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## President's message

Dear Chapter Members,

It was great meeting some of you at the AGM. I was happy to see some new faces at the event. For the first time we were able to make the event free for our members to enable them to vote for the new Board and participate in the discussion on our fiscal results. The event allowed our members to network with others in the professional community. We have concluded another financial year and are proud to report that we have been able to provide you with additional events and services and yet maintain a balanced budget. We ended the year with a modest surplus of \$186 and have maintained our reserves at over \$40,000. We have made no changes to the chapter fees which are remaining at \$25 per person.

Our Spring Conference, held on May 27th was a success. We want to thank the members who attended the event in support of the chapter. We had a wide variety of topics and had included some senior IT leaders from the industry to share their experiences. I would like to once again thank Ray Mingle our Program Director for his efforts in organizing the conference. We were able to have the conference at the usual venue and with similar facilities and meals and yet not increase the fees – fully cognizant of the state of the economy.



We always welcome ideas from our members to improve our service to the members and the professional IT community at large. Please convey any ideas you may have to any of the board members.

I hope you all have a fun summer.

Sanjeev Saha,  
President

### Call for Articles

We are always looking for interesting technical articles from members of the Calgary Chapter.

Interested individuals should contact the editor at [newsletter@isaca-calgary.org](mailto:newsletter@isaca-calgary.org)



## 2009-2010 Board of Directors

In accordance with the chapter bylaws, the Board submitted the list of new board members at the Annual General Meeting held on June 25, 2009 at the Fairmont Palliser Hotel.

The complete list of the ISACA Calgary Chapter 2009 - 2010 Board Members is as follows. New members and changes to the board of director are highlighted in blue:

- President Mr. Sanjeev Saha, CISA, ACA, CIA
- Vice President Mr. Shahid Qureshi, MA, CISA, ACMA, FCCA
- **Chapter Treasurer Mr. Louis Fernandes, FCA, CISA**
- Chapter Secretary Ms. Jagruti Sampat, LL.B., FCS, ACIS, CISA
- Director, Education Mr. Raymond Mingle, MBA, ACCA, CISA, CIA
- Director, Membership Mr. Diego Tabares, MBA, CISA
- **Director, Programs Mr. Henry Maphosa, CISA**
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- **Director, Communications Ms. Linda Chan, CISA, CISSP**
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- Webmaster Mr. Alvaro Janikian, CISA, MBA
- CISA/CISM Coordinator Mr. Louis Fernandes, FCA, CISA
- Immediate Past President Mr. Gregory M. Winters, CISA

We would like to thank Maria Hession and Satish Chavali for their contribution while part of the board.

## Monthly ISACA Luncheons

The next monthly luncheon will take place in:

September

The exact date will be communicated shortly.

Time: 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM

Location: Fairmont Palliser Hotel, 133 - 9th Avenue **SW**, Calgary

### About ISACA

With more than 86,000 constituents in more than 160 countries, ISACA® ([www.isaca.org](http://www.isaca.org)) is a leading global provider of knowledge, certifications, community, advocacy and education on information systems assurance and security, enterprise governance of IT, and IT-related risk and compliance. Founded in 1969, ISACA sponsors international conferences, publishes the ISACA® Journal, and develops international information systems auditing and control standards. It also administers the globally respected Certified Information **Systems Auditor™** (CISA®), Certified Information Security Manager® (CISM®) and Certified in the Governance of Enterprise IT® (CGEIT®) designations.

# Annual General Meeting



The ISACA Calgary Chapter held its Annual General Meeting on June 25, 2009 at the Fairmont Palliser.

The members that attended the meeting participated in the:

- **Approval of the minutes of the previous Annual General Meeting.**
- **Review and election of the new ISACA Calgary Chapter Directors.**
- **Review of the highlights of the 2008-2009 year of operations, including the financial results of the past year.**

Afterwards, a complimentary Business Mixer networking event was held. The ISACA board members that were present got the opportunity to mingle with the chapter members which was a pleasant experience. We also enjoyed some savory appetizers

We thank all of those who took the time to participate in this event.

