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EDUCATION

Doctorate of Philosophy in Accounting University of Memphis	August 2014 Memphis, Tennessee
Masters of Science in Accounting Wake Forest University	December 2009 Winston-Salem, North Carolina
Bachelor of Science in Finance Wake Forest University	May 2008 Winston-Salem, North Carolina

WORK EXPERIENCE

GEORGIA SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY Assistant Professor	August 2014 - Present Statesboro, Georgia
UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS Graduate Assistant	August 2011 - August 2014 Statesboro, Georgia
ERNST & YOUNG LLP Assurance Services Accountant	January 2010 – June 2011 Greensboro, North Carolina
ERNST & YOUNG LLP Assurance Services Intern	January 2009 – March 2009 Greensboro, North Carolina

RESEARCH

INTERESTS	Capital Markets, Derivative Accounting, Auditing
DISSERTATION	“Speculative Derivative Use: External Financing Costs and Financial Reporting Effects”
PUBLICATIONS	Callahan, C., C. Spiceland, D. Spiceland, and S. Hairston. 2016. Pilot Course: A Teaching Practicum Course as an Integral Component of a Ph.D. Program. <i>Issues in Accounting Education</i> (31) 2: 191-210.
UNDER REVIEW	“Does Manager Ability Affect IPO Underpricing?” (<i>Journal of Accounting, Auditing and Finance – Revise and Resubmit</i>) “Does the Presence of General Counsel in Top Management Affect Audit Effort and Audit Outcomes?” (<i>Accounting Horizons</i>) “A Review of the Derivative Accounting Literature: Implications for Research and Practice” (<i>Journal of Accounting Literature</i>)
WORKING PAPERS	“Does speculative use of derivatives affect the cost of debt and audit quality in the banking industry?” “Derivative Use: Real Earnings Management, CEO Power and Overconfidence” “Does Speculative Use of Interest Rate Derivatives Affect the Cost of Capital?”

“Effect of Corporate Governance on Convertible Bond Yields: The Role of Institutional Ownership and Outside Directors”

“The Effect of Earnings Attributes on Convertible Debt Credit Ratings: The Role of Accounting Indicators for Monitoring and Solvency”

“Do Trading Derivatives Affect Volatility and Firm Value?”

“Is Professional Skepticism Substitutable Between External and Internal Auditors?”

“Simplifying Share-Based Payment Accounting: The Influence of FASB ASU No.2016-09 on Earnings and Cash Flow Volatility”

“Do Accounting Faculty Career Satisfaction and Professional Identification Influence CPA Exam Performance?”

“A ranking system for auditors? An examination of the top 100 accounting firms in China”

PRESENTATIONS

2017 American Accounting Association Southeast Regional Meeting

Panelist January 2017

- “Teaching Teachers to Teach”

2016 American Accounting Association Annual Conference

Presenter August 2016

- “IPO Underpricing and Manager Ability”

2015 American Accounting Association Annual Conference

Presenter August 2015

- “Does the speculative use of derivatives and audit quality affect the cost of debt in the banking industry?”

2015 American Accounting Association Annual Conference

Presenter August 2015

- “Does the Presence of Highly Compensated General Counsel Affect Audit Effort and Audit Outcomes in the Post-SOX Era?”

2015 American Accounting Association Midyear Audit Section Meeting

Presenter January 2015

- “Does the Presence of Highly Compensated General Counsel Affect Audit Quality and Audit Outcomes?”

2014 American Accounting Association Southeast Region Meeting

Presenter April 2014

- “Pilot Course: A Teaching Practicum/Professional Development Course as an Integral Component of a Ph.D. Program”

2013 American Accounting Association Annual Conference

Presenter August 2013

- “Do Earnings Attributes Impact the Cost of Convertible Debt?”

2013 PhD Project Accounting Doctoral Students Association Conference

Discussant August 2013

- “The Effect of Foreign Operations Located in Tax Havens and Other Low-Tax Jurisdictions on U.S. Multinational Firm’s Geographic Segment Disaggregation.”

TEACHING/RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

GEORGIA SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY

Assistant Professor – August 2014 – Present

- Instructor for Intermediate Accounting II – ACCT 3132
- Instructor for Introduction to Financial Accounting – ACCT2101
- Instructor for Independent Study in Accounting – ACCT 4890

UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS

Graduate Assistant – August 2011- August 2014

- Instructor for Fundamentals of Accounting – ACCT 2010
- Instructor for Intermediate Accounting II – ACCT 3120

HONORS/GRANTS

Olivia Suggs Flanagan Faculty Fellowship Georgia Southern University	April 2017
Summer Research Grant Georgia Southern University	June 2016
Accounting Instructor of the Year Georgia Southern University	May 2016
Olivia Suggs Flanagan Faculty Fellowship Georgia Southern University	April 2016
CLEC Award Georgia Southern University	March 2016
AICPA Fellowship for Minority Doctoral Students AICPA Fellow	August 2011
KPMG Foundation Doctoral Scholarship Program KPMG Scholar	August 2011

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

- 2017 American Accounting Association Annual Conference
- 2017 American Accounting Association Southeast Regional Conference
- 2016 American Accounting Association Financial Accounting and Reporting Section Meeting
- 2015 American Accounting Association Annual Conference
- 2015 American Accounting Association Midyear Audit Section Meeting
- 2015 American Accounting Association New Faculty Consortium
- 2014 American Accounting Association Annual Conference
- 2014 American Accounting Association Southeast Region Meeting
- 2013 Financial Accounting and Reporting Section Mid-Year Meeting
Doctoral Consortium January 2013
- 2012 American Accounting Association Annual Conference

2011 American Accounting Association Annual Conference

ORGANIZATIONS

THE FOOD BANK OF STATESBORO
Bookkeeper January 2015 – November 2015

GEORGIA SOCIETY OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS
Educator Member December 2014

AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS
Faculty Member August 2013

AMERICAN ACCOUNTING ASSOCIATION
Faculty Member August 2011

SERVICE

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF BLACK ACCOUNTANTS
Faculty Co-Advisor August 2017

SPRING GRADUATE COMMENCEMENT
Faculty Volunteer May 2017

SPRING UNDERGRADUATE COMMENCEMENT
Faculty Volunteer May 2017

OPERATION MOVE IN
Faculty Volunteer August 2016

ACCOUNTING DAY
Presenter May 2016

SPRING GRADUATE COMMENCEMENT
Faculty Volunteer May 2016

UNIVERSITY HONORS PROGRAM
Faculty Advisor April 2016

ISSUES IN ACCOUNTING EDUCATION
Editorial Board January 2016

SCHOOL OF ACCOUNTANCY – EXECUTIVE IN RESIDENCE
Introduction November 2015

OPERATION MOVE IN
Faculty Volunteer August 2015

SPRING UNDERGRADUATE COMMENCEMENT
Faculty Volunteer May 2015

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS

Certified Public Accountant November 2010
North Carolina Board of Certified Public Accountants Raleigh, North Carolina