

2015 IESBA Outreach and Related Activities**January**

- Meeting with Pat Sucher, outgoing Chair; and Nic Van der Ende, incoming Chair, Basel Committee on Banking Supervision's Audit Subgroup – London, UK (Thomadakis, Kwok, Siong)
- Meeting with Robert Hodgkinson, Executive Director, Technical; Jean Ettridge, Head of International Affairs; and Martin Manuzzi, Director of European Affairs – London, UK (Thomadakis, Kwok, Bromell, Siong)
- Meeting with John Griffith-Jones, Chairman, UK Financial Conduct Authority – London, UK (Thomadakis, Kwok, Siong)
- Meeting with Nick Land, Chair, Codes and Standards; Stephen Haddrill, Chief Executive; Melanie McClaren, Executive Director, Codes and Standards; and Marek Grabowski, Director of Audit Policy, Codes and Standards, UK Financial Reporting Council – London, UK (Thomadakis, Kwok, Fleck, Siong)
- Meeting with Rod Devlin, EMA Head of Quality & Risk Management; Sylvia Smith, Global ISA Network Leader; and Pete Rodgers, Deputy General Counsel, KPMG – London, UK (Thomadakis, Kwok, Hughes, Siong)
- Meeting with Richard Sexton, Vice Chair, Global Assurance; Georg Kaempfer, Global Public Policy & Regulatory Affairs Leader; and Diana Hillier, Partner, PwC – London, UK (Thomadakis, Kwok, Siong)
- Interview for January 2015 edition of IFAC Digest (Gaa, Gardner, Kato)

February

- Teleconference with IOSCO Committee 1 Auditing Subgroup (Thomson, Hughes, Gunn, Siong, Stevens, Higgs)
- Meeting with IOSCO Committee 1 – Madrid, Spain (Thomadakis, Fleck, Siong)
- Meeting with David Wright, IOSCO Secretary General (Thomadakis, Siong)
- Meeting with the International Organization of Supreme Audit Institutions (INTOSAI) ISSAI 30 Revision Team – Warsaw, Poland (Sylph)
- Hong Kong Outreach:
 - Meeting with Mark Dickens, Chief Executive, and staff, Hong Kong Financial Reporting Council – Hong Kong (Thomadakis, Siong)
 - Meeting with Dennis Ho, President; Raphael Ding, Chief Executive; Raymond Cheng, Chair, IFAC Small and Medium Practices (SMP) Committee Ethics Working Group; and Chris Joy, Executive Director, Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants – Hong Kong (Thomadakis, Siong)
 - Meeting with Carlson Tong, Chairman; and Charles Grieve, Senior Director Corporate Finance, Hong Kong Securities and Futures Commission – Hong Kong (Thomadakis, Kwok, Siong)

Schedule of IESBA Outreach and Related Activities
IESBA Meeting (September 2015)

- Meeting with Ugo Bassi, Director of Enterprise Investment and Reporting; Nathalie Berger, Head of Audit Unit; and Juan Maria Arteagoitia, European Commission – Brussels, Belgium (Thomadakis, Gardner)
- Interview for February 2015 edition of Accounting Today (Thomadakis)

March

- Teleconference with Raymond Cheng, Chair of the Ethics Working Group of the IFAC SMP Committee (Caswell)
- Meeting with Monitoring Group – Paris, France (Thomadakis, Sapet, Gunn, Siong)
- Meeting with representatives of Accounting & Auditing Standards Board of Bhutan (AASBB): Ugen Chewang, Chairman and Auditor General of Royal Audit Authority of Bhutan; Nim Dorji, Vice Chair and Joint Secretary of Ministry of Finance; Karma Tenzin, Chair, Technical Working Committee; and Sonam Wangdi, Secretary General – New York, USA (Siong)
- IESBA Consultative Advisory Group (CAG) Meeting – New York, USA (Thomadakis, Kwok, Gardner, Hannaford, Orbea, Thomson, Siong, Stevens, Gandhi, Higgs)
- Meeting with Arnold Schilder, Chair; Chuck Landes, Deputy Chair; and Kathy Healy, Technical Director, International Auditing and Assurance Standards Board (IAASB) – New York, USA (Thomadakis, Kwok, Gunn, Siong)
- Meeting with Paul Herring, Global Head – Governance and Risk Management; and Kim Gibson, Executive Director, Regulatory Matters, Grant Thornton – New York, USA (Thomadakis, Kwok, Thomson, Siong)
- Meeting with Rich Huesken, Global Vice-Chair, Independence; and Felice Friedman, Deputy Global Public Policy leader, EY – New York, USA (Thomadakis, Kwok, Siong)
- Meeting with Julie Erhardt, Chair, IOSCO Committee 1 – Washington D.C, USA (Thomadakis, Kwok, Siong)
- Meeting with Jim Doty, Chair; Steve Harris, Member; Martin Baumann, Chief Auditor, and staff, U.S. Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (PCAOB) – Washington D.C, USA (Thomadakis, Kwok, Siong)
- International Auditing and Assurance Standards Board (IAASB) meeting – Brussels, Belgium (Gardner, Siong)
- IFAC Professional Accountants in Business (PAIB) Committee meeting – Brussels, Belgium (Fleck)
- Participation in and presentation at PIOB events, including a public seminar with the local regulator and a joint session of the PIOB with Standard-Setting Board (SSB) and CAG chairs – Abu Dhabi (Thomadakis, Gunn)

