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EDUCATION

PhD, University of Georgia, 1992.
Emphasis/major: Accounting

MPAcc, Georgia State University, 1977.
Emphasis/major: Accounting

BS, West Georgia College, 1974.
Emphasis/major: Accounting

Qualifications

University of West Georgia - January 1, 2013

Current Rank: Associate Professor

Tenure Decision Year: August 2016

Faculty Rank and Date of Attainment:

Associate Professor: January 2013

WORK EXPERIENCE

Academic Positions

Academic Year (2019-2020): Accounting & Finance, Associate Professor, Tenured, Graduate Faculty, Academically Qualified, Participating, Graduate Teaching, Other Service and Outreach Responsibilities, Research, Undergraduate Teaching.

Academic Year (2018-2019): Accounting & Finance, Associate Professor, Tenured, Graduate Faculty, Academically Qualified, Participating, Graduate Teaching, Other Service and Outreach Responsibilities, Research, Undergraduate Teaching.

Academic Year (2017-2018): Accounting & Finance, Associate Professor, Tenured, Graduate Faculty, Academically Qualified, Participating, Graduate Teaching, Other Service and Outreach Responsibilities, Research, Undergraduate Teaching.

Academic Year (2016-2017): Accounting & Finance, Associate Professor, Tenured, Graduate Faculty, Academically Qualified, Participating, Graduate Teaching, Other Service and Outreach Responsibilities, Research, Undergraduate Teaching.

Academic Year (2015-2016): Accounting & Finance, Associate Professor, Tenure-Track, Graduate Faculty, Academically Qualified, Participating, Graduate Teaching, Other Service and Outreach Responsibilities, Research, Undergraduate Teaching.

Academic Year (2014-2015): Associate Professor, Tenure-Track, Graduate Faculty, Academically Qualified, Participating, Graduate Teaching, Other Service and Outreach Responsibilities, Research, Undergraduate Teaching.

Academic Year (2013-2014): Associate Professor, Tenure-Track, Graduate Faculty, Academically Qualified, Participating, Graduate Teaching, Other Service and Outreach Responsibilities, Research, Undergraduate Teaching.

Academic Year (2012-2013): Associate Professor, Tenure-Track, Graduate Faculty, Academically Qualified, Participating, Graduate Teaching, Other Service and Outreach Responsibilities, Research, Undergraduate Teaching.

Professional Positions

Academic

Associate Professor, Mercer University. (August 2011 - December 2012).
Associate Professor, Macon State College. (2005 - 2011).
Professor Accounting, Mississippi College. (1997 - 2005).
Assistant Professor, Jacksonville State University. (1992 - 1996).
Ph.D. Student, University of Georgia. (1988 - 1991).
Graduate Research Assistant, University of Georgia. (1986 - 1987).
Assistant Professor, Brenau College. (1984 - 1986).
Assistant Professor, Brenau College. (1978 - 1980).

Professional

Cost Accountant, Ethicon, Inc. (1982 - 1984).
Accounting Supervisor, Royston Manufacturing. (1981 - 1982).
Staff Accountant, Home Federal Savings. (1977 - 1978).

RESEARCH

Papers Presented

The Timeliness of 10-K Filings, Richards College of Business, Carrollton, GA, Basic or Discovery Scholarship. (October 2018).

The Economic Impact of PCAOB's New Auditing Standard Regarding Critical Audit Matters, Auditor Tenure, and Standardized Report Format, IGBR Institute, Las Vegas, NV, Applied or Integration/Application Scholarship. (October 2017).

Research as a Teaching Tool, Allied Academies, New Orleans, LA, Teaching and Learning Scholarship. (April 13, 2017).

Accounting majors' perceptions of FASB's proposed accounting standards update to clarify classification of cash receipts and cash payments on the statement of cash flows, Allied Academies, New Orleans, LA, Applied or Integration/Application Scholarship. (March 2016).

Going Concern: Where is it Going?, Allied Academies, New Orleans, LA, Applied or Integration/Application Scholarship. (April 2015).

Key Metrics for Measuring Sustainability, Allied Academies, Nashville, TN, Applied or Integration/Application Scholarship. (March 28, 2014).

Sustainability is Applied Ethics, Allied Academies, Nashville, TN, Basic or Discovery Scholarship. (March 28, 2014).

