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Haslam Chair of Business
Distinguished Professor of Accounting
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Academic Positions Held

2016-present	University of Tennessee, Distinguished Professor of Accounting
2016-present	University of Tennessee, Haslam Chair of Business
2017-present	University of Tennessee, C. Warren Neel Corporate Governance Center Faculty Research Fellow
2014-2020	Lancaster University, Visiting Researcher
2018-2020	Norwegian School of Economics, Adjunct Professor of Accounting
2020	Erasmus School of Economics, Visiting Professor
2015, 2017-2019	The Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Visiting Chair Professor
2015-2016	University of Arkansas, Distinguished Professor of Accounting
2015-2016	University of Arkansas, Co-Director, Wally Cordes Teaching and Faculty Support Center
2009-2016	University of Arkansas, Garrison/Wilson Endowed Chair
2010-2015	University of Arkansas, Professor of Accounting
2008-2010	University of Arkansas, Associate Professor of Accounting
2005-2008	Texas A&M University, Assistant Professor of Accounting
2001-2005	University of Illinois, Assistant Professor of Accountancy
2000-2001	University of Illinois, Lecturer of Accountancy
1989-1996	McMaster University, Lecturer in Accounting

Education

2001	University of Michigan; Ph.D. in Business Administration Major: Accounting
1989	McMaster University, Master of Business Administration Major: Finance
1988	McMaster University, Honours Bachelor of Commerce Major: Accounting

Professional Designation – inactive

1991	Certified Management Accountant (CMA) The Society of Management Accountants of Canada
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Research

Forthcoming Publications

Cao, Ying, Sami Keskek, Linda A. Myers, and Albert Tsang. 2020. “The Effect of Media Characteristics on Analyst Forecast Properties: Cross-Country Evidence” Forthcoming in *Journal of Accounting, Auditing and Finance*.

Keskek, Sami, James N. Myers, and Linda A. Myers. 2020. “Investors’ Misweighting of Firm-level Information and the Market’s Expectations of Earnings” Forthcoming at *Contemporary Accounting Research*

Peer-Reviewed Publications

Bratten, Brian, Monika Causholli, and Linda A. Myers. 2020. “Fair Value Exposure, Auditor Specialization, and Banks’ Discretionary Use of the Loan Loss Provision” *Journal of Accounting, Auditing & Finance* 35(2): 318-348.

Cassell, Cory A., James Hansen, Linda Myers, and Timothy Seidel. 2020. “Does the Timing of Auditor Changes Affect Audit Quality? Evidence from the Initial Year of the Audit Engagement” *Journal of Accounting, Auditing & Finance* 35(2): 263-289.

Chi, Wuchun, Ling L. Lisic, Linda A. Myers, Mikhail Pevzner, and Timothy Seidel. 2019. “The Consequences of Providing Lower Quality Audits at the Engagement Partner Level” *Journal of International Accounting Research* 18(3): 63-82.

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Choi, Jong-Hag, Sunhwa Choi, Linda A. Myers, and David Ziebart. 2019. “Financial Statement Comparability and the Ability of Current Stock Returns to Reflect the Information in Future Earnings” *Contemporary Accounting Research* 36(1): 389-417.

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Lisic, Ling, Linda A. Myers, Robert Pawlewicz, and Timothy A. Seidel. 2019. “Do Accounting Firm Consulting Revenues Affect Audit Quality? Evidence from the Pre- and Post-SOX Eras” *Contemporary Accounting Research* 36(2): 1028-1054.

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Available at: <https://www.bloomberg.com/view/articles/2018-06-18/maybe-the-big-four-auditing-firms-do-need-breaking-up>.

Lisic, Ling, Linda A. Myers, Timothy A. Seidel, and Jian Zhou. 2019. "Does Audit Committee Accounting Expertise Help to Promote Audit Quality? Evidence from Auditor Reporting of Internal Control Weaknesses" *Contemporary Accounting Research* 36(4): 2521-2553.

Cassell, Cory A., Linda A. Myers, Roy Schmardebeck, and Jian Zhou. 2018. "The Monitoring Effectiveness of Co-opted Audit Committees" *Contemporary Accounting Research* 35(4): 1732-1765.

Myers, Linda A., Jonathan E. Shipman, Quinn T. Swanquist, and Robert L. Whited. 2018. "Measuring the Market Response to Going Concern Modifications: The Importance of Disclosure Timing" *Review of Accounting Studies* 23(4): 1512-1542.

Cao, Ying, Linda A. Myers, Albert Tsang, and George Yang. 2017. "Management Forecasts and the Cost of Equity Capital: International Evidence" *Review of Accounting Studies* 22(2): 791-838.

Chi, Wuchun, Linda A. Myers, Thomas C. Omer, and Hong Xie. 2017. "The Effects of Audit Partner Pre-Client and Client-Specific Experience on Audit Quality and on Perceptions of Audit Quality" *Review of Accounting Studies* 22(1): 361-391.

