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# 51<sup>st</sup> World Continuous Auditing & Reporting Symposium

## November 5 & 6, 2021

**FROM VISION TO REALITY: CRYPTOASSETS, BLOCKCHAIN ACCOUNTING, TAX, AND AUDITING**

### Invitation

We are pleased to announce that the **51<sup>st</sup> World Continuous Auditing & Reporting Symposium (51 WCARS)** will be held virtually on **November 5 & 6, 2021**. On behalf of the Continuous Auditing & Reporting Lab (CAR Lab), we invite you to attend our annual symposium. The theme for this year is: ***From Vision to Reality: Cryptoassets, Blockchain Accounting, Tax, And Auditing.***

The 51 WCARS is the leading forum for the discussion of research and practice into the application of technology to auditing and reporting. The aim of the conference is to provide a forum for all stakeholders, be it accounting customers, regulators, the Big-4 and regional accounting firms, internal auditors, and technology vendors to share experiences, best practices, and emerging technologies.

Due to the uncertainties caused by the Delta variant, our conference this year will once again be entirely online. Our first virtual conference last year was an outstanding success, with record attendance and spirited presentations and we hope to do even better this year. Most participants come from the internal audit departments of leading businesses and governmental organizations, as well from the vendor community. Commercial firms in the IT space often appear along with their lead customers to demonstrate their product's ROI and best practices.

**To maintain the exclusivity of the event, the conference will be available online only to registered attendees.** We urge you to register before the early-bird registration deadline of October 29, 2021.

15 NASBA CPE credits will be awarded for the two-day program which will be offered on an "UPDATE" level. No prior training is required to attend. This program is classified as an Update, since the target audience is academics, students, accounting & auditing professionals who want to be informed about new emerging technologies and best practices in auditing.

Details of the 51 WCARS will be forthcoming on the Symposium website: <http://raw.rutgers.edu/51wcars.html>. If you have any questions, please contact Barbara Jensen at [bjensen@business.rutgers.edu](mailto:bjensen@business.rutgers.edu). We welcome your attendance and hope to see you at this year's event.

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