IESBA Outreach Activities for 2021 to Date

IESBA representatives participated in, or presented, at the following events:

**January**
- Meeting with IEEE Standards Association regarding collaboration opportunities related to ethics and technology (B Friedrich, L Friedrich)
- Course authoring and instruction for the Virginia Society of CPAs on *Ethical Considerations in Diversity, Equity & Inclusion*, linking with the IESBA’s recent revisions to the Code related to the Role & Mindset project (B Friedrich, L Friedrich)
- Panelist at the 2021 International Accounting Section Midyear Meeting which was jointly hosted by the American Accounting Association (AAA) and the International Association for Accounting Education and Research (IAAER) (Jules)

**February**
- *Ethical Leadership in an Era of Complexity and Digital Change* workshop jointly hosted by CPA Canada, ICAS, and IFAC (Presenters/Facilitators: Barbour, B Friedrich, L Friedrich, Leung; Participants: Ashley, Borgerth, Clark, Gibson, Jules, Siong, Takwani)
- Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants (HKICPA) Webinar on Revisions to the Code of Ethics to Promote Role and Mindset of Professional Accountants (Lee)
- Presentation to the South African Institute of Chartered Accountants (SAICA) on IESBA’s workplan and strategy (Leung)
- Meeting with CPA Alberta regulator to discuss how the international standards form part of the regulation of CPAs in Canada (B Friedrich)
- Article, *CPAs and AI: Adding Value Through Ethical Leadership* in CPA BC’s inFocus magazine (L Friedrich)
- Bombay Management Association’s Global Conclave on Ethics (Siong)
- Panel session at the Anti-corruption Conference hosted by the Association of National Accountants of Nigeria (ANAN), Pan African Federation of Accountants (PAFA) and IFAC (Thomadakis, Adam)
- Meeting with PAFA Technical Director, Lebogang Senne (Siong, Jules, Leung)

**March**
- IESBA CAG meeting (Thomadakis, Lee, B. Friedrich, L. Friedrich, Huesken, Gunn, Siong, Jules, Kwan, Leung, Sramko, Vijian)
- Panel session at the Audit Committee Conference 2021 hosted by Malaysian Institute of Accountants (MIA) and the Institute of Internal Auditors Malaysia (IIA Malaysia) regarding NOCLAR, Pressure, Inducements and Role and Mindset pronouncements (Lee)
- Forum of Firms meeting (Lee, [others TBC])
- Panel session at the 2021 Global Anti-corruption and Integrity Forum hosted by the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) (Lee)
• Meeting with the Standards Coordination Working Group (SCWG) of the International Forum of Independent Audit Regulators (IFIAR) (Thomadakis, Lee, Soulier, Siong, Jules, Vijian)

April

• Meeting with the IFAC Small and Medium Practices (SMP) Advisory Group (Mintzer, Siong, Jules, Leung, Sramko, Vijian)

May

• Meeting with the Committee of European Auditing Oversight Bodies (CEAOB) to discuss the IESBA’s Technology workstream (Thomadakis, Lee, Friedrich, Huesken, Siong, Jules, Leung)
• Keynote speaker at the 31st Audit & Assurance Conference hosted by the British Accounting & Finance Association (Thomadakis)
• IESBA-National Standard Setters meeting (Thomadakis, Lee, [others TBC])
• Presentation to the Auditing Subcommittee of the International Organization of Securities Commissions (IOSCO) to discuss the Engagement Team – Group Audits Independence project (Soulier, Siong, Vijian)
• IESBA CAG meeting (Thomadakis, Lee, Poll, Siong, Jules, Kwan, Leung, Sramko, Vijian)
• Panel session at the 15th Anniversary of the Accounting Professional & Ethical Standards Board (APESB) (Thomadakis)

June

• Joint Standard-setting Board Chairs’ presentation at IFAC Board meeting (Thomadakis, Gunn, Siong)

September

• Panelist at a symposium on Auditor Independence hosted by the European Auditing Research Network (EARNet) – Amsterdam, Netherlands (Poll)
• IESBA CAG meeting (TBC)

October

• Forum of Firms meeting (TBC)

November

• Panelist at a hybrid conference jointly hosted by the International Association for Accounting Education & Research (IAAER) and Taiwan Accounting Association to discuss “Disruptive Technology & Fraud, Assurance Engagements, International Code of Ethics and Academic Research” (B Friedrich)