

President's Message

Thank You and See You in 2020!

We are into the final month of 2019 and will be entering a new decade. Have you submitted your CPE hours or accumulated sufficient hours? If not, do take this last chance to attend our [courses](#), [Learn at Lunch session](#), or check out our [self-learning](#) resources.

As we look back on 2019, I am pleased to report that we have had 35 participants for the Professional Conversion Programme over 4 runs, with the final run starting this month. Happy to share as well that this 4th and final run was fully-subscribed with applications on waitlist. We will work with the relevant agencies to see how best we can meet our stakeholders' needs. Certainly hope that we will be able to share some good news.

On the global front, IIA Global invited public comments on proposed updates to the widely used Three Lines of Defence model from June to September. At our Annual Conference, Ms Jenitha John who led the taskforce, shared that we can expect the revised position paper in mid-2020; for those who can't wait, an initial summary and analysis of the findings is available [here](#).

Back to Singapore, the annual Members' Night took place just last month, one of the initiatives we continued given the positive feedback from our members. It was a good turnout and those who came had a great time networking over dinner and drinks.

On behalf of the Institute, I would like to thank you for your support and look forward to your continued participation in 2020 and beyond. In this season of giving, we strive to build a culture of giving back to the community among our members through skills-based volunteering with our partners. We are working hard on some initiatives, so watch this space. Through these, we hope to enrich and enhance your career as an internal audit professional.

I wish all of you a well-deserved year-end break. Season's Greetings and Happy holidays.

Yours sincerely
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