

Audit Interactive

A Higher Education Collaborative Experience

March 9-12, 2025 | Sheraton Hotel Downtown | Oklahoma City, OK



AUDIT INTERACTIVE 2025										
Sunday										
4:00 PM	6:00 PM	Attendee Hub								
5:00 PM	6:00 PM		Opening Reception	on (light refreshments)						
Monday										
7:00 AM	4:30 PM	Attendee Hub								
7:00 AM	7:50 AM	Breakfast (provided)								
8:00 AM	9:40 AM		Decoding the Business of Higher Education: Insights for Internal Auditors Part 1 Sandy Jansen, UT Austin & Kim Turner, Texas Tech University	Navigating Research Administration: Pre-Award vs. Post-Award and the Impact of Emerging Regulations Nicole Orogun-Thomas, Deloitte	Proactive Cybersecurity: Auditing Your Incident Response Plan Morgan Mincy, Baker Tilly & Jordan Ramsey, Mississippi State University					
9:40 AM	9:50 AM	Refreshment Break								
9:50 AM	11:30 AM		Decoding the Business of Higher Education: Insights for Internal Auditors Part 2 Sandy Jansen, UT Austin & Kim Turner, Texas Tech University	Research Administration Roundtable Discussion Nicole Orogun-Thomas, Deloitte	How to Audit a Cybersecurity Maturity Model Certification (CMMC) Program Johan Lidros, Eminere					
11:30 AM	1:00 PM	IIA's AI for Internal Audit	Lunch (provided)							
1:00 PM	2:40 PM	Meals & Networking Breaks provided by ACUA	Staying Audit-Ready: Navigating Resource Challenges and Implementing the IIA's New Global Standards Christine Monterio, Northern Illinois University & Adrienne Larmett, Baker Tilly	Higher Education Emerging and Top Risks Kavita Zeeshan & Mark Maraccini, Crowe	From Chaos to Control, Unraveling the Art of Incident Response Reema Parappilly, Weaver					
2:40 PM	3:00 PM		Networking Break							
3:00 PM	4:40 PM		Staying Audit-Ready: Navigating Resource Challenges and Implementing the IIA's New Global Standards Christine Monterio, Northern Illinois University & Adrienne Larmett, Baker Tilly	Enhancing Compliance in Post- Award Activities through Data Analytics and Audits Tharanee Ravindren, The University of Alabama System	Ripped from the Headlines: Healthcare IT Risk in 2024 Terry Corcoran, Protiviti					

Tuesday								
7:00 AM	4:30 PM	Attendee Hub						
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8:00 AM	9:40 AM		Building Bridges: Fostering Collaborative Relationships Between Research Administration and Internal Audit Nicole Orogun-Thomas Deloitte	Auditing Ethics/Environment using COSO Natalie McNish, Missouri State	Auditing the Effectiveness of Your Ethics Program and Whistleblower Hotline Program Juliette Gust, Ethics Suite			
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1:00 PM	2:40 PM	provided by Noon	Transforming Audits – Emotional Intelligence in the Age of Al Sabine Charles, Touro University	Agriculturally Speaking Natalie McNish, Missouri State	Higher Education Update Joshua MacDiarmid, Federal Bureau of Investigations			
2:40 PM	3:00 PM	Networking Break						
3:00 PM	4:40 PM		Navigating Gift Management: Best Practices for Risk Mitigation and Oversight Kimberly Macedo, Baker Tilly	The Final Destination - Audit Reporting Natalie McNish Missouri State	Internal Audit's Role in ERP Implementations Bill Dykstra & Mark Maraccini, Crowe			
Wednesday								
7:00 AM	11:30 AM	Attendee Hub						
7:00 AM	7:50 AM	Breakfast (provided)						
8:00 AM	9:40 AM	Identifying & Mitigating Bias in Internal Audit Anta Coulibaly, University of Oregon, Amaya Beck, University of Tennessee & Scott Ngo, Yale	Conducting a Student Accounts Audit: A Case Study Kaitlyn Andrews, Baker Tilly	Continuous Audit is Dead Long Live Collaborative Analytics! Tyler Roche, Weaver	Foundations in Focus: Strengthening Internal Audit Practices Cody Loup, EisnerAmper			
9:40 AM	10:00 AM	Networking Break						
10:00 AM	10:50 AM	Grant Compliance Best Practices and Pitfalls Elizabeth Ballotte, PFK O'Connor Davies	Roundtable: Small Shop Mary Barnett, Virginia Community College	Roundtable: Data Analytics Tharanee Ravindren, The University of Alabama System	Roundtable: Academic Medical Centers John McDaniel, University of Alabama System			
10:50 AM	11:10 AM	Transition Break						
11:10 AM	12:00 PM	Maintaining the Connection Eulonda Whitmore & Fannie Moore Wayne State University						