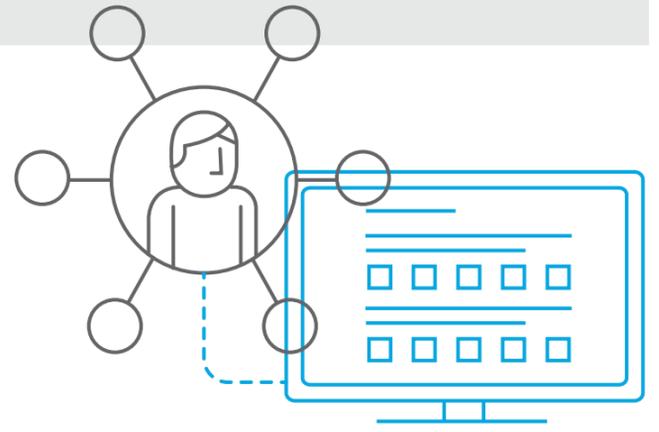
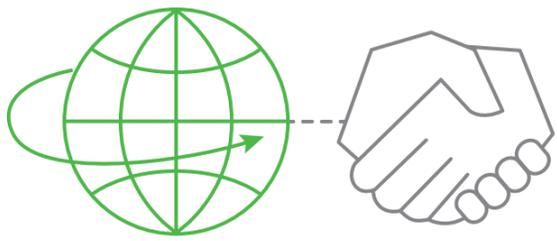


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INTERNAL AUDIT OUTSOURCING?

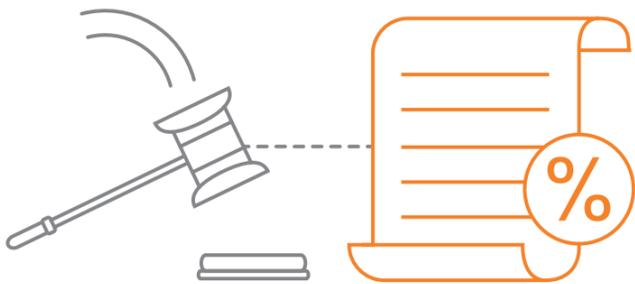


1 Organizational growth: Global expansion and M&A



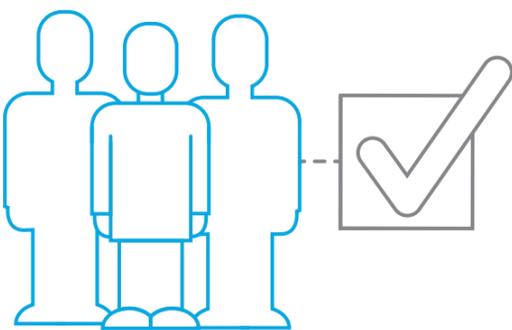
Expanding into new markets and geographies—and adopting complex business processes and systems as a result—can put new pressures on your internal audit function.

2 Regulatory changes: Evolving standards and global complexity



Through frequent changes, the regulatory environment is becoming more difficult to manage both domestically and across the globe.

3 Workforce issues: High demand for talent along with scarcity



Proven, experienced internal auditors are normally highly sought after, but the competition to hire them has become increasingly fierce. Outsourcing allows for access to the expertise of an entire firm without the competition.

4 Resource constraints: Budget pressures challenge internal audit



Many companies face challenges with fixed costs in their internal audit departments. Outsourcing allows for budgetary flexibility.