

# ACCA technology for finance workshops

## We are pleased to invite you to 'Technology for finance' series of workshops.

The series embraces valuable topics on opportunities and challenges data present for the accountancy and finance profession. The imperatives for working with data include:

- Developing new metrics
- Learning new analytical skills
- Creating a visual language of data 'art'
- Cyber crime.

In cooperation with Microsoft, KPMG, FinStat and BlackSwan Rational we would like to share practical experience on case studies and theoretical knowledge. Further we encourage developing a network of new personal contacts and sharing the best practice on the Slovak market.

### PROGRAM OF TECHNOLOGY FOR FINANCE WORKSHOPS

### 1 Open data - Open data trends/usage

14 October 2014

How can finance managers benefit from open data, matching and mapping open data and company data and benefits – credit risk, competitors, business development.

# 2 Procurement health check

9 December 2014

Effective way on how to verify procurement procedures with focus on fraud detection.

3 Context is everything! Advantages and limitations of application of advanced analytical systems in finance

24 February 2015

Critical evaluation of Big Data applications' potential in finance.

Inherited specifics of data-driven projects in finance.

Data security – how to minimize the threat of sensitive data theft. Criteria for proper data anonymisation of Big Data management systems.

4 Megatrends impact on finance – how Cloud, social, mobility and data impact finance April 2015

Power BI – from data to insight and impact. Practical examples of self-service analysis of cost/revenue that most of the companies can relate to.

New trends: dynamic chart capabilities, Bing maps integration, forecasting capabilities.

5 Cybercrime

June 2015

**All workshops will start at 15.00.** The detailed programs and venues of workshops (in Bratislava) will be announced in subsequent invitations. Entrance fee is your business card. Reservation needed. Contact: petra.polednova@accaglobal.com

### THINK DIFFERENTLY

**Check Research and Insights work:** 

ACCA reports – Big Data, Digital Darwinism http://roleofcfo.com/reports Cyber crime

ACCA members will receive invitations in advance for early booking







