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Please contact [the chapter](#) if you have a job available or if you are looking for an employment opportunity.

March 2022

Dear Akron IMA,

Our next event is: March 29th.

Please forward newsletter items to: [IMA Newsletter](#).

Thanks!
Donna Rucker

President's Message

Hello Everyone,

Planning for the 2022 – 2023 year has begun, and I would like to invite all members to consider the possibility of serving on our Board of Directors for the Akron Chapter. This is a great opportunity to serve your profession and develop professional relationships beyond your current network. Please give it your consideration and contact me at peterdorff@gmail.com or 330-673-6128 to discuss opportunities.

Please Note: Both our March and our April schedules have changed.

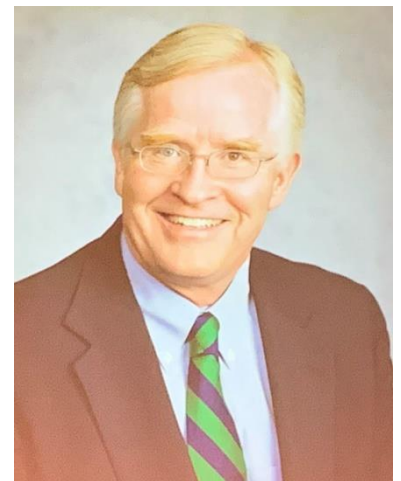
For March, our webinar, Technology Trends, previously scheduled for Tuesday, March 15, has been canceled. It has been replaced by a webinar on Multi-State Taxes on Tuesday, March 29th. Our speaker on the 29th is the popular Rich Frye from Buckingham Doolittle and Burroughs.

For April, our hoped for in-person meeting on April 20 has been canceled. The Board felt there were too many uncertainties to move forward at this time. We have added a new Cyber Security webinar on Tuesday, April 26. The April 26th meeting will also include our annual awards and recognition.

Looking forward to spring!

Peter Dorff

2021-2022 Akron IMA Chapter president



Welcome New Members

Name	Date Joined
Mei Liu	12/15/2021
Carly Chopp	1/2/2022
Stephanie Graham	1/20/2022
Glenn Zimmerman	2/27/2022

Congratulations to a New CMA!

Congratulations to Quaid Kloha for passing both parts of the CMA exam and obtaining the CMA credential.

From *Wayfair* and Beyond: Nationwide Nexus Expansion, Significant Compliance Hurdles for Multistate Business & Cutting Edge Planning Opportunities – March 29th Webinar

Time/Date: Tuesday, Mar 29th, 2022 from 06:30 PM to 07:30 PM

Learning Objectives: Attendees will gain helpful knowledge to advise and guide clients through multistate tax issues, including:

1. Determining when and where sales tax nexus exists
2. Registering and complying with state sales tax collection laws, including updating and implementing an exemption certificate collection process for nontaxable sales
3. Identifying services subject to sales tax, especially for providers of Software-as-a-Service and web-based applications;
4. Navigating income / franchise tax nexus and examining the effect of the MTC's updated guidance on P.L. 86-272;
5. Maximizing the SALT Cap Workaround, as described in IRS Notice 2020-75, for pass-through entity owners; and
6. How voluntary disclosure agreements and amnesty programs can absolve past tax delinquencies and facilitate future compliance

Registration will be available on our [website](#) later this month.

2021-2022 Meeting Schedule

The meetings below are all online until future notice.

Meeting Subject	Date & Time
Multi-state tax update	March 29, 6:30 pm (Tue)
CMA vs. CPA: What's the difference? (No CPE)	April 21, 9:00 am (Thu)
Cyber Security Webinar	April 26, 6:30 pm (Tue)
Lower the costs of your external audit	May 17, 8:00 am (Tue)

Gleim Partnership

The Akron IMA Chapter has partnered with Gleim to ensure your success on the CMA exam!

Almost 40 years ago, Gleim set the standard for CMA exam review. Today, as an industry leader and IMA Strategic Partner, we continue to dedicate ourselves to preparing candidates to pass quickly and confidently. The 2021 Gleim CMA Review includes thousands of the most realistic CMA exam questions, the most comprehensive coverage, dedicated and reliable support, and more. More CMAs have passed with Gleim—we have the experience to guide you to exam success! IMA chapter members, order now and save at least 30% on our Premium CMA Review System.

Place your order directly online by going to gleim.com/IMAAkron or contact Alexandra Graham at 800.874.5346 ext 428 or imachapters@gleim.com to learn about the significant discounts you are eligible for as an IMA Chapter member.

CMA Mentoring Program

The IMA Akron Chapter is proud to offer its members a mentoring program to assist CMA candidates with strategies to pass the CMA exam. The IMA Akron CMA Mentoring Program will encourage networking and provide career development opportunities designed to help CMA candidates (mentees) and other members (mentors) in our chapter to form valuable mentoring relationships. The success of this program will rely on volunteers to serve as mentors. Mentoring can take place online, by phone, or in person at Akron chapter events or other locations.

Mentees and mentors will be matched based on the needs of the mentee and the availability of the mentors. The ideal mentor for this CMA focused program would be an individual who has obtained the CMA certification and / or who has recently passed one or both parts of the newer two-part CMA exam structure. All individuals who are currently enrolled in the CMA program and studying for the CMA exam are encouraged to enroll as a mentee. In addition, individuals who are undecided about obtaining the CMA certification and would like additional information or guidance are encouraged to enroll.

The CMA Designation - The CMA (Certified Management Accountant) is the advanced professional certification specifically designated to measure the accounting and financial management skills that drive business performance. Achieving the CMA credential demonstrates your mastery of financial planning, analysis, control, and decision support, as well as professional ethics.

If you would like more information, please contact: Jeff Falter at akron@imachapter.org

Internet References

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