April

- Presentation to Study Union of the Aarhus Universitet, Denmark – New York, USA (Siong)
- Forum of Firms Meeting – London, UK (Hughes)

May

- Meeting with Wallace Gregory, Managing Director, Global Independence, Deloitte – New York, USA (Thomadakis, Siong)
- Meeting with Nicola Roxon, Chairman; and Channa Wijesinghe, Technical Director, Accounting Professional & Ethical Standards Board (APESB) – New York, USA (Thomadakis, Gunn, Siong)
- IESBA-National Standard Setters meeting – New York, USA (Thomadakis, Gaa, Gardner, Hannaford, Thomson, Gunn, Siong, Stevens, Gandhi, Higgs)
- Third African Congress of Accountants – Mauritius (Kateka)
- Meeting with Jamal Milhem, Vice-President of the Palestinian Association of Certified Public Accountants – New York, USA (Siong)
- Participation in INTOSAI Professional Standards Committee's Steering Committee Meeting – Ottawa, Canada (Gunn)
- Interview with Accounting Today, *Ethical Challenges for Accountants* (Ighodaro)

June

- IFAC SMP Committee meeting – New York, USA (Caswell, Siong, Higgs)
- Meeting with Giancarlo Attolini, Chair; Monica Foerster, Deputy Chair; and staff of the IFAC Small and Medium Practices (SMP) Committee – Washington D.C, USA (Thomadakis)
- Joint Standard-Setting Board Chairs' session, IFAC Board meeting – Washington D.C, USA (Thomadakis)
- IAASB meeting – New York, USA (Thomadakis, Siong)
- Meeting with the INTOSAI ISSAI 30 Revision Team – Warsaw, Poland (Sylph)
- PIOB Meeting (by teleconference) – Madrid, Spain (Thomadakis, Gunn)

July

- Presentation to students at the State University of New York at Oswego – New York, USA (Caswell)
- Interview in Global Accountant magazine (Kwok)
- Interview in Accounting Today (Kwok)

August

- Article in August 2015 edition of Accountancy Ireland magazine, "[A New Path of Duty](#)" (Thomadakis, Hughes, Thomson, Siong)

September

- IESBA CAG Meeting – New York, USA (Thomadakis, Kwok, Gaa, Gardner, Hannaford, Orbea, Thomson, Gunn, Siong, Gandhi, Higgs)

- PIOB 10th Anniversary Seminar, “Future Challenges in Audit Oversight” – Madrid, Spain (Thomadakis, Gunn)

October

- Meeting with the Standards Coordination Working Group of the International Forum of Independent Audit Regulators (IFIAR) – Tokyo, Japan (Thomadakis, Gunn, Siong)
- Japan outreach – Tokyo, Japan (Thomadakis, Kato, Siong), including:
 - Meeting with leadership of the Japanese Institute of Certified Public Accountants (JICPA)
 - Interview with the JICPA executive for the JICPA Journal
 - Seminar for JICPA members and Japanese stakeholders
- Singapore outreach (Thomadakis, Kwok, Siong), including:
 - Meeting with Gerard Ee, President, and Lee Fook Chew, Chief Executive, Institute of Singapore Chartered Accountants (ISCA)
 - Meeting with Kenneth Yap, Chief Executive, and other members of the leadership, Accounting Corporate Reporting Authority
 - Interview for ISCA magazine
- Forum of Firms – New York, USA (Thomson, Siong)
- Meeting with European Audit Inspection Group (EAIG) – Malta (Fleck, Gunn, Siong)
- 19th Confederation of Asian and Pacific Accountants (CAPA) Conference – Seoul, Korea (Kwok, Kato)

November

- Meeting with Admire Ndurunduru, Secretary, Public Accountants and Auditors Board of Zimbabwe – New York, USA (Siong)

December

- Meeting with the members of the new common forum for INTOSAI's Framework of Professional Standards – New York, USA (Gunn)