Harold Cardona



# 2009 Global Events

## COMPUTER AUDIT, CONTROL AND SECURITY (CACS™) CONFERENCES

[www.isaca.org/cacs](http://www.isaca.org/cacs)



Asia-Pacific CACS™  
Kyoto, Japan  
23-24 February 2009  
[www.isaca.org/asiacacs](http://www.isaca.org/asiacacs)



EuroCACS™  
Frankfurt, Germany  
15-18 March 2009  
[www.isaca.org/eurocacs](http://www.isaca.org/eurocacs)



North America CACS™  
Orlando, Florida, USA  
3-7 May 2009  
[www.isaca.org/nacacs](http://www.isaca.org/nacacs)



Oceania CACS™  
Canberra, ACT, Australia  
6-11 September 2009  
[www.isaca.org/oceaniacacs](http://www.isaca.org/oceaniacacs)



Latin America CACS™  
San José, Costa Rica  
20-23 September 2009  
[www.isaca.org/latincacs](http://www.isaca.org/latincacs)

## MANAGEMENT FORUMS

[www.isaca.org/managementforums](http://www.isaca.org/managementforums)



Information Security Management Forum  
1-2 October 2009  
Las Vegas, Nevada, USA



IT Governance Forum  
12-13 October 2009  
Las Vegas, Nevada, USA

## ISACA TRAINING WEEK

[www.isaca.org/trainingweek](http://www.isaca.org/trainingweek)



Houston, Texas, USA  
2-6 March 2009

Nashville, Tennessee, USA  
6-10 April 2009

Denver, Colorado, USA  
18-22 May 2009

Vienna, Austria  
15-19 June 2009

Boston, Massachusetts, USA  
17-21 August 2009

Toronto, Ontario, Canada  
14-18 September 2009

Indianapolis, Indiana, USA  
12-16 October 2009

San Francisco, California, USA  
2-6 November 2009

## International

International Conference  
Los Angeles, California, USA  
19-22 July 2009  
[www.isaca.org/international](http://www.isaca.org/international)



IT Governance, Risk and Compliance Conference  
Las Vegas, Nevada, USA  
14-16 October 2009  
[www.isaca.org/itgrc](http://www.isaca.org/itgrc)



Information Security and  
Risk Management Conference  
[www.isaca.org/isrmc](http://www.isaca.org/isrmc)

Latin America  
Bogotá, Colombia  
30-31 March 2009

North America  
Las Vegas, Nevada, USA  
28-30 September 2009

Europe  
Amsterdam, The Netherlands  
November 2009

*All dates and locations  
are subject to change.*



# Spring Conference Success



The Spring Conference was held at the Palliser Hotel on May 27th. Not only did it provide relevant and sound learning, it gave the participants an opportunity to network with others in the professional community and also allowed them to earn nine quality CPE credits - all in one day.

A total of 33 members acquired new knowledge on a wide array of topics that ranged from business continuity and IT governance to the challenges of compliance, security and governance in recently merged companies.

We received positive feedback on the conference, speakers and topics. Also, we enjoyed the service and facilities of the Palliser.

We want to thank all the speakers for their time and dedication and helping make it a success.



We want to thank CCH Teammate for sponsoring this event.

**Don't miss the opportunity** to enhance your skills, to network with others in the professional community and also to earn quality CPE credits, all in one day, in our Fall Conference.

Harold Cardona

# ISACA Global News

## e-Symposia Archive

DATE	Topic	CPE Hours
28 July 2009	PCI Compliance: A Holistic View	3
23 June 2009	Harmonizing Security and Compliance	3
26 May 2009	Web Application Security: Intelligent Choices	3
28 April 2009	IT Audit: Challenges and Opportunities	3

To register for the next e-symposium and take the first step toward earning free CPE credits, please visit [isaca.brighttalk.com](http://isaca.brighttalk.com). E-symposia are recorded and archived for viewing on demand. For more information, please visit [www.isaca.org/webcasts](http://www.isaca.org/webcasts).

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## CISA Wins Award

*SC Magazine* has named CISA the winner of the Best Professional Certification Program. **ISACA's CISM was also a finalist in the same category. CISA and other 2009 Professional Awards winners** were chosen by a panel of 22 judges from major corporations and public-sector organizations that were hand-picked by *SC Magazine's* editorial team for their breadth of knowledge and experience in the information security industry.

## CISA Holders Exempt From CEH Exam

ISACA is proud to announce that those who are CISA certified are provided an exemption from the Certified Ethical Hacker (CEH) exam and allowed to automatically take the EC-Council Certified Security Analyst (ECSA) exam, which leads to the Licensed Penetration Tester (LPT) certification.

## ISACA Adds eLibrary Member Benefits

ISACA has developed the ISACA eLibrary to provide on-demand access to a wealth of readily usable information. The ISACA eLibrary is a comprehensive collection of content from nearly all ISACA/ITGI-published books and more than 250 additional titles—all available free-of-charge as a benefit of ISACA membership. Benefits of this new feature include:

