

## PAST EVENTS

Workshop to launch audits of technical universities, polytechnics, Rural Enterprise Programme and Business Advisory Centres held in Accra

Workshop to review guidance note for auditors to detect irregularity and managing the Disallowance and Surcharge Process held in Accra



3rd Biannual Conference of Regional Auditors held in Ho

Accra Workshop to launch audits of World Bank funded projects across the country held in Accra



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## Controlling the spread of COVID19.



## CHANGES IN LEADERSHIP

- AAG/Internal Audit - Patrick James Neequaye
- AAG/CGAD/ Finance - Samuel Nii Odartey Lamptey
- AAG/DAD - Samuel Frimpong Manso
- AAG/EID- Elizabeth Botchway
- AAG/IT Audit - Johnson Owusu
- AAG/PA and PR - Chris Adgin-Doku
- RA/Upper East Region - Seidu Kyei Ahmed
- RA/Upper West Region - Emmanuel Botchway
- RA/Ahafo Region - Veronica Torbi
- RA/Eastern Region - Selle Justice Bavare

## Highlights from Annual Thanksgiving Service

- \* Keep God first – don't substitute God with a human king pushing God out of the equation
- \* Standards – keep to the standards of auditing
- \* Counsel – let us seek wise counsel
- \* Sincerity – have the right thing in heart and act according to the right things of the heart
- \* Courage – be courageous despite opposition

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- \* AFROSAI-E Governing Board Meeting – postponed to 2021
- \* Presentation of Auditor-General's reports for June 2019-June 2020

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"Well I think you should tell him about the discrepancies we found."

## Mandate

The Office of the Auditor-General (OAG) is the Supreme Audit Institution (SAI) of Ghana and one of the monitoring and accountability organs of the state. It is a Public Service institution set up as the machinery by which the Auditor-General executes his mandate. The [1992](#) Constitution (Articles [184](#), [187](#) and [286](#)) has established a broad mandate for the Auditor-General to carry out. These are summarised as follow:

1. To audit the public accounts of Ghana and any other public office including
  - a. Courts,
  - b. the Central and Local Government Administrations,
  - c. public universities and public institutions of like nature,
  - d. any public corporation or other body or organisation established by an Act of Parliament,
  - e. statement of the Central Bank's foreign exchange receipts and payments or transfers in and outside Ghana.
2. Administer written declarations of all property, assets and liability owned by public office holders

3. Determine and approve the form or manner that public accounts shall be kept.

4. Submit audit reports on the public accounts of Ghana and the statement of the Central Bank's foreign exchange receipts and payments or transfers to Parliament. In these reports, the Auditor-General shall draw attention to irregularities in the accounts audited and make appropriate recommendations.

5. May disallow any item of expenditure contrary to law and surcharge:

- a. the amount of any expenditure disallowed against the person responsible for incurring or authorising the expenditure; or
- b. any sum which has not been duly brought into account, upon the person by whom the sum ought to have been brought into account; or
- c. the amount of any loss or deficiency, upon any person by whose negligence or misconduct the loss or deficiency has been incurred.

### Mission

We promote good governance, transparency, accountability and probity in Ghana's public financial management system by auditing to recognized international standards and reporting our audits results and recommendations to Parliament

Articles and contributions are welcomed from staff

### Vision

To become a world class supreme audit institution, delivering professional, excellent and cost effective auditing services

### REDUCE YOUR RISK OF STROKE.

These are the important steps you can take to lower your risk of stroke:

- Keep your blood pressure in the normal range (120/80)
- If you smoke, quit
- Keep your blood sugar (glucose) in the normal range (fasting 72-99mg/dL and 140mg/dL 2hrs after eating)

- If you have heart disease, treat it
- Keep your cholesterol levels in the normal range (less than 200mg/dL)
- Stay at a healthy weight
- Get active
- Eat healthy

Making these changes can also help lower your risk of heart disease and diabetes.

Source: [www.gov/myhealthfinder](http://www.gov/myhealthfinder)



Health corner

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- \* Principal Security Officer
- \* Hails from Aliba in the Bongo District of the Upper East Region
- \* Joined the Audit Service in April 1996
- \* Watching football and playing draught are his hobbies
- \* A die hard fan of Accra Hearts of Oak
- \* Enjoys his Tuo Zaafi