study — was created to continue the legacy of a man who committed himself fully to the profession that defined him. William G. Bishop III, CIA, affectionately known as Bill to his friends and family, served as IIA president from 1992 until his untimely passing in March of 2004. Bill often professed, without reservation, “I’m proud to be an internal auditor.” He understood the value internal auditing brought to an organization and he was committed to helping practitioners bring their best to the table to ensure internal auditing could secure its rightful place at the table.

To honor the work he dedicated his life to, The IIA Research Foundation pledged to propel his vision forward by supporting research to advance the profession through the fund created in his name. It is a commitment that is echoed throughout each report within the study. The knowledge gained and the insights shared through the study strengthen the profession of internal auditing around the globe. This solid base of knowledge allows internal auditors to have a more meaningful impact on the organizations they serve and a more rewarding experience performing the work they love.

The commitment The IIA Research Foundation has made to carrying on Bill Bishop’s legacy can only be honored through the continued support of internal auditors who share Bill Bishop’s passion for the profession… practitioners like you. When you make an individual contribution or encourage your chapter, institute or organization, you are making a clear statement. You are saying you care about the future of the profession of internal auditing. You are saying you care about your future.

“I personally admired William G. Bishop III, not only as a great leader, role model and mentor, but also for his tenacity and dedication to the Internal Audit Profession. Through Bill’s steady, persistent, devotion, I discovered exactly what it meant to be ‘Proud to be an Internal Auditor.’”

— Patricia E. Scipio, CIA
Director of PricewaterhouseCoopers –
Washington Metro and President of
The IIA Research Foundation
Your Contribution Is Our Pathway to Progress

As we forge ahead to the 2015 CBOK study, your contribution makes a difference. The IIA Research Foundation is dependent on generous donors to continue to fund this global research project. Join our efforts. Take an active role in your professional future by making a contribution today.

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The Foundation is a (501)(c)(3) tax-exempt (in the U.S.) corporation formed to provide and expand research and education for the benefit of the internal auditor, the internal auditing profession, the business and government communities, and the general public. For over 30 years, The IIARF has been the global leader in sponsoring, disseminating, and promoting research and knowledge resources to enhance the development and effectiveness of the internal audit profession.

Mission

The mission of The IIA Research Foundation (IIARF) is to expand knowledge and understanding of internal auditing by providing relevant research and educational products to advance the profession globally.