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CONTACT INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

Purdue University – West Lafayette, IN

Doctor of Philosophy, Management (Accounting)

2019 (Anticipated)

Clemson University – Clemson, SC

Master of Professional Accountancy (Taxation Concentration)

2010

Bachelor of Science, Accounting, *Magna cum Laude* (#1 Class Rank)

2009

WORKING PAPERS

1. Asset Substitution Incentives and Uncertain Tax Choices. (Dissertation)
Committee: Mark Bagnoli (co-chair), Susan Watts (co-chair), Rick Laux
2. Is Tax Aggressiveness Associated with Non-GAAP Earnings?
Data analysis and first draft complete.

WORK-IN-PROCESS

1. Materiality Thresholds and Voluntary Disclosure. with Mark Bagnoli and Susan Watts
Currently developing analytical model.
2. When do Firms Manage Earnings to Resolve Information Asymmetry? Evidence from Securities Gain and Loss Recognition. with Jon Black and Dave Harris
Currently analyzing data and compiling results.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Purdue University – West Lafayette, IN

Instructor – MGMT 504: Tax Accounting (Undergraduate) – 6 Sections Total

Semester Taught (Sections – Average Instructor Rating)

Fall 2015 (1 section – 4.7/5.0)

Spring 2016 (1 section – 4.6/5.0)

Fall 2016 (2 sections – 4.7/5.0, 4.7/5.0)

Spring 2017 (1 section – 4.9/5.0)

Fall 2018 (1 Section – Currently Teaching)

Instructor – MGMT 590: Practicum in Taxation (Graduate & Undergraduate) – 3 Sections Total
Semester Taught (Sections – Average Instructor Rating)

Spring 2017 (1 section – 5.0/5.0)

Spring 2018 (1 section – 5.0/5.0)

Spring 2019 (1 section – Scheduled)

OTHER TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Becker Professional Education – West Lafayette, IN

National Supplement Instructor & Technical Reviewer– Regulation

2018

Purdue University Campus Coordinator

2018

Regulation Section Instructor, Average Rating 9.7/10.0

2016-2018

Clemson University – Clemson, SC

Graduate Assistant – Accounting and Finance Department Tutor

2009-2010

Supplemental Instructor – Financial Accounting & Business Calculus

2007-2009

ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Purdue University – West Lafayette, IN

Research Assistant

2014-2018

Graduate Lecturer

2015-2019

Dixon Hughes Goodman LLP – Greenville, SC

Senior Tax Associate

2011-2014

Tax Intern

2009

LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS (ACTIVE)

Certified Public Accountant, State of South Carolina #8427

2012-Present

Chartered Global Management Accountant, AICPA

2014-Present

AWARDS AND HONORS

BKD Doctoral Scholar Award

2017-2018

Purdue University Teaching Academy Graduate Teaching Award
University-Level Award for Top 2 Instructors in College

2017

PricewaterhouseCoopers INquires Grant

2016

Joint work with Mark Bagnoli and Susan Watts

Krannert Certificate for Distinguished Teaching (x7) Highest College-Level Teaching Award at Purdue University	2015, 2016, 2017, 2018
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Received for Every Section Taught (7 as of Spring 2018) 	
Frederick N. Andrews Fellowship Recipient	2014-2016

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION (* - PRESENTATION)

FARS Midyear Meeting – American Accounting Association	2019 (Anticipated)
AAA/Deloitte Foundation/J. Michael Cook Doctoral Consortium	2018*
ATA Midyear Meeting – American Accounting Association	2016, 2017, 2018
KPMG/ATA Tax Doctoral Consortium – American Taxation Association	2016, 2017
Purdue University Accounting Theory Conference	2015, 2016, 2017, 2018
Midwest Accounting Summer Research Conference	2015, 2016, 2017, 2018

COMMUNITY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Ad-Hoc Reviewer	
2018 AAA Midwest Region Meeting	
Taxation of Individuals and Business Entities, McGraw Hill Education	
Featured Speaker, Purdue University Residences Financial Literacy Series	2018
Site Coordinator, IRS Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Program	2017-2018
Faculty Mentor, Purdue University Horizons Mentoring Program	2015-2016
Advisory Board Member, The Salvation Army	2013-2014
Cabinet Member, South Carolina Young CPA Leadership Cabinet	2013-2014
Treasurer/Board Member, Greenville Organic Foods Organization	2012-2014

ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Accounting Association (Tax & FARS Sections)	2014-Present
American Institute of Certified Public Accountants	2011-Present