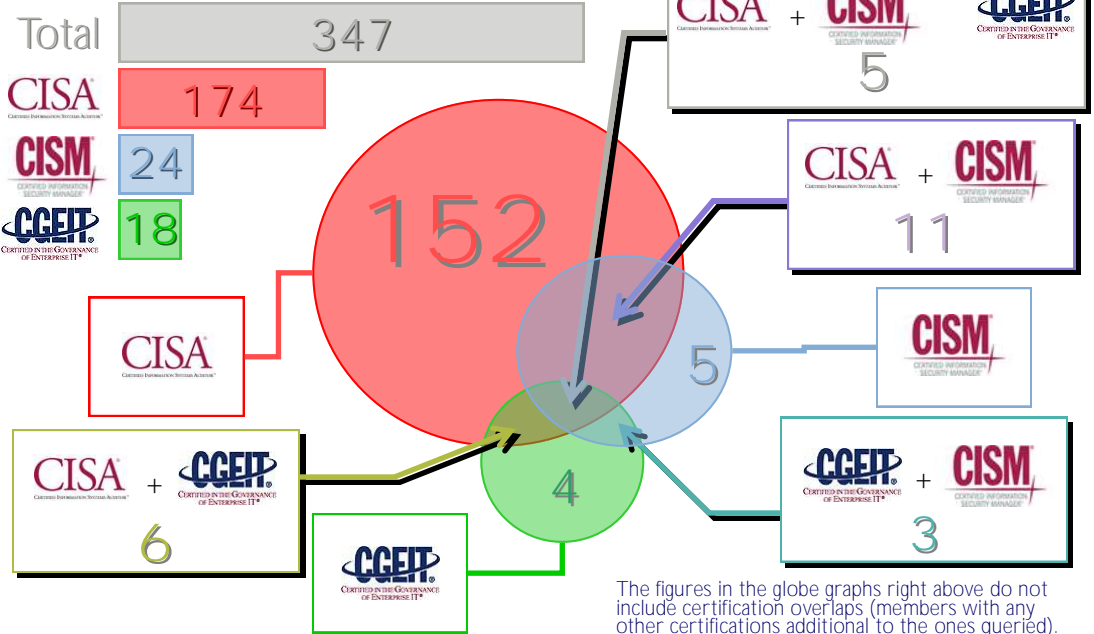
- Access to all books and the ability to browse the content immediately
- Downloads of up to five chapters per month from the available book titles
- A robust search mechanism
- A private bookshelf for the most frequently accessed book titles for each individual user
- The ability to easily purchase a book after browsing online
- Bookmarking ability of the content a user needs most
- Effortless creation of citations

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# Chapter Membership Information

The figures in the bar graphs right below are inclusive of those who hold more than one certification. For example, if an individual holds the CISA, CISM and CGEIT certifications, they will count towards the CISA, CISM and CGEIT totals.

## Distribution by Certification



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## Membership

ISACA's annual mid-year dues incentive will soon be in place. Any new members who join between July 1 and August 6 will be charged only 50 percent of the international association dues, plus the new member processing fee and chapter dues, for membership through December 31, 2009. Also, any new member joining between August 7, 2009 and May 31, 2010 at regular price, plus the new member processing fee and chapter dues, will get membership through December 31, 2010.

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## by Employment Category

	Total	CISA	CISM	CGEIT
Technology Services/ Consulting	95	49	7	5
Mining/Construction/ Petroleum/Agriculture	70	34	4	3
Public Accounting	51	37	5	4
Other	24	11	2	1
Utilities	16	7	1	-
Financial/Banking	14	5	1	-
Government/Military-National/State/Local	14	5	-	-
Transportation	11	9	1	1
Education/Student	10	2	1	2
Retail/Wholesale/ Distribution	9	5	-	-
Telecommunications/ Communications	9	3	1	1
Health Care/Medical	8	3	1	-
Manufacturing/ Engineering	8	-	-	-
Insurance	4	2	-	1
Legal/Law/Real Estate	2	2	-	-
Advertising/Marketing/ Media	1	-	-	-
Aerospace	1	-	-	-

## by Professional Activity

	Total	CISA	CISM	CGEIT
IS/IT Director/Manager/ Consultant	48	19	3	2
Compliance/Risk/Privacy Director/Manager/Consultant	35	24	1	-
IS/IT Senior Auditor (External/Internal)	33	23	3	-
IS/IT Auditor (External/Internal Staff)	32	11	-	-
IS/IT Audit Director/Manager/ Consultant	30	23	2	5
Security Director/Manager/ Consultant	24	9	6	3
IS/IT Staff	19	9	-	-
Security Staff	16	8	1	1
CAE, General Auditor, Partner, Audit Head/VP/EVP	15	9	1	3
Non-IS/IT Auditor (External/Internal)	12	8	-	-
CEO, President, Owner, General/Executive Manager	11	4	2	2
CIO/CTO, Info Systems/ Technology Executive/VP/EVP	8	1	-	1
CFO, Controller, Treasurer, Finance Executive/VP/EVP	5	3	-	-
CISO/CSO, Security Executive/VP/EVP	3	1	2	1
Student	1	1	-	-
Unknown	55	21	3	-