

With You Today



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Learning Objectives

Upon completion of this session, participants will be able to:

- Describe the oversight role of the board, in contrast to management, counsel, and auditors, for evaluation and management of enterprise risk.
- Evaluate the effectiveness of management's ERM assessment and management program.
- Identify questions boards should be asking in their oversight of ERM.



Our Agenda Today



Current U.S. Risk Environment



State of Risk Mitigation Programs



Board Criteria For and Concerns About ERM Oversight



Global Risk Considerations



Resources



Current U.S. Risk Environment



Governance Processes that Will Require the Most Significant Time and Effort in

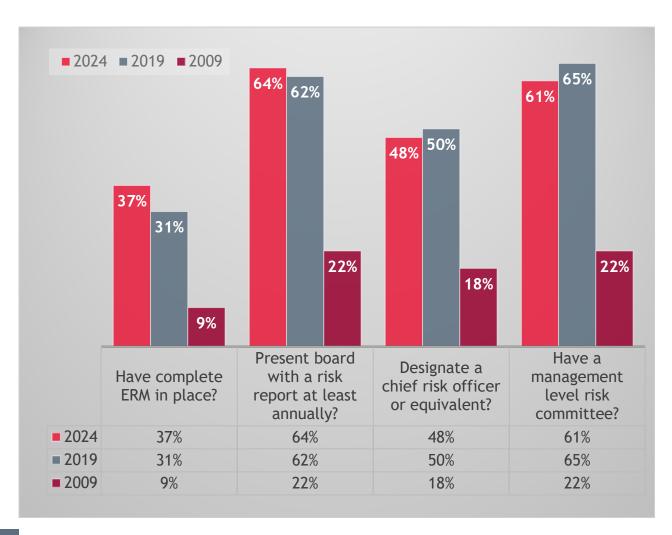
the Next 12 Months Enhancing corporate culture 18.18% **Enterprise risk** management (ERM) Board of director 30.92% refreshment 21.29% Innovating the current corporate Providing continuing board strategy education on emerging risk 30.12% areas 22.49% Engaging shareholders & stakeholders Succession planning for management 22.89% 28.11% Evaluating committee structure and Raising capital responsibilities 27.31% Executive compensation 23.29% strategy 24.90% Source: 2024 BDO Fall Board Survey



State of Risk Mitigation Programs



State of Risk Oversight Report (2024) Findings



Encouraged actions:

- Review the areas of focus and pinpoint one to three areas that offer the greatest opportunity for risk management (RM) enhancements.
- 2. Convene individuals who are part of the executive leadership team and use the five discussion items [in the report's chosen areas of focus] to spur robust and honest conversations about RM.
- 3. Develop a list of action items that address opportunities for improvements in RM capabilities.
- 4. Assign owners to the action items and ask them to create ad hoc working teams to help them address their assigned tasks. Set deadlines for owners to report back to the executive leadership team.
- Keep things simple and try to not overcomplicate processes, always linking risk conversations to the strategy of the organization.

Source: The State of Risk Oversight Report - AICPA/CIMA/ERM Initiative at the Poole College of Management at North Carolina State University



Board Criteria For and Concerns About ERM Oversight



Evolution of Risk Oversight Across U.S. Boardrooms

THE EVOLUTION OF RISK OVERSIGHT ACROSS U.S. BOARDROOMS

Which of the following applies to your board?

The full board has regular conversation around new risks and what they mean for the company

77%

We have formalized enterprise risk oversight in governing documents (including charters)

56%

We're now discussing ERM more frequently than in years past in our board meetings

45%

We have a dedicated risk committee (outside of audit)

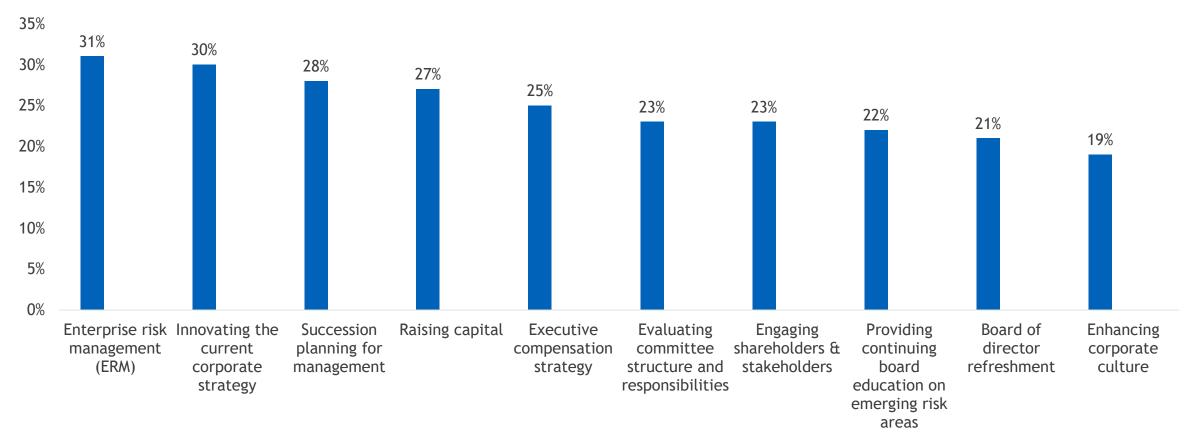
27%

We've recently incorporated new data or solutions into our enterprise risk oversight

