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Registration: Register Online at www.isacanashville.org
ISACA Member: \$749
Non-members \$899

Upcoming Events by Other Organizations

Atlanta ISACA

Spring 2008 ERM Roundtable Series

January 25, 2008 - Topic: The Interaction of Treasury and Risk Management

February 29, 2008 - Topic: Board and Audit Committee Engagement in Risk Oversight

April 11, 2008 - TBA

Register for the entire series for \$120 or \$45 for one roundtable!

Nashville IIA

The Annual Auditors & Accountants Awareness Seminar

Date: January 28, 2008

Location: Willis Conference Center

Visit The Nashville IIA Website for more information on both events.

Middle TN ISSA

Topic: Managing Multiple Compliance Requirements

Date: Fri, Jan 18, 2008: 11:30am-1:00pm

Location: TN Economic Development Center Theater, BellSouth Building, 2nd Floor

Speaker: Chris Chesley, Senior Systems Engineer Ecora Software

Lunch: Lunch provided by the chapter

ISACA on the Radio

The local ISACA chapter was recently donated some air time for commercials and that was the only motivation needed to get the ISACA message out on the airways. You may have heard one of the spots, but if you didn't, visit the chapter website to replay the mp3's.

ISACA e-Symposium:

The ISACA e-Symposium™ is a monthly half-day online event for ISACA members. The e-Symposium™ is accessible to anyone with a computer, a soundcard and an Internet connection.

Listen to and interact with world-leading experts from the convenience of your workplace. All presentations and round table discussions are streamed live & online and archives are made available 72 hrs after the live event.

The ISACA e-Symposium™ is sponsor supported and FREE to anyone that registers.

The next e-Symposium™ will take place on January 28, 2008 and will include such topics as "Addressing the Insider Threat to Database Security", "Embedding Segregation of Duties (SOD) in the ERP Compliance Process" and "The Changing Security Landscape: Risk is Everywhere".

Visit www.isaca.e-symposium.com for more information.

ISACA Member Benefits:

Working together, more than 170 local chapters and the International association have developed an exceptional package of products and services for members.

Specific features include (also see [membership benefits page](#)):

- Complimentary download of [COBIT 4.1](#) and related products.
- Discounted subscription and complimentary baseline functionality of [COBIT Online](#)
- Discounts on [CISA](#) and [CISM](#) examination fees and study materials
- Discounts on leading-edge technical and managerial [conferences](#) and workshops
- Subscription to the bimonthly *Information Systems Control Journal*, which features articles on current and future practices and technology, and *Global Communiqué*, a member publication
- Full access to [K-NET](#), a global IT governance knowledge resource
- Discounts on [research publications](#) and convenient access to peer-reviewed [Bookstore](#) publications
- Documents and presentations from the [IT Governance Institute](#) on various aspects of IT governance
- [Standards, statements and guidelines](#) for information systems audit and

control professionals

- Online access to member-only material, which includes a variety of professional resources, such as internal control questionnaires (ICQs) and audit programs
- Discount on annual subscriptions for Protiviti's KnowledgeLeader site.
- Leadership and networking opportunities through participation on ISACA [boards/committees](#) that are making a positive impact on the IT profession

Benefits from Local Chapters include:

- Access to affordable continuing education programs, research and publications
- Information exchange opportunities through regular chapter meetings
- Opportunities to participate in local events, publications or research projects
- Leadership experience on local boards and committees and the opportunity to make a positive impact on the local business community

Certification Update:

June 2008 Exam Registration

Register for the Certified Information Systems Auditor™ (CISA®) and Certified Information Security Manager® (CISM®) exams. Both exams will be held on June 14, 2008. Candidates will find additional exam details in the CISA or CISM Bulletin of Information for the June 2008 exams, which are available at www.isaca.org/cisaboi and www.isaca.org/cismboi.

Exam Registration Fees	Online	Mail/Fax
ISACA member	\$325	\$375
Nonmember	\$455	\$505

Save \$50.00 when registering online

ISC Journal Condensed Article:

A Hacker Breaks In – Lessons Learned from a True Story

-Condensed from the Volume 5, 2007 Information Systems Control Journal

A customer calls their bank and informs them that an account that had a balance of more than \$100,000 now incorrectly contains only a few dollars. The bank reacted by quickly escalated the issue and formed a task force including the following departments: Internal Audit, Information Security, Customer Service and Public Relations.

After two days of investigation, the task force has the following findings:

- Computer records showed the missing money had been transferred to another account within the same bank. The transaction code on the transfer was "Internet transfer between same holder's accounts" which would normally mean that the transfer occurred between two accounts registered under the same holder, but in this case the actual account holders were different people.
- All transfers took place at midnight in the amount of \$10,000 (the daily maximum). The

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