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OSIG Auditor Earns CPA Credential

The Virginia Office of the State Inspector General (OSIG) announces that one of its staff has earned the Certified Public Accountant (CPA) credential from the Virginia Board of Accountancy, an official recognition in best practices and core competency areas essential to the work of offices of inspectors general.

OSIG Auditor Zach Yarbrough, a native of Chesterfield County, passed all sections of the rigorous, 16-hour CPA exam on his first attempt, attaining his CPA license effective June 6. The exam covers four core competency areas, including auditing and attestation; financial accounting and reporting; regulation; and business environment and concepts.

“We congratulate Zach on this accomplishment, one that will benefit the agency and those we serve,” said State Inspector General Michael Westfall.

Yarbrough, a graduate of Radford University with a major in accounting, began with OSIG in May 2017.

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