Haislip, Jacob, Linda Myers, Susan Scholz, and Timothy A. Seidel. 2017. "The Consequences of Audit-Related Earnings Revisions" *Contemporary Accounting Research* 34(4): 1880-1914.

Keskek, Sami, Linda A. Myers, Thomas C. Omer, and Marjorie Shelley. 2017. "The Effects of Disclosure and Analyst Regulations on the Relevance of Analyst Characteristics for Explaining Analyst Forecast Accuracy" *Journal of Business, Finance & Accounting* 44(5-6): 780-811.

Bills, Kenneth, Lauren Cunningham, and Linda A. Myers. 2016. "Small Audit Firm Membership in Associations, Networks, and Alliances: Implications for Audit Quality and Audit Fees" *The Accounting Review* 91: 767-792.

Cassell, Cory A., Linda A. Myers, Timothy A. Seidel, and Jian Zhou. 2016. "The Effect of Lame Duck Auditors on Management Discretion: An Empirical Analysis" *Auditing: A Journal of Practice & Theory* 35: 51-73.

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http://pcaobus.org/Rules/Rulemaking/Docket037/ps_Cox.pdf.

Cassell, Cory A., Linda A. Myers, and Timothy A. Seidel. 2015. "Disclosure Transparency About Activity in Valuation Allowance and Reserve Accounts and Accruals-Based Earnings Management" *Accounting, Organizations and Society* 46: 23-38.

Cao, Ying, James N. Myers, Linda A. Myers, and Thomas C. Omer. 2015. "Company Reputation and the Cost of Equity Capital" *Review of Accounting Studies* 20(1): 42-81.

Drake, Michael, James N. Myers, Linda A. Myers, and Michael D. Stuart. 2015. "Short Sellers and the Informativeness of Stock Prices with Respect to Future Earnings" *Review of Accounting Studies* 20(2): 747-774.

Drake, Michael, Linda A. Myers, Susan Scholz, and Nathan Sharp. 2015. "Short Selling around Restatement Announcements: When do Bears Pounce?" *Journal of Accounting, Auditing & Finance* 30(2): 218-245.

Myers, Linda A., Jaime Schmidt, and Michael Wilkins. 2014. "An Investigation of Recent Changes in Going Concern Reporting Decisions Among Big N and Non-Big N Auditors." *Review of Quantitative Finance and Accounting* 43(1): 155-172.

Cassell, Cory A., Lauren M. Dreher, and Linda A. Myers. 2013. "Reviewing the SEC's Review Process: 10-K Comment Letters and the Cost of Remediation" *The Accounting Review* 88(6): 1875-1908.

*** featured in a post for *Merrill Disclosure Solutions* (May 19, 2014). Available at: <https://www.merrillcorp.com/blog/why-the-sec-decides-to-issue-a-10-k-comment-letter>

Cassell, Cory A., Gary Giroux, Linda A. Myers, and Thomas C. Omer. 2013. "The Emergence of Second-Tier Auditors: Evidence from Investor Perceptions of Financial Reporting Credibility." *Journal of Business Finance & Accounting* 40(3-4): 350-372.

Koga, Kentaro, Linda A. Myers, and Thomas C. Omer. 2013. "Bank-Firm Relationships and Accounting Conservatism: Evidence from Japan." *The Journal of Management Accounting, Japan Supplement 2*: 99-119.

Atwood, T J., Michael Drake, James N. Myers, and Linda A. Myers. 2012. "Home Country Tax System Characteristics and Corporate Tax Avoidance: International Evidence." *The Accounting Review* 87(6): 1831-1860.

Bradshaw, Mark, Michael Drake, James N. Myers, and Linda A. Myers. 2012. "A Re-examination of Analysts' Superiority over Time-series Forecasts of Annual Earnings." *Review of Accounting Studies* 17(4): 944-968.

Cao, Ying, Linda A. Myers, and Thomas C. Omer. 2012. "Does Company Reputation Matter for Financial Reporting Quality? Evidence from Restatements." *Contemporary Accounting Research* 29(3): 956-990.

Cassell, Cory A., Gary Giroux, Linda A. Myers, and Thomas C. Omer. 2012. "The Effect of Corporate Governance on Auditor-Client Realignment." *Auditing: A Journal of Practice & Theory* 31(2): 167-188.

Hammersley, Jacqueline, Linda A. Myers, and Jian Zhou. 2012. "The Failure to Remediate Previously-Disclosed Material Weaknesses in Internal Controls." *Auditing: A Journal of Practice & Theory* 31(2): 73-111.

*** cited by the Staff of the Office of the Chief Accountant of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission in *Study and Recommendations on Section 404(b) of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 For Issuers With Public Float Between \$75 and \$250 Million*

Atwood, T J., Michael Drake, James N. Myers, and Linda A. Myers. 2011. "Do Earnings Reported Under IFRS Tell Us More about Future Earnings and Cash Flows?" *Journal of Accounting and Public Policy* 30: 103-121.

