



Topics

No	Proposed Topics	Implication to the Accounting Profession
1	Integrated Reporting	There is a need for increased useful transparency surrounding board decisions, providing a foundation for constructive management oversight, better and more relevant information for shareholder decisions, and clearer accountability of management. Integrated reporting serves this purpose. Hence, it is time to think integrated, and perhaps consider reporting on information other than historical figures. In fact, the value of companies goes beyond financial capital. Intellectual, human, social, natural, and manufactured capitals are equally important to understanding how companies can increase their value in a sustainable manner.
2	Finance Leadership	CFO is the most senior person involved in the finance function of an organisation. The role of finance functions is rapidly evolving and being redefined to meet the increasing expectations of stakeholders. As such, CFOs are simultaneously challenged to drastically change their traditional finance processes and operational support models in an effort to deliver faster, more accurate and insightful analysis and reporting whilst managing risk and reducing cost.
3	Technology: - Digital - Media	Automation, robotics and blockchain are just a few of the disruptive technologies beginning to reshape the accountancy profession. Accountants need to begin adapting to these technologies (i.e. digital and media technologies) and start putting them into practice in order to stay relevant.
4	Governance: - Corporate Governance - Internal Audit - Risk Management	Good governance is fundamental to the effective functioning of organisation in creating values to the stakeholders. Therefore, governance in an organisation should be more than a compliance exercise designed with the sole purpose of satisfying regulatory requirements.