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Standard-Setting Boards in the News

IESBA | 12 OCTOBER 2017

[Stavros Thomadakis Reappointed Ethics Board Chair](#)

Dr. Stavros B. Thomadakis has been reappointed Chair of the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants® (IESBA®) for a renewable one-year term commencing January 1, 2018, the key post Dr. Thomadakis has held since 2015.

IAESB | 12 OCTOBER 2017

[IAESB Chair Chris Austin Reappointed](#)

The International Accounting Education Standards Board™ (IAESB™) is pleased to announce the reappointment of its Chair, Chris Austin, CBE, for a one-year renewable term commencing January 1, 2018.

INTERNATIONAL ACCOUNTING STANDARDS BOARD | 20:00, 12 OCTOBER 2017

[13 October 2017 New appointments to the IFRS Advisory Council](#)

The Trustees of the IFRS® Foundation, responsible for the oversight and governance of the International Accounting Standards Board (Board), have confirmed the appointments of several organisations and their representatives to the IFRS ...

PRESS ASSOCIATION NATIONAL NEWSWIRE | 1:47, 11 OCTOBER 2017

[Italian Local, Regional Governments Need New Accounting Standards – New Study](#)

Business Editors, Financial Editors SYDNEY & ROME--(Business Wire)--October 11, 2017 Italian local and regional Governments must adopt EU Public Sector Accounting Standards to harmonise with the rest of Europe and reduce manipulation, a new ...



THE TIMES | 16 OCTOBER 2017

[What's to fear from watchdog that doesn't have bite?](#)

After a report posed serious questions about the Financial Reporting Council, Patrick Hosking outlines where the greatest concerns appear to lie

DAILY FT | 13 OCTOBER 2017

[CA Sri Lanka to host SAFA International Technical](#)

[Workshop on NOCLAR and IFRS 15](#)

The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Sri Lanka (CA Sri Lanka) will host an International Technical Workshop of the South Asian Federation of Accountants (SAFA) in October this year, which will feature top international experts who will...

CPA TECHNOLOGY ADVISOR | 1:00, 12 OCTOBER 2017

[Alerts Warn of Risks in Upcoming Audit Cycle](#)

The Center for Audit Quality (CAQ) has published two new member alerts to help public company auditing firms address potential risks during the upcoming 2017 audit cycle.

AUSTRALIAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION (ABC) NEWS | 7:47, 12 OCTOBER 2017

[Top accounting bodies rail against consumer-friendly reforms](#)

There have been a number of constants in the exasperating succession of financial planning scandals which have gutted far too many people over the years.

BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL TIMES | 13 OCTOBER 2017

[ICAG, FIC collaborates to train Accountants and Auditors](#)

October 13, 2017 Source: thebftonline.com/Ghana The institute of Chartered Accountants, Ghana (ICAG) - in collaboration with the Financial Intelligence Centre (FIC) - has ended a two-day awareness creation for practicing Accountants and ...

GHANA GOVERNMENT PORTAL | 13:04, 13 OCTOBER 2017

[ICAG ORGANIZES INDUCTION COURSE FOR NEW](#)

[MEMBERS](#)

The second induction course in the year 2017 for newly-qualified Chartered Accountants is underway in Accra. The two-day course, organized by the Institute of Chartered Accountants (Ghana) (ICAG), seeks to prepare the newly-qualified ...

FINANCIAL EXPRESS | 13 OCTOBER 2017

[Reinforcing market confidence through audit reliability is a key challenge today](#)

It's a watershed year not only for the government in its efforts to clean up the economy, but also for the Quality Review Board (QRB)-which was established under the Chartered Accountants Act of 1949-as it completes its first decade.

POLITY.ORG.ZA | 18:00, 12 OCTOBER 2017

[SAICA's independent inquiry into KPMG finalizes terms of reference](#)

The South African Institute of Chartered Accountants (SAICA) on Friday said an independent inquiry into the conduct of some chartered accountants formerly employed by embattled audit firm KPMG would begin soon.

THE BALUCHISTAN TIMES | 12 OCTOBER 2017

[ACCA, PCA launch report on Belt,Road initiative in Pakistan](#)

The Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA) and Pakistan-China Institute (PCI) Wednesday launched their first joint report on the Belt and Road Initiative in Pakistan called The Economic Benefits of the Modern Silk Road - ...

CITYWIRE | 11 OCTOBER 2017

[Hong Kong responds to Basel guidelines](#)

The Hong Kong Monetary Authority said it has made revisions to its Supervisory Policy Manual (SPM) modules to incorporate guidelines issued by the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision and the Financial Stability Board.

BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL TIMES | 11 OCTOBER 2017

[Accountant-General's staff to receive training from ACCA](#)

October 11, 2017 Source: Norvan Acquah-Hayford/thebftonline.com/Ghana The Controller and Accountant General's Department (CAGD) has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the Ghana office of the world's leading accountancy body – ...

FINANCIAL NEWS | 9:12, 10 OCTOBER 2017

[FSB tells regulators to keep up benchmark reform momentum; Concerns remain over the way some key benchmarks are calculated and the progress made in switching to new rates](#)

The body tasked with ensuring global financial stability has said it still has concerns about how some key benchmarks are calculated and stressed the need for national regulators to intensify their efforts to bring in new risk-free rates.

ASSOCIATION OF CHARTERED CERTIFIED ACCOUNTANTS (ACCA) | 20:00, 9 OCTOBER 2017

[ACCA awards Paul Druckman with Honorary Membership](#)

Paul's contribution to the development of global standards, a mission shared by ACCA, is unrivalled and he is truly a worthy recipient of the rare award of ACCA honorary membership. He has helped to fundamentally change and enhance the ...

ACCOUNTING TODAY ONLINE | 10 OCTOBER 2017

[Anti-Fraud Collaboration issues case study](#)

The Anti-Fraud Collaboration between the Center for Audit Quality, Financial Executives International, the Institute of Internal Auditors and the National Association of Corporate Directors has released the fourth in a series of case ...

THE WALL STREET JOURNAL ONLINE | 11:52, 11 OCTOBER 2017

[Era of Public-Company Deregulation Gets Off to a Modest Start; SEC approves proposal to streamline aspects of](#)

[corporate annual reports](#)

WASHINGTON—A government overhaul of regulations that are blamed for discouraging many hot startups from going public is getting off to a modest start.

CHINESE INSTITUTE OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS | 21 SEPTEMBER 2017

[2017 Cross-straits, Hong Kong SAR and Macau SAR](#)

[Accountancy Profession Conference Convened in Ningxia](#)

The 2017 Cross-straits, Hong Kong SAR and Macau SAR Accountancy Profession Conference was hosted by the Chinese Institute of Certified Public Accountants (CICPA) in Ningxia Hui Autonomous Region, China on September 18th 2017.