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EDUCATION

- Dec 2019 **University of Kentucky**, Lexington, Kentucky
Doctor of Philosophy, Higher Education
- Dissertation Topic: Endowments of Higher Education Institutions and Individual Income Tax Policy: Wealth Erosion from a Loss in Charitable Contributions
- Aug 2003 **Indiana University Kelley School of Business**, Indianapolis, Indiana
Master of Professional Accountancy
- MPA Program Scholastic Award
Honors in Accounting
- May 1994 **University of Kentucky**, Lexington, Kentucky
Bachelor of Science in Business, Accounting
- University High Distinction Honor
Departmental Honors in Accounting
- 1995 – Present Certified Public Accountant, Kentucky

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

- July 2018 – Present **University of Kentucky**, Lexington, Kentucky
Associate Dean of Undergraduate Affairs. Responsibilities include oversight of undergraduate curriculum, undergraduate programming, accreditation, academic advising, career advising, and undergraduate recruiting.
- Aug 2007 – Present **University of Kentucky**, Lexington, Kentucky
Senior Lecturer. Courses include: Not-For-Profit and Governmental Accounting (undergraduate and graduate level, including online instruction), Basic Auditing (undergraduate and graduate level), Intermediate Accounting I, and Managerial Uses of Accounting Information.
- Additional responsibilities include faculty advisor for student organizations, faculty sponsor for numerous experiential education internship students, and various departmental and college committees.
- Aug 2004 – May 2007 **Asbury University**, Wilmore, Kentucky
Instructor. Courses included: Intermediate Accounting I, Intermediate Accounting II, Basic Auditing, Accounting for Nonprofit Entities, and Cost Accounting.
- Additional responsibilities included academic advising for accounting majors and coordination of accounting student recruiting and networking opportunities.

Participated in the oversight of internship students and independent studies, revision of accounting curriculum requirements, and development of the new accounting course “Contemporary Issues in Accounting.”

Aug 2001 – Oct 2002 **Indiana University - Indianapolis**, Indianapolis, Indiana
Research Assistant. Responsibilities involved compiling earnings announcements and projections for multiple fiscal periods and extracting and classifying data of American, Canadian and Japanese entities.

AWARDS & GRANTS

Spring 2019 **Outstanding Faculty of the Year**, School of Accountancy, Beta Alpha Psi

Spring 2018 **Teacher Who Made a Difference Award**, University of Kentucky, College of Education

Spring 2016 **Edgar L. & Marilyn A. Sagan Fellowship**, University of Kentucky, College of Education

Spring 2014 **Chapter Appreciation Award**, Beta Alpha Psi Alpha Mu Chapter

Fall 2013 **Innovation and Design Lab**
Award of \$1,000 to attend a three-day teaching and technology immersion workshop, implement innovations into a course and participate in a faculty showcase. Funded and administered by University of Kentucky Center for the Enhancement of Learning and Teaching.

Spring 2009 **Outstanding Faculty of the Year**, School of Accountancy, Beta Alpha Psi

Fall 2008 **Campus Connects Student Philanthropy Project**
Award of \$4,000 to incorporate student philanthropy in nonprofit accounting course. Funded by Mr. Roger Grein, Philanthropist, and administered by University of Kentucky Nonprofit Leadership Initiative.

INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

Spring 2018 **Nangarhar University Faculty of Economics Partnership**, Afghanistan
Curriculum development, faculty mentoring, and virtual classroom instruction.

May 2005 & 2006 **Asbury University and World Gospel Mission**, Choluteca, Honduras
Small business development and micro-loan program administration.

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT EXPERIENCE

Oct 1998 – Dec 2000 **Self-Employed**, Lexington, Kentucky
Accounting and Financial Analyst. Services included analyzing small business financial statements, establishing and maintaining financial records, implementing internal control procedures, recovery of financial data, and providing auditing services.

July 1998 – Oct 1998 **PricewaterhouseCoopers, LLP**, Lexington, Kentucky

Supervising Senior. Specialized in health care and other not-for-profit entities. Responsibilities included leading engagement teams in financial audits, training new hires in various audit techniques.

Oct 1994 – June 1998 **KPMG Peat Marwick, LLP**, Lexington, Kentucky

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Jan 1993 – May 1993 **KPMG Peat Marwick, LLP**, Lexington, Kentucky

Accounting Intern. Full-time staff accountant.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Accounting Association, 2002 – Present

American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, 1995 – Present

Kentucky Society of Certified Public Accountants, 1995 – Present

UNIVERSITY INVOLVEMENT

Our Path Forward: First-time Freshmen Implementation Team, 2018 - present

Faculty Advisor, Beta Alpha Psi, 2009 - 2018

Faculty Advisor, Chi Omega Fraternity, 2012 - 2014

Faculty Advisor, Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity, 2008 – 2012

Sorority Scholarship Banquet Guest Speaker, Spring 2012

Sorority Rush Guest Lecturer, Fall 2010

Scholarly Learning Community on Service-Learning Member, 2009 - 2010

COLLEGE & DEPARTMENTAL INVOLVEMENT

Undergraduate Studies Committee, Chair, 2018 – present

Scholarship Committee, Chair, 2018 – present

Learning Outcomes Assessment Committee, 2008 – 2009, 2018 – 2020, Chair, 2020 – present

Operating Committee, 2018 – present

Strategic Planning and Quality Improvement Committee, 2018 – present

Teaching Excellence Team, 2018 – present

Scholarship Committee, Departmental, 2007 – 2018

Experiential Education Faculty Sponsor, 2007 – 2018

Undergraduate Appeals Committee, 2011 – 2016

Undergraduate Studies Committee, Departmental, 2007 – 2012

Student Academic Advisor, Departmental, 2007 – 2012

Vanguard Technology in Education Team, 2009 – 2010

Learning Outcomes and Assessment Task Force, Departmental, 2008 – 2010

MS Policy Committee, Departmental, 2007 – 2008

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Audit Committee, Asbury University, 2008 – present

United Way of the Bluegrass Compliance Review Committee, 2014 – present

Board Member/Treasurer, World Gospel Mission, 2009 – present

Signature Club Swim and Dive Team Treasurer, Lexington 2010 – 2017

Global/Local Impact Team, Centenary United Methodist Church, 2009 – 2012

FIRST (For Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology) Coach, 2009 – 2010
Kids Count Financial Literacy Presentations at Lexington Christian Academy, 2006 & 2010
Evangelism Committee Treasurer, Centenary United Methodist Church, 2005 – 2008
Crown Financial Ministries Instructor, 2003
Financial Literacy Presentation to Mothers of Preschoolers organizations, 2000 & 2001