

2026 PERFORMING AN EFFECTIVE QUALITY ASSESSMENT

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PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Elevate your internal audit function with confidence by mastering the tools and techniques of a successful quality assessment with this transformative course- updated in 2024 to be aligned with the new Global Internal Audit Standards and Quality Assurance Manual.

As internal audit leaders know a strong Quality Assurance and Improvement Program (QAIP)—including periodic internal assessments and external assessments—is essential to demonstrate conformance with The IIA's Global Internal Audit Standards. Beyond compliance, an effective QAIP provides assurance to the audit committee and management that the internal audit activity is efficient, effective, and adding value. It also builds stakeholder confidence and reinforces a culture of quality, leading practices, and professionalism within the audit function.

This hands-on course explores the updated Quality Assessment Manual (QA Manual) and guides you through planning, performing, and evaluating both external and internal quality assessments. Through interactive case studies and practical application of proven tools—including surveys, interview guides, and assessment programs—you'll learn how to assess conformance with the Standards, identify opportunities for improvement, and determine the best quality assessment option for your internal audit activity. Whether you're preparing for an external assessment or strengthening your QAIP, this course gives you the knowledge and resources to drive continuous improvement.

Note: A complimentary digital copy of the Quality Assurance Manual is included with the registration of this course.

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ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

TARGET AUDIENCE	LEVEL III-IV
MEMBER'S FEE	RM3,024.00 All Fees is inclusive of 8% SST
NON-MEMBER'S FEE	RM3,456.00 All Fees is inclusive of 8% SST. <i>EARLY BIRD FEE 10% discount for registration received one (1) month prior to respective workshop dates</i>
DATE	27 & 28 April 2026
TIME	9:00 am – 5:00 pm (Registration will be on Day 1 at 8.30 am)
DELIVERY MODE	Physical Class
LOCATION	Kuala Lumpur
PROGRAMME CODE	2026/KL11
TRAINER	Sivamalar Thuraisingam
CPD POINTS	16

Disclaimer

This course has been planned as a classroom training session. In the event that the training session is converted to virtual format, a rebate of RM300 will be given for each participant. T&C apply.



WHO WILL BENEFIT FROM THIS COURSE?

This course will provide you with the appropriate knowledge and skills to plan, perform, and evaluate the results of an external quality assessment case study. You will also learn about the processes and tools in the IIA Quality Assessment Manual (QA Manual) that can help you identify opportunities to improve your internal audit quality activities.

This course is intended for audit leaders who are either implementing a quality program for the first time, audit leaders who are wishing to improve the efficiency of the existing quality program or are preparing for an external quality assessment.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

- Examine the process flow and templates in the updated QA Manual and explore how these can be used to evaluate conformance with the Standards and identify opportunities for continuous improvement.
- Practice using the QA Manual tools to plan, perform, and evaluate the results of an external quality assessment case study.
- Discuss how to use the QA Manual tools in a periodic self-assessment.
- Evaluate the external quality assessment options and determine which option will work best for your internal audit activity.

OUTLINE

Quality Manual and Process Overview

- The International Professional Practices Framework (IPPF)
- The QAIP Framework
- Overview of the Quality Assessment Manual (QA Manual) and its process flow and tools
- Types of internal audit quality assessments

Planning the Quality Assessment

- Quality assessment scope, objectives, and planning tools
- Key features of planning guides
- Case study – Successful practices, opportunities for improvement, and planning the work
- Key features of surveys
- Case study survey results

Performing the Quality Assessment

- Key features of interview guides (key practices and lessons learned)
- Case study interview results
- Key features of QA programs and supporting tools
- Case study quality assessment program results

Evaluating Quality Assessment Results

- QA Manual evaluation summary tools and assessment criteria
- Applying assessment criteria on common QA scenarios (that require a high level of professional judgment)
- Evaluating case study results, using the assessment criteria
- Key features of the QA Manual reporting tools
- Value-added solutions for the most significant case study opportunities for improvement

Periodic Self-Assessment Application

- Implications of the relevant IPPF guidance
- Applying the IPPF Implementation Guides and QA Manual to common periodic self-assessment scenarios

External Quality Assessment Options

- Implications of the relevant IPPF guidance
- External QA options, and the related pros, cons, and other considerations
- Applying the IPPF Implementation Guides and your business acumen to common external quality assessment scenarios
- How to prepare for an external quality assessment



ABOUT THE TRAINER

SIVAMALAR THURAISSINGAM

CIA (US)

Sivamalar (or Siva) was previously the Senior Technical Manager of The Institute of Internal Auditors Malaysia. Her main responsibilities were to perform QARs and to over seen the research and other technical projects conducted by IIA Malaysia. She has performed over 60 QAs in Malaysia, Sri Lanka, and Bangladesh. The portfolio of QA clients includes internal audit functions in the oil and gas industry, manufacturing, also conducted training and talks on QA and the IPPF (Standards).

She has been in internal auditing for more than 15 years. She started out as an internal audit Executive in a local financial institution. After 5 years in the banking sector, she wanted exposure in other industries and joined a firm which provides internal audit outsourcing services. She was involved in leading audits, finalising reports and diversifying her portfolio into various industries. She is currently a Certified Internal Auditor (CIA) and a member of IIA Malaysia.

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Are you claiming under HRDC SBL Khas?

Yes No

COURSE DETAILS

Course Title 2026 Performing an Effective Quality Assessment

Course Code 2026/KL11 Course Date(s) 27 & 28 April 2026

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No. of pax				
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