ISACA Omaha Chapter June 2024 Newsletter

UPCOMING EVENTS
https://engage.isaca.org/omahachapter/events/

Jul.: No member events

Aug.: No member events

Sep. 12: Annual General Meeting

Oct.12: Member Lunch

Nov. 2: Interface Nebraska

Nov. 15: Joint Panel with NebraskaCERT and IIA

Dec. 14: Member Social

June Summer Social

The Summer Social was held at Cunningham's on Thursday, June 13th from 4-6 pm for networking, delicious food and drinks. Thank you to everyone who attended!



AGM – Save the Date!

Please save the date for the Annual General Meeting (AGM) on Thursday, September 12th! The meeting will be held from 4-6 pm at Cunningham's on 109th and West Dodge.



Seeking Volunteers for 2024-2025

Available to help at a meeting or event? Want to be an ISACA board member? We are seeking several general volunteers and board members 2024-2025. Please contact our chapter president, Dr. Lisa McKee (president@omahaisaca.org) or view the description in the bylaws if interested.

*President	*Marketing	*Membership
*Treasurer	*Auditor	*Spring Seminar
*Secretary	*Events	*Student Relations

Annual Michael T. Hoesing Memorial Scholarship

Scholarship awards are presented to undergraduate students who have completed their sophomore year of college or graduate students pursuing a major in one of the ISACA domains such as Business Administration (including Accounting), Information Science and Technology colleges. Visit scholarship at: https://engage.isaca.org/omahachapter/scholarships.

Contact Us

ISACA Communications
Omaha, Nebraska
communications@omahaisaca.org

https://engage.isaca.org/omahachapter/home

2024 Annual Chapter Award Nominations

We are accepting nominations for our 2024 Annual Chapter Awards! Please send nominations to the link below to register. Visit Chapter nominations at: https://engage.isaca.org/omahachapter/chapterawards .

2023 Award Recipients

These individuals were our 2023 ISACA Award Recipeints:

Eternal Service Award	Jennifer Hunt David Medeiros
Volunteer of the Year Award	Warren Fish Matt Johnson
Outstanding Chapter Leader Award	Nick Lerouge Dr. Lisa McKee
Shining Star Award	Desirae Black Jason Boche
Excellence in Mentoring Award	Meg Harris Dr. Deanna House
Community Partner Award	Bellevue University

Spread the Word! Community Day 2024

The chapter will participate in the Annual ISACA CommunITy Day. We are seeking volunteers willing to speak to students about careers in technology and teachers who would like a guest speaker to visit their classroom. All volunteers will get an ISACA CommunITy Day volunteer t-shirt! Please contact our chapter president, Dr. Lisa McKee (president@omahaisaca.org) or visit our website for details.

Call for Speakers

The Director of Events (events@omahaisaca.org) is seeking speakers for upcoming monthly meetings. If you are interested in speaking on a topic – please reach out to discuss and brainstorm on your ideas. If you know somebody that you have heard speak in the past that you believe would be good for the ISACA Omaha audience, please send their information.

Website Updates or Position and Intern Seeking?

Have a change or recommendation for the website? Have a job or internship to fill? We can post on our chapter site, please email our webmaster, Jaclyn at (webmaster@omahaisaca.org).

We want to hear from you!

Have an idea or question? Want to volunteer with local chapter events and activities? Please contact our chapter president, Dr. Lisa McKee (president@omahaisaca.org) or Vice President Desirae Black (VP@omahaisaca.org). We want to hear from our members!

Follow Us on Social Media!

Be sure to check out and follow us on social media for upcoming meeting reminders! We want to spread the word! LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/company/isaca-omaha-chapter/

ISACA Omaha Chapter 2024 – 2025 Annual Calendar of Events

Month	Event Details
September	Annual General Meeting (AGM) at Cunningham's September 12, 2024 4-6pm
October	Member Lunch at Scott Center October 10, 2024 11:30am-1pm Pillars of Our CommunITy ® Week October 1-4, 2024
November	Student Networking Event at UNO November 12, 2024 4-6pm Interface Nebraska at CHI Ballroom November 7, 2024 8:30am-4:30pm NEbraskaCERT/ISACA/IIA Joint Panel at Johnny's Cafe November 20, 2024 11:30am-1pm
December	Winter Social at Cunningham's December 12, 2024 4-6pm CISA Prep Course via Zoom December 2-6, 2024 5-9pm
January	Membership Lunch at Scott Center January 9, 2025 11:30am-1pm CDPSE Prep Course via Zoom January 6-10, 2025 5-9pm
February	Joint ARMA, AFCEA Membership Lunch at Scott Center February 13, 2025 11:30am-1pm CRISC Prep Course via Zoom February 3-7, 2025 5-9pm
March	Membership Lunch at Scott Center March 13, 2025 11:30am-1pm
April	Spring Seminar at Bellevue University April 10, 2025 9am-4pm
May	IIA Joint Meeting Membership Lunch at Scott Center May 8, 2025 11:30am-1pm
June	Summer Social at Cunningham's June 12, 2025
July	No Member Meeting

ISACA Omaha Chapter

ISACA Omaha Chapter Annual Chapter Awards are open to active members of the chapter. Award winners will be recognized at the AGM September 12, 2024. Members may submit more than one nomination for any award; however, self nominations will not be accepted.

