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Education

PHD, Accounting, University of Oklahoma, Expected 2013.
BBA/MACC, Accounting, University of Oklahoma, May 2002.
High School Diploma, Oklahoma School of Science and Mathematics, May 1997.

Research Interests

Tax judgment and decision making, particularly in the areas of the review process and the audit of the tax provision.

Working Papers

Employing tax professionals in financial statement audits: implications for audit effectiveness (dissertation).

The potential for the review process to detect and mitigate advocacy bias, with Andrew Cuccia and Anne Magro.

Reviewer information search and evaluation (working paper).

Academic Work Experience

The University of Akron, 2011 – present

- Assistant Professor (Average Instructor Rating: 4.1/5.0)
  Tax Accounting, Spring 2012
  Accounting Principles 1, Fall 2012, Spring 2012
  Tax Research, Fall 2012,Fall 2011
  Survey of Federal Tax, Fall 2011

University of Oklahoma, 2006 – 2011

- Instructor (Average Instructor Rating: 4.2/5.0, most recent 4.6/5.0) Tax Accounting, Spring 2009
  Cost Accounting, Fall 2010, Fall 2008
  Managerial Accounting, Summer 2010, Summer 2009, Summer 2007
  Financial Accounting, Fall 2006
- Graduate Assistant
  Research Assistant for Dr. Andrew Cuccia
  Teaching Assistant for Dr. Carol Knapp, Dr. Marlys Lipe and Dr. Wayne Thomas

University of Oklahoma, 2001 – 2002

- Instructor (Instructor Rating 5.36/6.0)
  Financial Accounting, Summer
  2002
- Graduate Assistant
  Teaching Assistant for Dr. Andrew Cuccia and Dr. Anne Magro

Professional Business Experience

State & Federal Income Tax Analyst, The Williams Companies, 2002 - 2006

Awards & Honors

Arthur Andersen Accounting Scholarship, 2010 – 2011.
Graduate Foundation Fellowship, University of Oklahoma, 2006 – 2010.
AAA ATA Doctoral Consortium Participant, 2007, 2008, 2009 & 2010.
AAA ABO Doctoral Consortium Participant, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009 & 2010.
Certified Public Accountant 2004 – present (Inactive).
Arthur Andersen Tax Challenge, Honorable Mention, 2001.

Presentations

The Impact of Corruption on Firm Tax Compliance in Transition Economies: Whom Do You Trust by Amy Hageman and Anna Alon. Discussant. AAA ABO Meeting, Kansas City, MO, October 2011.

Employing Tax Professionals in Financial Statement Audits: Implications for Audit Effectiveness. California State University, Fullerton, Fullerton, CA, April 2011.
The University of Akron, Akron, OH, March 2011.
University of Wyoming, Laramie, WY, January 2011.
North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC, December 2010.

The Implications on Audit Effectiveness of Employing Tax Professionals in Financial Statement Audits. University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK, August 2010.

The Impact of Role and Tax Compliance Provider on Audit and Tax Professional Judgment. George Mason Behavioral Tax Symposium, Fairfax, VA, June 2010.

The Influence of Dispositional Affect Dimensions on Ethical Judgments by D. Jordan Lowe and Philip M.J. Reckers. Discussant. AAA ABO Meeting, Seattle, WA, October 2009.

Can Tax Reviewers Identify Advocacy Bias in the Work of Others? George Mason Behavioral Tax Symposium, Fairfax, VA, June 2009.
OK/KS JDM Conference, Oklahoma City, OK, April 2009.
University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK, November 2008.

Conference Attendance

George Mason Behavioral Tax Symposium, Fairfax, VA, 2012.

AAA Ohio Region Meeting, Cincinnati, OH, 2012.

The University of Akron International Tax Conference, Independence, OH, 2012.

AAA American Taxation Association Midyear Meeting, New Orleans, LA, 2012.

AAA Accounting, Behavior & Organizations Midyear Meeting, Kansas City, MO, 2011.

George Mason Behavioral Tax Symposium, Fairfax, VA, 2011.

AAA Accounting, Behavior & Organizations Midyear Meeting and Doctoral Consortium, Denver, CO, 2010.

AAA Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, 2010.

George Mason Behavioral Tax Symposium, Fairfax, VA, 2010.

University of Oklahoma Accounting Research Conference, Norman, OK, 2010.

Oklahoma State University Accounting Research Conference, Stillwater, OK, 2010.

AAA American Taxation Association Midyear Meeting and Doctoral Consortium, Denver, CO, 2010.

AAA Auditing Midyear Conference, San Diego, CA, 2010.

AAA Accounting, Behavior & Organizations Midyear Meeting and Doctoral Consortium, Seattle, WA, 2009.

George Mason Behavioral Tax Symposium, Fairfax, VA, 2009.

Oklahoma – Kansas Judgment and Decision Making Conference, Oklahoma City, OK, 2009.

AAA American Taxation Association Midyear Meeting and Doctoral Consortium, Orlando, FL, 2009.

AAA Accounting, Behavior & Organizations Midyear Meeting and Doctoral Consortium, Providence, RI, 2008.

University of Oklahoma Accounting Research Conference, Norman, OK, 2008.

Oklahoma State University Accounting Research Conference, Stillwater, OK, 2008.

Oklahoma – Kansas Judgment and Decision Making Conference, Oklahoma City, OK, 2008.

AAA American Taxation Association Midyear Meeting and Doctoral Consortium, Memphis, TN, 2008.

AAA Accounting, Behavior & Organizations Midyear Meeting and Doctoral Consortium, Philadelphia, PA, 2007.

Oklahoma – Kansas Judgment and Decision Making Conference, Oklahoma City, OK, 2007.

AAA American Taxation Association Midyear Meeting and Doctoral Consortium, San Antonio, TX, 2007.

AAA Accounting, Behavior & Organizations Midyear Meeting and Doctoral Consortium, Portland, OR, 2006.

Department Service

Deloitte FanTAXtic Competition – Faculty Advisor, Fall 2011.

CCH Intelliconnect Account Maintenance

PHD Students' Committee Vice-President, University of Oklahoma, 2008 – 2009.

University Service

Scholarship Friday Interviewer, Fall 2011.

General Community Service

Reviewer, ABO 2011, 2010, 2009
Reviewer, University of Oklahoma Accounting Research Conference 2010, 2008
Reviewer, AAA Ohio Region Meeting 2012
Habitat for Humanity Summit County Volunteer 2011