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Dear Members,

Happy New Year! We hope you enjoy this newsletter and welcome your feedback. Save the date – March 7 & 8 (Tuesday & Wednesday) Spring Conference in-person (Botanical Gardens) and virtual options available. Please see the following information and offerings, including many **free CPE** opportunities:

Your Birmingham Chapter Board of Directors

CERTIFICATION EXAMS
Article: Candidates Beware: Red Flags to Avoid When Preparing for and Taking an ISACA Exam

MAKE A DIFFERENCE
Help ISACA and members realize the positive potential of technology by nominating yourself or someone else to serve on ISACA's Board of Directors **by 31 January**. Learn more and nominate here.

RENEW TODAY
Renew **by 28 February** 2023 to avoid additional fees, retain membership, keep benefits, and/or maintain credentials. After 28 February, additional charges will apply.

AUDIT
Case study: Performing a Cybersecurity Audit of an Electric Power Transmission Systems Operator

PRIVACY
Webinar: **The State of Privacy—25 January 2023,** 11am (CT) / 17:00 (UTC). Learn key findings of ISACA's third annual State of Privacy Survey, which uncovered trends in privacy staffing, budgets, awareness training, breaches, and privacy by design. **Register here.** One hour/one **free CPE**. All ISACA webinars are listed **here**.

GOVERNANCE
Webinar: **Ensuring Secure Access: Best Practices for Application Access Governance —2 February 2023,** 11am (CT) / 17:00 (UTC). Learn the importance of application access governance; best practices for an effective program; and tips for being risk-aware, remediating separation of duty violations, and providing secure emergency access. **Register here.** One hour/one **free CPE**. All ISACA webinars are listed **here**.

SECURITY

Webinar: **Unlocking Data Driven Security for Strategic Decisioning**—9 February 2023, 11am (CT) / 17:00 (UTC). Learn best practices for adopting a new, open-format data and analytics approach, and how to transform and enable efficiencies of data-driven security. Register here. One hour/one free CPE. All ISACA webinars are listed **here.**

Blog post: Top Cyberattacks of 2022 Lessons

DIGITAL TRUST
Webinar: **Data: The Heart of Digital Trust—12 January 2023,** 11am (CT) / 17:00 (UTC). Learn key activities to grow internal and external trust in enterprise data, and the public's obligations with respect to their data. **Register here.** One hour/one **free CPE**. All ISACA webinars are listed **here.**

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New! Digital Trust World
Previously known as ISACA Conference North America and ISACA Conference Europe, ISACA's Digital Trust World will be held:
- **USA:** Boston, Massachusetts, 9–11 May 2023
- **Virtually:** 21–22 June 2023
- **Europe:** Q4 2023 (Call for speakers available here in two weeks.)

Complete the **Register Your Interest** form (found on the bottom of the page) **by 16 January** to receive an email with an exclusive **discount** when registration opens in two weeks.
And register by 24 March to save an additional US$200.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPEMENT
Member-Exclusive Speaker Series: "Leading with Creativity," 31 January 2023, 11:00am (CST) / 17:00 (UTC). Join Dr. Natalie Nixon, strategy, foresight, and innovation expert, and award-winning author, as she discusses how to take a creative approach to leadership. **Register here.** One hour/one **free CPE**.