Cao, Ying, Linda A. Myers, and Theodore Sougiannis. 2011. "Does Earnings Acceleration Convey Information?" *Review of Accounting Studies* 16(4): 812-842.

Choi, Jong-Hag, Linda A. Myers, Yoonseok Zang, and David A. Ziebart. 2011. "Do Management EPS Forecasts Allow Returns to Reflect Future Earnings? Implications for the Continuation of Management's Quarterly Earnings Guidance." *Review of Accounting Studies* 16(1): 143-182.

Drake, Michael, and Linda A. Myers. 2011. "Analysts' Accrual-Related Over-Optimism: Do Analyst Characteristics Play a Role?" *Review of Accounting Studies* 16(1): 59-88.

Atwood, T J., Michael Drake, and Linda A. Myers. 2010. "Book-tax Conformity, Earnings Persistence and the Association between Earnings and Future Cash Flows." *Journal of Accounting and Economics* 50(1): 111-125.

Choi, Jong-Hag, Linda A. Myers, Yoonseok Zang, and David A. Ziebart. 2010. "The Roles that Forecast Surprise and Forecast Error Play in Determining Management Forecast Precision." *Accounting Horizons* 24(2): 165-188.

Dechow, Patricia M., Linda A. Myers, and Catherine Shakespeare. 2010. "Fair Value Accounting and Gains from Asset Securitizations: A Convenient Earnings Management Tool with Compensation Side-Benefits." *Journal of Accounting and Economics* 49(1-2): 2-25.

Drake, Michael, James N. Myers, and Linda A. Myers, 2009. "Disclosure Quality and the Mispricing of Accruals and Cash Flow." *Journal of Accounting, Auditing & Finance* 24(3): 357-384.

Hammersley, Jacqueline S., Linda A. Myers, and Catherine Shakespeare, 2008. "Market Reactions to the Disclosure of Internal Control Weaknesses and to the Characteristics of those Weaknesses under Section 302 of the Sarbanes Oxley Act of 2002." *Review of Accounting Studies* 13(1): 141-165.

*** cited by the Staff of the Office of the Chief Accountant of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission in *Study and Recommendations on Section 404(b) of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 For Issuers With Public Float Between \$75 and \$250 Million*

Hirshleifer, David, James N. Myers, Linda A. Myers, and Siew Hong Teoh, 2008. "Do Individual Investors Cause Post-Earnings Announcement Drift? Direct Evidence from Personal Trades." *The Accounting Review* 83(6): 1521-1550.

Myers, James N., Linda A. Myers, and Douglas Skinner, 2007. "Earnings Momentum and Earnings Management" *Journal of Accounting, Auditing & Finance* 22(2): 249-284.

*** received the AAA's Financial Accounting and Reporting Section Best Paper Award, 2009 (for a financial accounting and reporting paper judged to best reflect the tradition of academic scholarship, readability and relevance to problems facing the accounting profession and standard-setters)

*** featured in *The Economist* and in *The New York Times*

Myers, James N., Linda A. Myers, and Thomas C. Omer, 2003. "Exploring the Term of the Auditor-Client Relationship and the Quality of Earnings: A Case for Mandatory Auditor Rotation?" *The Accounting Review* 78(3): 779-799.

*** selected for the Notable Contribution to the Auditing Literature Award, 2014

*** selected by the Financial Executives Research Foundation as the Outstanding *Accounting Review* Article of the Year, 2004

*** cited in *CFO Magazine*

*** cited in the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board's 2011 *Concept Release on Auditor Independence and Audit Firm Rotation*

Lundholm, Russell, and Linda A. Myers, 2002. "Bringing the Future Forward: The Effect of Voluntary Disclosure on the Returns-Earnings Relation" *Journal of Accounting Research* 40(3): 809-839.

Lynn, Bernadette E., Mohamed Shehata, and Linda A. White, 1994. "The Effects of Secondary School Education on University Accounting Performance – A Canadian Experience" *Contemporary Accounting Research* 10(2): 737-758.

Practitioner Publication

Brazel, Joseph, James Bierstaker, Jong-Hag Choi, Steven Glover, and Linda Myers. 2011. "Comments by the Auditing Standards Committee of the Auditing Section of the American Accounting Association on the European Commission Green Paper on Audit Policy: Lessons from the Crisis." *Current Issues in Auditing* 5(1): C1-C7.

Published Discussion

Discussion of Differential Levels of Disclosure and the Earnings-Return Association: Evidence from Foreign Registrants in the United States. 2003. *International Journal of Accounting* 38: 163-167.