Email nominations to Dr. Lisa McKee (president@omahaisaca.org) include the name of the nominee, award, brief explaination why you nominated that individual.

- Eternal Service Award
  - Recognizes a chapter member who has dedicated 10+ years of service to support the members and mission of the Omaha ISACA Chapter.

- Volunteer of the Year Award
  - Recognizes a chapter member for their remarkable efforts in providing service and support to the chapter by assisting with member events, networking, and promoting the Omaha ISACA Chapter to help increase membership.

- Outstanding Chapter Leader Award
  - Recognizes a chapter leader for inspirational leadership through dedication and service with member events, networking, career development, and training resulting in a positive impact on the Omaha ISACA professional community.

- Shining Star Award
  - Recognizes a board member for their regular attendance at chapter events and selfless devotion to help with administrative duties for the Omaha ISACA Chapter.

- Excellence in Mentoring Award
  - Recognizes a chapter member that devoted their time and talents to support personal growth and career advancement for members of the Omaha ISACA Chapter.

- Community Partner Award
  - Recognizes a local business dedicated to the success and support of members and events of the Omaha ISACA Chapter.

Michael T. Hoesing's Memorial Award Scholarship Application

Due Thursday, August 1, 2024

Scholarship Amount: $1,000 - 2,000

***dependent on applications received**

PLEASE READ AND COMPLETE THIS ENTIRE APPLICATION CAREFULLY!
ONLY COMPLETED CANDIDATE SUBMISSIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED.

The aim of Information Systems Audit and Control Association (ISACA) Omaha Chapter is to sponsor local educational seminars and workshops, conduct regular chapter meetings, and help to further promote and elevate the visibility of the IS audit, control and security profession throughout the region.

ISACA offers student memberships that give the student the following benefits:

- **Find the right job.** Student members may post resumes/CVs and get email job notifications from the ISACA Career Centre.
- **Increase students value to prospective employers by expanding your skill set.** Gain industry knowledge by attending ISACA educational events, and reading the bimonthly ***ISACA Journal*** (free to members online and as a mobile application).
- **Enjoy discounts.** ISACA offers members discounted registration fees to many conferences. In addition, the ISACA Bookstore offers discounts on publications featuring IT governance topics in a variety of languages.
- **Build a network of business contacts.** Membership in one of more than 200 ISACA chapters with members in 180 countries puts you in contact with a local circle of peers. ISACA conferences expand your network further, and chapter web sites, Internet newsletters, and give students a forum to share advice on topics of professional interest.
- **Position yourself to participate in a global marketplace.** ISACA's international membership offers opportunities to learn more about business cultures, priorities, and practices from around the world.

Scholarship purpose:
Scholarship awards are presented to undergraduate students who have completed their sophomore year of college (or 60 semester hours or the equivalent by time of the application deadline) or graduate students, and are pursuing a major in the Business Administration (including Accounting) or Information Science and Technology colleges. Candidates must meet the minimum qualifications listed below. Scholarships recipients are selected and awards disbursed in September 2024 for use in the upcoming 2024-2025 academic year.

- Overall grade point average (GPA) of at least 3.25
- Accounting (or other upper-level major classes) with interest in IT Auditing and Security or MIS GPA of at least 3.50
- Level of extracurricular activity involvement (specifically members of student organizations, preferably academic).
- Level of volunteer activity involvement (members of charitable organizations or participants in charitable events, volunteering in audit-related organizational events)

In commemoration of ISACA's local Omaha Chapter, the Michael T. Hoesing's Memorial Award for this year is for $1,000 - $2,000 (dependent upon applications).

Please electronically attach the following. All documents requested must be provided for application to be considered:

1. Unofficial academic transcript(s) for all post-secondary institution(s) attended. . [Save file as follows: Student Last Name – Transcript]
2. Current resume. [Save file as follows: Student Last Name – Resume]
3. **Two** letters of recommendation in support of your application – sent to us ***directly by the recommender (not yourself)*** – to the email address noted below. These may be submitted by a current or past college instructor, employer, or volunteer supervisor able to speak directly to your demonstrated abilities, achievements, and character. [Please ask your recommender to use the following file naming convention: Student Last Name – Recommendation]
4. Completed application form (information that follows). [Save file as follows: Student Last Name – Classic]

1. APPLICATION INFORMATION

Sponsoring Chapter	ISACA Omaha Chapter	**RETURN APPLICATION AND ALL ACCOMPANYING DOCUMENTS TO:**
Date of Application		
Name of Applicant		students@omahaisaca.org

2. PERSONAL DATA

Address
City/State/Zip
Telephone
Email

A. ACADEMIC BACKGROUND (Post-Secondary Schools Attended)

1. College/University	
From - To	**Expected Graduation Date**
Hours Completed	**Grade Point Average - Overall**
Major	**Grade Point Average - Major**

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND (cont'd)

2. College/University	
From - To	
Hours Completed	**Grade Point Average - Overall**
Major	**Grade Point Average - Major**

3. College/University	
From - To	
Hours Completed	**Grade Point Average - Overall**
Major	**Grade Point Average - Major**

B. EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND HONORS

Extracurricular Activities and Offices Held (include academic, professional, etc.)

Honors and Awards Received

C. PERSONAL STATEMENT

Brief personal statement on career goals, and why internal audit or Security Professions are appealing (or potentially appealing) as a career path
