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The Institute of Internal Auditors (CIA)	<a href="http://www.theiia.org">www.theiia.org</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Established in 1941, The Institute of Internal Auditors (IIA) is an international professional association of more than 111,000 members with global headquarters in Altamonte Springs, Fla., United States.</li> <li>Throughout the world, The IIA is recognized as the internal audit profession's leader in certification, education, research, and technological guidance.</li> <li>The Certified Internal Auditor (CIA®) designation is the only globally accepted certification for internal auditors and remains the standard by which individuals demonstrate their competency and professionalism in the internal auditing field.</li> </ul> <p>Candidates leave the program enriched with educational experience, information, and business tools that can be applied immediately in any organization or business environment.</p> <p><b>Computer Based Testing</b> The CIA exam is available through computer-based testing, allowing you to test year-round at more than 500 locations worldwide. Through the The IIA's online Certification Candidate Management System (CCMS), candidates may apply/register for certification programs/exams and access their records online.</p>	<p>CIA candidates must hold a bachelor's degree or its equivalent from an accredited college-level institution.</p> <p>Work experience will not substitute for an appropriate degree. A copy of the candidate's diploma, transcripts, or other written proof of completion of a degree program must accompany the candidate's application.</p> <p>The IIA will accept student candidates into the CIA program who are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Enrolled as a senior in an undergraduate program or as a graduate student;</li> <li>Full-time students as defined by the institution in which the student is enrolled (a minimum of 12 semester hours or its equivalent is required for undergraduate students and nine semester hours for graduate students);</li> </ul> <p>Register for and take the CIA exam while enrolled in school.</p> <p><b>Exam Content</b> The Certified Internal Auditor® (CIA®) exam tests a candidate's knowledge of current internal auditing practices and understanding of internal audit issues, risks and remedies. The exam is offered in four parts, each part consisting of 100 multiple-choice questions.</p> <p>Parts 1, 2, and 3 are considered the core global syllabus of the CIA exam - offering a strong focus on corporate governance and risk issues and exhibiting alignment with The IIA's <i>Professional Practices Framework</i>. Part IV of the CIA exam is designed for modification for regional and audit specialization testing. Hence, The IIA offers Professional Recognition Credit for Part 4 (PRC-4) for qualified professional certifications.</p> <p><b>Exam Nondisclosure</b> The CIA exam is a nondisclosed examination, which means that current exam questions and answers will not be published or divulged.</p> <p><b>Exam Preparation Resources</b> The Certified Internal Auditor® (CIA®) exam is a self-study exam and does not require a prescribed curriculum. Candidates may choose their own method of preparing for the exam.</p> <p><b>Professional Recognition Credit</b></p> <p><b>Eligibility</b> CIA candidates who have successfully completed the examination requirements for certain other professional certifications are eligible to receive credit for Part 4 of the CIA exam through the Professional Recognition Credit (PRC4) option, in lieu of sitting for Part 4. Credit is not available for Parts 1, 2, or 3 of the CIA exam. Candidates who attain PRC4 and pass Parts 1, 2, and 3 will have satisfied the examination requirement for the CIA designation.</p> <p>CIA candidates can obtain PRC4 either through an IIA specialty certification (CCSA, CGAP, or CFSA) or through an approved non-IIA certification. CIA candidates who have passed an IIA specialty certification exam will automatically receive PRC4 and do not need to register for PRC4 or submit further documentation.</p> <p><b>Continuing Professional Education (CPE)</b> The Board of Regents requires that after certification, CIAs, CCSAs, CGAPs, and CFSAs maintain their knowledge and skills and stay abreast of improvements and current developments in their area of certification through Continuing Professional Education (CPE). This is facilitated through a self-certification process with the completion and reporting of required CPE hours on a biennial basis.</p> <p><b>Special Exam Instructions for Certain Countries Outside North America</b></p> <p>The Certified Internal Auditor® (CIA®), Certification in Control Self-Assessment® (CCSA®), Certified Government Auditing Professional® (CGAP®), and Certified Financial Services Auditor® (CFSA®) are the only internationally accepted designations for internal auditors.</p> <p><b>Candidates from the following countries must contact their local country representative for all exam matters:</b> Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Bulgaria, China, Chinese Taiwan, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Greece, Indonesia, Israel, Italy, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Mexico, Morocco, The Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Philippines, Singapore, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, and Turkey.</p> <p>Candidates from the countries listed below must contact their local country representative to register for the exam, submit paperwork and payment fees, and receive assistance. Many of these institutes have signed certification agreements with The IIA that enable them to translate the exam into their native language, develop a regional Part IV, translate examination review materials, and register candidates according to local educational and professional norms. Many of these institutes also offer the exams in local languages.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Part I - The Internal Audit Activity's Role in Governance, Risk, and Control</li> <li>Part II - Conducting the Internal Audit Engagement</li> <li>Part III - Business Analysis and Information Technology</li> <li>Part IV - Business Management Skills</li> </ul>	A score of 600 out of 750 in each paper.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Certification in Control Self-Assessment (CCSA)</li> <li>Certified Government Auditing Professional (CGAP)</li> <li>Certified Financial Services Auditor (CFSA)</li> </ol>