Press Coverage and Media Quotes

Marketplace Business, The Economist, The New York Times

Research Projects at the Working Paper Stage (full papers available upon request)

Ai, Xi, Lauren M. Cunningham, Xiao Li, and Linda A. Myers. “How Can Small International Accounting Firms Improve Audit Quality? The Role of Accounting Associations and Networks”

Ai, Xi, Andrew J. Doucet, Linda A. Myers, and Kathleen Schuchard. “Common Auditors in Mergers and Acquisitions: The Impact on Post-Acquisition Financial Reporting Quality”

Ashby, Jason A., James A. Chyz, Linda A. Myers, and Benjamin C. Whipple. “The Impact of Non-GAAP Disclosure on the Purchase Price Allocation to Definite-Lived Intangible Assets in Mergers and Acquisitions”

Billings, Bruce, Sami Keskek, Linda A. Myers, and Thomas C. Omer. “Delayed Disclosure and the Relation between Management Forecast Errors and Accruals”

Cao, Wenjiao, Linda A. Myers, and Zhifang Zhang. “The Effect of Language on Income Smoothing and on the Informativeness of Earnings: Cross-Country Evidence”

Cao, Ying, Zhan Gao, Linda A. Myers, and Thomas C. Omer. “Does Company Reputation Matter for Voluntary Disclosure Quality? Evidence from Management Earnings Forecasts”

Cassell, Cory A., Andrew Doucet, E. Scott Johnson, and Linda A. Myers. “The Effect of Chief Operating Officers on Real Earnings Management”

Cheng, June, Robert Fang, and Linda A. Myers. “The Lack of Timeliness with Which Stock Price Incorporates Bad News and the Earnings-return Asymmetry between Negative and Positive Returns: Evidence from Stock Liquidity”

Chi, Wuchun, Ling L. Lisic, Linda A. Myers, Mikhail Pevzner, and Timothy Seidel. “The Effect of Engagement Partner Visibility and Fee Pressure on Audit Quality”

Cumming, Douglas, Lars Helge Hass, Linda A. Myers, and Monika Tarsalewska. “Does Venture Capital Backing Improve Internal Control Quality? Evidence from Management’s Post-IPO Disclosures about the Quality of Internal Controls over Financial Reporting”

Cunningham, Lauren, Linda A. Myers, and Justin C. Short. “CFO Outside Directorships: Simply a Distraction or an Opportunity for Development?”

Hunt, Joshua O. S., James N. Myers, and Linda A. Myers. “Improving Earnings Predictions with Machine Learning”

Jing, Jiao, Linda A. Myers, Jeffrey Ng, and Lixin Su. “Customer Referencing and Capital Market Benefits: Evidence from the Cost of Equity”

Myers, Linda A., Roy Schmardebeck, Timothy A. Seidel, and Michael D. Stuart. “The Impact of Increased Managerial Discretion on the Usefulness of Reported Revenues: Evidence from Accounting Standard Updates for Multiple-Deliverable Sales Arrangements”

Doucet, Andrew, Todd Kravet, Linda A. Myers, Juan Manuel Sanchez, and Susan Scholz. “Do Financial Statement Misstatements Facilitate Corporate Acquisitions?”

Fang, Robert, Linda Myers, and Felipe Raymundo. “Do Managers Use External Information in Their Accrual Estimates? Evidence from the Relation Between Stock Liquidity and Accrual Estimation Errors”

Galdi, Fernando Caio, E. Scott Johnson, James N. Myers, and Linda A. Myers. “Accounting for Inventory Costs and Real Earnings Management Behavior”

Myers, Linda A., and Felipe Raymundo. “The Threat of Hedge Fund Activism and Financial Reporting Quality”

Myers, Linda A., Roy Schmardebeck, and Stefan Slavov. “Audit Committee Chair Succession and Financial Reporting Quality”

Editorial and Review Boards

Editor

Auditing: A Journal of Practice & Theory 2017 – 2023

Contemporary Accounting Research 2017 – 2023

Journal of International Accounting Research 2018 – 2023

Accounting Horizons 2015 – 2021

Senior Accounting Track Editor (Audit and Taxation)

China Accounting and Finance Review 2019 – 2021

Conference Editor

2020 *Journal of Accounting, Auditing and Finance* Conference (Helsinki, Finland)

2019 *Journal of Accounting, Auditing and Finance* Conference (Santiago, Chile)

2018 *Journal of Accounting, Auditing and Finance* Conference (Jeju Island, Korea)

2017 *Journal of Accounting, Auditing and Finance* Conference (Dunedin, New Zealand)

2016 *Journal of Accounting, Auditing and Finance* Conference (Lake Louise, Canada)

Associate Editor

Journal of Accounting, Auditing and Finance 2016 – present

China Accounting and Finance Review 2015 – 2019

Journal of International Accounting Research 2017 – 2018

Ad-hoc Editor

Contemporary Accounting Research 2013 – 2017

Editorial Advisory and Review Board Member

Journal of Business, Finance & Accounting 2020 – present
The Accounting Review 2005, 2011 – present
European Accounting Review 2020 – 2024
Contemporary Accounting Research 2010 – 2017
Auditing: A Journal of Practice & Theory 2013 – 2017
Journal of International Business Studies 2012 – 2013