How Incorporating a Sustainable Business Model Creates Value, Allied Academies, San Antonio, TX, Applied or Integration/Application Scholarship. (October 2013).

The Economic Impact of IFRS: A Financial Statement Analysis Perspective, Allied Academies, New Orleans, LA, Basic or Discovery Scholarship. (March 2013).

Transitioning to a lean paradigm-A model for sustainability in the leasing and rental industries, Allied Academics, New Orleans, LA, Applied or Integration/Application Scholarship. (April 2012).

The Economic impact of FASB's new proposed lease accounting standard, ABRI, Nashville, TN, Applied or Integration/Application Scholarship. (March 2011).

Publications

Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

- Bird, B. M., Hopper, M., Seay, S. (2019). Taxpayer Asks IRS for Third-Party Information to Reduce Liability. *Journal of Taxation*, 130(3), 34-38. Applied or Integration/Application Scholarship.
- Seay, S. (2015). Sustainability is Applied Ethics. *Journal of Legal Ethical & Regulatory Issues*, 18(2), 63-70. Basic or Discovery Scholarship.
- Seay, S. (2015). How Incorporating a Sustainable Business Model Creates Value. *Business Studies Journal*, 7(1), 46-60. Applied or Integration/Application Scholarship.
- Seay, S. Going Concern: Where is it Going?. *To appear in Academy of Accounting and Financial Studies Journal*. Applied or Integration/Application Scholarship.
- Seay, S. (2014). The Economic Impact of IFRS-A Financial Analysis Perspective. *Academy of Accounting and Financial Studies Journal*, 18(2), 119-139. Basic or Discovery Scholarship.
- Seay, S., Narsing, A. (2013). Transitioning to a Lean Paradigm--A Model for Sustainability in the Leasing and Rental Industries. *Academy of Strategic Management Journal*, 12(1), 113-124. Applied or Integration/Application Scholarship.
- Seay, S., Woods, J. (2011). The Economic Impact of FASB's New Proposed Lease Accounting Standards. *Journal of Finance and Accountancy*, 8, 45-57. Basic or Discovery Scholarship.
- Seay, S., W. F. (2010). Fair Presentation--An Ethical Perspective on Fair Value Accounting Pursuant to the SEC Study on Mark-to-Market Accounting. *Journal of Legal, Ethical, and Regulatory Issues*, 13(1), 53-66. Basic or Discovery Scholarship.
- Seay, S., McAlum, H. (2010). The User/Application of Mnemonics as a Pedagogical Took in Auditing. *Academy of Educational Leadership Journal*, 14(2), 33-47. Teaching and Learning Scholarship.

Projects Underway

An Analysis of Tax Law Journal Rankings in Australia

The Timeliness of 10-K Filings

SERVICE

Professional Activities

College

- Member, RCOB Online Task Force. (November 2013 - Present).
- Session Chair, Promotion and Tenure Committee. (August 2010 - May 2011).
- Member, Institutional Effectiveness Assessment Board. (August 2007 - May 2009).

Department

- Member, School of Business Faculty Evaluation Committee. (August 2010 - May 2011).
- Each discipline had a coordinator with duties similar to a department chair, School of Business Accounting Coordinator. (August 2009 - May 2011).

Professional

Member, American Accounting Association. (January 2009 - Present).
Session Chair & Discussant, Allied Academies Spring International Conference. (March 30, 2016 - April 1, 2016).
Session Chair, Allied Academies International Spring 2014 International Conference. (March 26, 2014 - March 28, 2014).
Session Chair, Allied Academies Fall 2013 International Conference. (October 9, 2013 - October 11, 2013).
Member, Institute of Management Accountants. (August 2009 - May 2012).
Session Chair, Allied Academies Spring International Conference. (April 2012).
Presenter, Allied Academies Spring International Conference. (April 2012).
Prepared financial statements for Buddy Walk, Inc. a division of the National Down Syndrome Society.,
Financial Statement Preparation for the Middle Georgia Buddy Walk, Inc. (August 2009 - May 2010).
Member, GA AE. (August 2009 - May 2010).
Coordinated a "Meet the Firms Night" to encourage faculty/student/firm interaction, Assisted in coordination and attended MSC Firms Night. (August 2005 - May 2010).

