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Special Note:

This document contains information for candidates who are serviced globally by IIA Global (via CCMS) as well as candidates whose certification is administered through local Institutes. Differences between the two groups are called out where applicable throughout the document.

The following table lists countries that administer candidate certification through the local Institute.

Argentina	Australia	Austria
Belgium	Brazil	Bulgaria
China	Chinese Taiwan	Czech Republic
France	Germany	Greece
Indonesia	Italy	Japan
Korea	Malaysia	Mexico
Morocco	The Netherlands	New Zealand
Norway	Philippines	Singapore
South Africa	Spain	Sweden
Switzerland	Thailand	Turkey

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- 1. What is the CRMA?
 - The Certification in Risk Management Assurance (CRMA) is the newest certification program offered by The IIA.
- 2. Why should I get the CRMA?

Earning the CRMA will assist you in demonstrating your ability to:

- Provide assurance on core business processes in risk management and governance.
- Educate management and the audit committee on risk and risk management concepts.
- Focus on strategic organizational risks.
- Add value for your organization.
- 3. Who is the CRMA designed for?
 - The CRMA is designed for internal auditors and others interested in Risk Management Assurance.
- 4. What are the requirements for the CRMA?
 - The requirements for the CRMA exam will be slightly different than those for other IIA specialty certification programs. The CIA exam Part 1 and a combination of education, experience, and character reference will be required for all candidates. Visit the Certifications web site for the most up to date requirements. https://global.theiia.org/certification/crma-certification/Pages/Eligibility-Requirements.aspx
- 5. How much does it cost to take the CRMA exam?
 - The cost for the CRMA core exam is US \$350. (Member price, Non-Member price is US \$450. Plus applicable application fees) Pricing set as of 1 January 2013 this price is subject to change and may vary depending upon where in the world you may live and Institutes you may belong to. For the most up to date price information please visit: https://global.theiia.org/certification/Pages/Pricing-Structure.aspx
- 6. When will testing begin for the CRMA?
 - Testing has begun for the CRMA core exam, effective 1 October 2013.
- 7. Where will the CRMA be offered and in what format?
 - The CRMA exam will be initially offered in English only in the current computerbased testing (CBT) format of our other exams, and will be available in all of our testing centers worldwide. Visit http://pearsonvue.com/iia/ to locate testing center location near you.

- 8. What language(s) will the CRMA be offered in?
 - At launch in 2013, the CRMA will only be offered in English. A decision will be made after launch as to whether the exam will be translated and into which languages based on candidate demand and local Institute input.
- 9. When can I register for the CRMA exam?
 - Registration began 1 May 2013. You may register anytime.
- 10. How will I register for the CRMA exam?
 - Registration for the CRMA exam will be similar to that of our other exams.
 Candidates can log into CCMS or contact their local institute as applicable.
- 11. How will I schedule the CRMA exam?
 - You can schedule to sit for the CRMA exam in the same manner as all other CBT exams. Once approved, visit our CBT provider at www.pearsonvue.com/iia and schedule your exam time and location.
- 12. What content will be tested on the CRMA?
 - The content that will be tested can be found in the exam syllabus which can be found here.
- 13. When and where can I get study materials for the CRMA?
 - Visit this link for preparation resources and materials
 https://global.theiia.org/certification/crma-certification/Pages/Exam-Preparation-Resources.aspx
- 14. What are the CPE requirements for the CRMA?
 - Practicing CRMAs must earn 20 CPE hours each year. Non-practicing CRMAs must earn a
 total of 10 CPE hours each year. Retired CRMAs are not responsible for reporting CPEs
 but must submit a form indicating their status as retired.
- 15. Will I receive 40 hours of CPE for earning the CRMA through the Professional Experience Recognition (PER) provision?
 - For those awarded the CRMA through the PER NO. CPE credit earned when you become
 certified through our other exams is awarded due to the amount of time spent studying
 and preparing for the exam. Since the CRMA PER is awarded based on experience versus
 preparing for an exam, no CPE will be awarded.

- 16. Will I receive 40 hours of CPE for successfully earning the CRMA through examination?
 - For the year in which the CRMA certification is earned, 40 hours of CPE are earned. (Candidates receive 20 hours in the year the certification is awarded and 20 hours the subsequent year). The 40 CPE hours awarded for the CRMA certification are based on earning the certification, and are not NASBA approved.

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The PER has ended, if you applied for the PER for the CRMA and have never received a response from the Professional Certifications Department, please access your record in CCMS and log an incident.

If you wish to obtain the CRMA at this point you must apply, register for, and take the CRMA exam.