Ad-hoc Referee: Journals

Accounting and Finance 2011
Accounting Horizons 2005 – 2010, 2012 – 2014
Accounting, Organizations and Society 2012 – 2017
Advances in Accounting 2010
Auditing: A Journal of Practice & Theory 2004 – 2009, 2011 – 2013
Contemporary Accounting Research 2005 – 2010
European Accounting Review 2011, 2016
International Finance 2017
Journal of Accounting and Economics 2017 – 2019
Journal of Accounting and Public Policy 2005 – 2008, 2011 – 2013
Journal of Accounting, Auditing and Finance 2007, 2010, 2013, 2015, 2016
Journal of Accounting Research 2011 – 2012
Journal of Business, Finance & Accounting 2015, 2019, 2020
Journal of Business Research 2015
Journal of Contemporary Accounting and Economics 2015 – 2017
Journal of International Business Studies 2011, 2014
Journal of Law, Finance & Accounting 2017
Journal of the American Taxation Association 2005, 2006
Management Science 2014 – 2015, 2017 – 2018
Review of Accounting Studies 2006 – 2007, 2009 – 2019
The Accounting Review 2002 – 2004, 2006 – 2010
The Journal of Finance 2009

Referee: Non-AAA Symposia and Conferences

Journal of Law, Finance and Accounting 2017 International Conference 2017
Annual JCAE Symposium 2016
Contemporary Accounting Research 2015
Illinois Audit Symposium 2000, 2002, 2004
Illinois Taxation Symposium 2003
International Conference, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign 2002

External Reviewer: Granting Institutions

Accounting Sub-group Chair, Business & Economics Panel of the University Grants Committee of Hong Kong (Research Assessment Exercise), 2020
Research Grants Council (RGC) of Hong Kong 2007, 2009, 2011 – 2016, 2020
Member, Business & Economics Panel of the University Grants Committee of Hong Kong

(Research Assessment Exercise), 2014
Chinese University of Hong Kong Strategic Research Funding 2011
City University of New York Research Grants 2009
Social Science Research Council of Canada 2005, 2006

Research Presentations

2019 Bocconi University (Milan, Italy), Erasmus University (Rotterdam), National Singapore University (Singapore), Singapore Management University (Singapore), University of Amsterdam (Netherlands), VU Amsterdam (Netherlands)

2018 2018 *Journal of International Accounting Research* Conference (Venice, Italy), Drexel University, Hong Kong Polytechnic University (Hong Kong), Miami University, NHH Norwegian School of Economics (Bergen, Norway), Tulane University

2017 2017 Accounting and Finance Association of Australia and New Zealand (AFAANZ) Conference (Adelaide, Australia), 40th annual European Accounting Association Congress (Valencia, Spain), Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Lancaster University (U.K.), Lehigh University, National Taiwan University (Taiwan), Northeastern University

2016 Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Lancaster University (U.K.), University of Nebraska – Lincoln, University of Waterloo (Canada)

2015 38th annual European Accounting Association Congress (Glasgow, Scotland), Boston College, Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Lancaster University (U.K.), McMaster University (Canada), Notre Dame

2014 37th annual European Accounting Association Congress (Tallinn, Estonia), Louisiana State University, University of Missouri, Virginia Tech University

2013 36th annual European Accounting Association Congress (Paris, France), Chinese University of Hong Kong, Florida State University, Lancaster University (U.K.), University of Hawaii at Manoa, University of Tennessee, University of Wisconsin-Madison

2012 35th annual European Accounting Association Congress (Ljubljana, Slovenia), Florida International University, Michigan State University, University of Connecticut

2011 34th annual European Accounting Association Congress (Rome, Italy), Tilburg University (Netherlands)