Public/Community

Member, McCalman Executive Roundtable. (February 24, 2017).
Member, Service Learning Committee. (December 2012).
Faculty presented discipline specific programs in local school systems to motivate disadvantaged youth to stay in school, graduate, and attend college, Macon - Bibb Early College Committee. (August 2007 - May 2008).

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Member, Faculty Senate. (July 2014 - May 2017).

Professional Development

Attended Conference

Institute of Global Business Research Fall 2017 International Conference, IGBR Institute, Las Vegas, NV. (October 11, 2017 - October 14, 2017).
Allied Academies Spring International Conference, Allied Academies, New Orleans, LA. (April 12, 2017 - April 14, 2017).
Allied Academies Spring International Conference, Allied Academies, New Orleans, LA. (March 30, 2016 - April 1, 2016).
Allied Academies Spring International Conference, Allied Academies, New Orleans, LA. (April 8, 2015 - April 10, 2015).
Allied Academies Spring International Conference, Allied Academies, Nashville, TN. (March 26, 2014 - March 28, 2014).
Allied Academies International Fall Conference, Allied Academies, San Antonio, TX. (October 9, 2013 - October 11, 2013).
Georgia Association of Accounting Educators, North Georgia College & State University, Callaway Gardens, GA. (2009).

Continuing Education

Accounting & Auditing Update, McNair, McLemore, Middlebrooks & Company, Macon, GA. (October 2006 - November 2012).
Accounting Ethics & Fraud, McNair, McLemore, Middlebrooks, & Company, Macon, GA. (October 2012).

Income Tax Update, McNair, McLemore, Middlebrooks & Company, Macon, GA. (November 2006 - November 2011).

Faculty Research

Faculty Research Presentation, RCOB, Carrollton, GA. (November 8, 2019).

Faculty Research Presentation, Richards College of Business, Carrollton, GA. (March 8, 2019).

Faculty Research Presentation, Richards College of Business, Carrollton, GA. (May 2018).

Faculty Research Presentations, RCOB, Carrollton, GA. (October 27, 2017).

Faculty Research Presentations, RCOB - Accounting and Finance Department, Carrollton, GA. (January 27, 2017).

Faculty Research Presentations, RCOB - Marketing Department, Carrollton, GA. (December 2, 2016).

Faculty Research Presentations, RCOB - Accounting Department, Carrollton, GA. (February 26, 2016).

Faculty Research Presentations, RCOB - Economics Department, Carrollton, GA. (January 29, 2016).

Faculty Research Presentations, RCOB - Marketing Department, Carrollton, GA. (October 29, 2015).

Faculty Research Presentations, RCOB - Management Department, Carrollton, GA. (September 25, 2015).

Brown Bag Research Presentations, RCOB - Management & Marketing Department, Carrollton, GA. (February 27, 2015).

Brown Bag Research Presentations, RCOB - Management & Marketing Department, Carrollton, GA. (January 30, 2015).

Brown Bag Research Presentations, RCOB - Accounting/Finance Department, Carrollton, GA. (October 31, 2014).

Brown Bag Research Presentations, RCOB - Economics Department, Carrollton, GA. (September 26, 2014).

Brown Bag Research Presentations, RCOB - Economics Department, Carrollton, GA. (February 28, 2014).

Brown Bag Research Presentations, RCOB - Marketing Department, Carrollton, GA. (January 31, 2014).

Brown Bag Research Presentations, RCOB - Management Department, Carrollton, GA. (October 25, 2013).

Brown Bag Research Presentations, RCOB - Accounting/Finance Department, Carrollton, GA. (September 27, 2013).

Program

Economics Forecast Breakfast, Economics Department, Carrollton, GA. (October 31, 2017).

Seminar

SOTL Symposium, Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, GA. (2010).

Workshop

Implicit Bias Training, RCOB, Carrollton, GA. (November 8, 2019).

Data Analytics for Accounting Webinar, McGraw-Hill Publishing, Online. (May 2018).

Smart Board Training, Middle GA State College, Macon, GA. (2010).

Funded Grants

Faculty Development Grant, Macon State College - Middle Georgia State College, \$500.00. (January 2007 - December 2007).

Honors and Awards

Outstanding Faculty of the Year Cohort 76, Georgia WebMBA. (October 2019).

Distinguished Research Award, Allied Academies. (March 2016).

Annual Faculty Teaching Award, Richards College of Business. (August 19, 2015).

OTHER ACTIVITIES