26%

Source: Corporate Board Member and Diligent Institute, Director Confidence Index, July 2024 Survey of U.S. Public Company Board Members, BoardMember.com

Governance Processes That Will Require the Most Significant Board Time and Effort in the Next 12 Months



Source: 2024 BDO Fall Board Survey



Global Risk Considerations



Global Risks Landscape: An Interconnections Map

Intrastate violence Censorship and surveillance Erosion of human rights. Natural resource shortages Misinformation and disinformation Critical change to, Terrorist attacks Adverse outcomes of Involuntary migration Earth systems frontier technologies Biodiversity loss and Technological power ecosystem collapse ' concentration Cyber insecurity Interstate armed conflict Pollution (Extreme weather events Adverse outcomes Societal^{*} of Al technologies Non-weather related natural disasters polarization Disruptions to Chronic health conditions critical infrastructure Infectious diseases Biological, chemical Insufficient infrastructure and services or nuclear hazards Disruptions to a systemically Lack of economic opportunity important supply chain Labour shortages Geoeconomic confrontation Concentration of strategic resources Inflation Economic downturn Illicit economic activity Debt Unemployment Nodes Edges Asset bubble bursts. Relative influence Risk influence - High High Medium - Medium ___ Low Economic Environmental Geopolitical Societal Technological Risk categories

Source: World Economic Forum Global Risks Report 2024



Questions?





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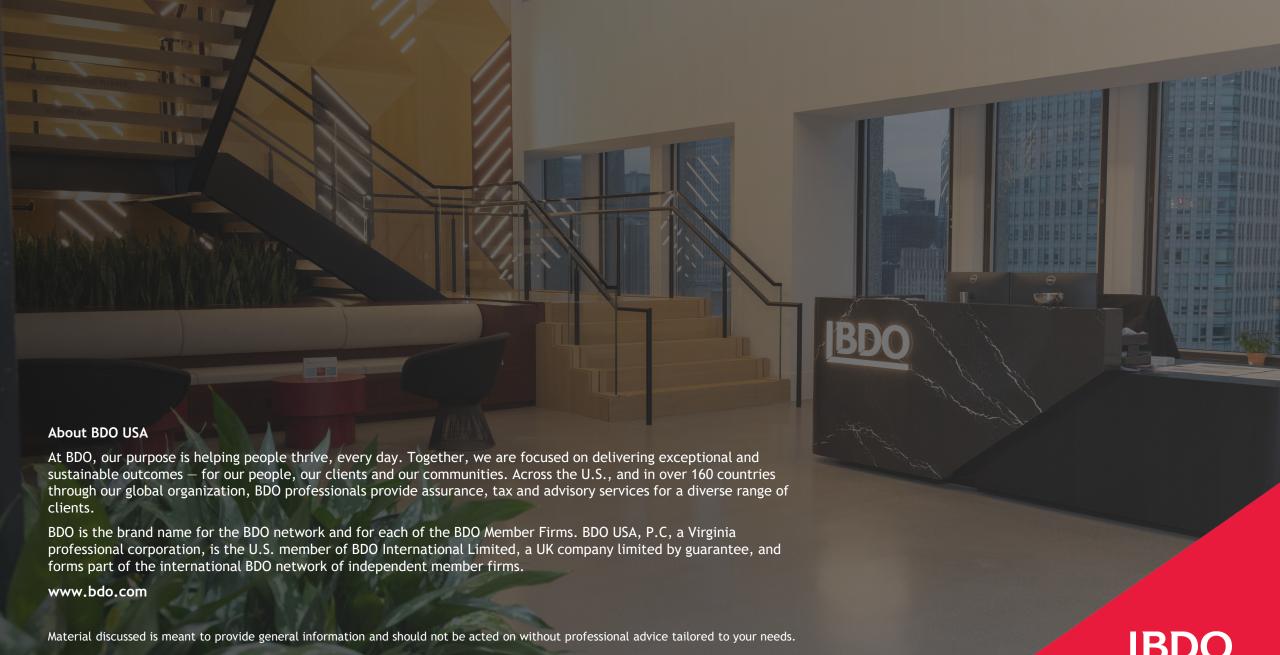
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