2010 University of Oregon

2009 University of Arkansas

2007 University of North Texas

2006 University of Kansas Audit Symposium

2005 Texas A&M University

2004 Michigan State University, University of Houston, University of Kentucky

2000 University of Iowa, University of Washington

Invited Presentations

- 2020 “Research Opportunities Amidst COVID-19” Panel Member, Virtual Accounting & Finance Association of Australia and New Zealand (AFAANZ) Conference
“Research Opportunities Amidst COVID-19”, University of Otago, Virtual Seminar
- 2019 “Developing a Research Pipeline”, NHH Norwegian School of Economics
“Doctoral Seminar on Audit Research” Faculty Presenter, at EDEN Doctoral Seminar, Antwerp University, Belgium
- 2018 “Insights on Publishing and on the Academic Review Process”, Lingnan University (Hong Kong)
“Academic Writing”, NHH Norwegian School of Economics
“Advice for Doctoral Students” Keynote Speaker at the Doctoral Consortium of the Second Annual Scandinavian Accounting Research Seminar, BI (Norway)
“Navigating Your Academic Career” Keynote Speaker at the Second Annual Scandinavian Accounting Research Seminar, BI (Norway)
“The Review Process” NHH Norwegian School of Economics
“Writing Introductions”, AAA Auditing Section Doctoral Consortium Speaker
“Writing Introductions”, Drexel University Doctoral Seminar
“Writing Introductions”, Lancaster University Doctoral Seminar
- 2017 “Insights on Identifying Viable Research Topics”, Accounting Doctoral Scholars Conference
“Motivating Archival Research”, Doctoral Student Workshop Speaker, Chinese University of Hong Kong
“Preparing for Success”, AAA Financial Accounting Reporting Section (FARS) Doctoral Consortium Speaker
- 2016 “Crafting Archival Research”, Doctoral Colloquium Speaker, Hong Kong Polytechnic University
“Crafting Archival Research”, Doctoral Student Research Colloquium, University of Kentucky
- 2015 “Crafting Archival Research”, *Contemporary Accounting Research* Doctoral and New Faculty Consortium
“Disclosure Quality, Financial Reporting Quality, and Other Topics in Accounting”, Haslam Distinguished Scholar Speaker Series, University of Tennessee
“Company Reputation and Accounting Outcomes”, Public Lecture, Hong Kong Polytechnic University
- 2011 “Life as a Doctoral Student—Faculty Perspectives”, Panel Member, Accounting Doctoral Scholars Program Orientation Conference

External Service

For the American Accounting Association

Member, AAA Research Committee 2019 – 2022

Member, Auditing Section Outstanding Educator Award Selection Committee 2020 – 2021

Member, Organizing Committee for the AAA International Section’s International Conference of the *Journal of International Accounting Research* (JIAR) 2020 – 2021

Program Chair and Breakout Leader, 2019 Journal of International Accounting Research Doctoral Consortium (Quebec Canada)

Keynote Speaker, “Writing Introductions”, 2019 Journal of International Accounting Research Doctoral Consortium (Quebec Canada)

Speaker and Faculty Mentor, AAA/Deloitte Doctoral Consortium 2019

Member, AAA Dissertation Award Selection Committee 2019

Panel Member, “Editor’s Panel on Issues Related to Publishing in “Unique” Areas, 2019 Auditing Section Midyear Meeting 2019

Member, Competitive Manuscript Award Committee 2018 – 2019

Member, FARS Steering Committee 2015 – 2019

Speaker, “Writing Introductions”, 2018 Auditing Section Doctoral Consortium 2018

Panel Member, “Cross-Disciplinary Publishing Editors Panel”, 2018 International Accounting Section Midyear Meeting 2018

Breakout Session Leader, 2018 AAA New Faculty Consortium 2018

Breakout Session Leader, 2018 Auditing Section Doctoral Consortium 2018

Panel Member, “Editor’s Panel: Publishing International Accounting Research”, *Journal of International Accounting Research* (JIAR) Conference 2017

Panel Member, “The Review Process”, 2017 AAA New Faculty Consortium

Breakout Session Leader, 2017 AAA New Faculty Consortium

Speaker, 2017 Financial Accounting Reporting Section (FARS) Doctoral Consortium 2017

Chair, 2017 Auditing Section Doctoral Consortium 2016 – 2017

Member, Organizing Committee for the AAA International Section’s International Conference of the *Journal of International Accounting Research* (JIAR) 2016 – 2017

Member, FARS Teaching Award Task Force 2016

Vice-Chair, 2016 Auditing Section Doctoral Consortium 2015 – 2016

Panel Member, “Reviewing the Reviewers”, 2015 Auditing Section Midyear Meeting

Member, “Breaking Out of Our Silos”, 2015 Auditing Doctoral Consortium

Breakout Session Leader, 2015 Auditing Doctoral Consortium

Member, Outstanding Auditing Dissertation Selection Committee 2014 – 2015

Invited discussant – AAA Annual Meeting 2014

Panel Member, “Planning and Managing Scholarship and Research”, 2013 AAA New Faculty Consortium

Breakout Session Leader, 2013 AAA New Faculty Consortium

Co-Chair, 2013 AAA Auditing Section Midyear Meeting, 2012 – 2013

Reviewer, AAA Southwest Regional Section Meeting, 2012

Co-Chair Program Committee, 2012 AAA Auditing Section Midyear Meeting, 2011 – 2012

Invited discussant – AAA FARS Section Midyear Meeting 2011

Member, Auditing Standards Committee of the AAA Auditing Section, 2010 – 2012

Selection Committee Member, 2011 Notable Contribution to the Auditing Literature Award

Panel Member, “Career Advice for New Scholars”, 2010 Auditing Doctoral Consortium

Breakout Session Leader, 2010 Auditing Doctoral Consortium

Member, FARS Program Committee for the AAA Annual Meeting, 2009

Invited discussant – Auditing Section Midyear Meetings 2005, 2006, 2008

Referee, AAA Annual Meeting – FARS section 2005, 2009
Referee, Auditing Section Midyear Meetings 2004 – 2009
Referee, FARS Section Midyear Meeting 2007, 2009
Referee, AAA Annual Meeting – Auditing section 2004 – 2008

Other

External member of the Faculty Selection Committee for the Department of Accounting and Finance at the University of Cyprus, 2020
Invited Speaker, Erasmus School of Economics Female Network Lunch, Rotterdam, 2020
Member of the Organizing Committee, CAFR Symposium on Fundamental Analysis, Helsinki Finland, 2020
Member of the Scientific Committee for the CAFR Annual Conference, Xiamen China 2020
Member, Selection Committee for the McLaughlin Prize in Accounting and Ethics Award, 2018 – 2020
Panel Member, “Professionalism and Research Ethics”, The PhD Project Accounting Doctoral Students & Faculty Alumni Associations, California USA, 2019
Faculty Presenter, EDEN Doctoral Seminar on Audit Research at Antwerp University, Antwerp, Belgium, 2019
Invited Discussant – 2019 European Accounting Association World Congress, Paphos, Cyprus
Invited discussant – UC-Davis Accounting Research Conference, 2019
Regional Representative for North America, Board of the European Accounting Association, 2018 – 2019
External Member of the Selection Committee of the Faculty of Economics and Business at KU Leuven, 2018 – 2019
Faculty Representative at the Accounting Doctoral Scholars Strategy Planning Session, 2018
Invited Discussant – CUHK Accounting Research Conference 2018, Chinese University of Hong Kong, 2018
Invited discussant – Financial Accounting and Auditing (FAA) Research Seminar, NHH Norwegian School of Economics, 2018
Moderator, 2018 *Contemporary Accounting Research (CAR)* Conference, Banff, 2018
Speaker, 2017 *Journal of Accounting, Auditing and Finance* Welcome Reception, New Zealand 2017
Member, Assessment Panel, Faculty of Business and Economics, University of Hong Kong 2017
Moderator, 2017 *Contemporary Accounting Research (CAR)* Conference, Quebec City, 2017
Ph.D. Program Reviewer, Oklahoma State University 2015
Retention, Promotion, and Tenure Reviewer for candidates at: Arizona State University, Baylor University, Binghamton University, Chinese University of Hong Kong (Hong Kong), City University of Hong Kong (Hong Kong), City University of New York, Colorado State University, Drexel University, Florida Atlantic University, Florida International University, Florida State University, George Mason University, Georgia State University, Iowa State University, Lehigh University, Louisiana State University, McGill University (Canada), McMaster University (Canada), Nanyang Technological University (Singapore), National University of Singapore (Singapore), Northeastern University, Oklahoma State University, Old Dominion University, Queens University (Canada), Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Singapore Management University (Singapore), Texas A&M University, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University (Hong Kong), Tsinghua University (China), Tulane University,

University of Colorado Denver, University of Connecticut, University of Georgia, University of Hong Kong (Hong Kong), University of Indiana at Bloomington, University of Indiana at Indianapolis, University of Iowa, University of Kentucky, University of Maryland, University of Memphis, University of Miami, University of Missouri, University of Nebraska – Lincoln, University of Oklahoma, University of Pittsburgh, University of St. Thomas, University of Texas at El Paso, University of Utah, University of Wisconsin–Madison, Vanderbilt University, Virginia Tech University, Wake Forest University

Invited Non-AAA Conference Discussion

UIUC International Conference 2002

Miscellaneous

Faculty Mentor, Chinese Accounting Professors' Association of North America, 2009

Internal Service

Departmental Service

University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Director of the Ph.D. Program in Accounting, 2016 – Present

Chair, AIM Ph.D. Program and Research Committee, 2016 – Present

AIM Workshop Coordinator, 2016 – Present

Chair, Tennessee Accounting Symposium (TARS) Committee, 2017 – Present

Chair, Tenure-track Faculty Recruiting Committee, 2017

University of Arkansas

Ph.D. Program Director, 2009 – 2016

Workshop Co-coordinator, 2008 – 2010, 2013 – 2016

Chair, Ph.D. Program Committee, 2009 – 2016

Chair, Tenure-Track Faculty Recruiting Committee, 2009 – 2011, 2013 – 2016

Member, Promotion and Tenure Committee, 2010 – 2015

Member, Personnel Document Task Force, 2009 – 2010

Member, Ph.D. Program Committee, 2008 – 2009

Member, Faculty Recruiting Committee, 2008 – 2009

Member, Undergraduate Curriculum Review Committee, 2008

Texas A&M University

Member, Ph.D. Program Committee, 2005 – 2007

Member, Ph.D. Program Evaluation Subcommittee, 2007

Member, Recruiting Committee, 2005 – 2007

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Member, Recruiting Committee, 2002 – 2003

College Service

University of Tennessee (Haslam College of Business)

Member, Dean's Advisory Board, 2017 – Present

Member, PhD Program Committee, 2016 – Present

Co-Chair, Haslam Tenure and Tenure Track Women's Group, 2016 – Present

University of Arkansas (Sam M. Walton College of Business)

Member, Doctoral Program Committee, 2010 – 2016

Faculty Mentor, Robin Soster, Marketing Department, 2011 – 2016

Member, Strategic Planning Task Force, Research Area 2015

Instructor, Ph.D. Seminar in Business Administration Teaching, 2015

Member, Research and Human Subjects Committee, 2013 – 2015

Area Co-Leader – Research Area, Strategic Planning Committee 2014

Member, Endowed Chair Review Committee, 2012 – 2013

Member, Professorship Review Committee, 2011

Member, Department Head Review Committee, 2010

Faculty Mentor, Charlene Henderson, Accounting Department 2009 – 2010

University Service

University of Tennessee

UT Promise Mentor, 2020 – 2022

Participant, Faculty Mentoring Program 2018 – 2019

University of Arkansas

Co-Director, Wally Cordes Teaching and Faculty Support Center, 2015 – 2016

Ex-officio Member, Teaching Council, 2015 – 2016

Member, Graduate School Faculty Advisory Board, 2012 – 2016

Member, Stipends Subcommittee 2014 – 2016

Member, Graduate Fellowship Committee, 2013 – 2016

Member, Faculty Senate, 2011 – 2016

Invited Speaker, International Business Cultural Association, 2015

Member, Office of Faculty Development and Enhancement and the Office of Diversity and

Community's Mentoring Program for Women and Underrepresented Faculty, 2014

Member, Search Committee for Dean of the Walton College of Business, 2011 – 2012

Member, Search Committee for Dean of the Graduate School and International Education, 2011

Dissertation Chair (initial placement)

Xi Ai, University of Tennessee, 2019 – 2020

Jason Ashby, University of Tennessee, 2019 – 2020

Andrew Doucet, University of Tennessee, 2018 – 2019 (2019 grad, New Mexico State University)

Fellipe Raymundo, University of Tennessee, 2018 – 2019 (2019 grad, University of Arkansas)

Justin Short, University of Tennessee, 2017 – 2018 (2018 grad, Emory University)

Roy Schmardebeck, University of Arkansas, 2013 – 2015 (2015 grad, University of Missouri, currently at University of Tennessee)

Lauren (Dreher) Cunningham, University of Arkansas, 2012 – 2014 (2014 grad, University of Tennessee)

Timothy Seidel, University of Arkansas, 2012 – 2014 (2014 grad, Utah State University, currently at Brigham Young University)

E. Scott Johnson, University of Arkansas, 2011 – 2013 (Virginia Tech University)

Michael Stuart, University of Arkansas, 2011 – 2013 (Vanderbilt University)

Dissertation Committee Member (initial placement)

Luciana Maria Orozco Ruiz, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid 2020 (2020 grad, BI Norwegian Business School)

Sander De Groote, KU Leuven, 2018 – 2019 (2019 grad, University of New South Wales)

Jerome Conley, University of Tennessee, 2018 – 2019 (2019 grad), Wells Fargo

Steven Hawkins, University of Tennessee, 2017 – 2018 (2018 grad, Central Washington University, currently at Southern Utah University)

David Rosser, University of Arkansas, 2016 – 2017 (2017 grad, University of Texas at Arlington)

Ashley Douglass, University of Arkansas, 2015 – 2016 (2016 grad, Trinity University)

Ben Anderson, University of Arkansas, 2013 – 2015 (2015 grad, San Jose State University)

T. Taylor Joo, University of Arkansas, 2011 – 2013 (New Mexico State University)

Adi Masli, University of Arkansas, 2009 – 2011 (2011 grad, University of Kansas)

Cory Cassell, Texas A&M, 2007 – 2008 (2009 grad, University of Arkansas)

Jaime Schmidt, Texas A&M, 2007 – 2008 (2009 grad, University of Texas Austin)

Ying Cao, Texas A&M, 2006 – 2007 (2007 grad, The Chinese University of Hong Kong)

Lale Guler, Texas A&M, 2005 – 2007 (2007 grad, Baruch College, currently at Koç University)

Janet McDonald, Texas A&M, 2005 – 2007 (2010 grad, University of South Florida, currently at Arizona State University)

Farzad Mashayekhi, Economics PhD student, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2004 (2004 grad, Quantitative Financial Analyst at Moody's KMV, currently a VP at Goldman Sachs)

Ph.D. Student Paper Advisor

Andrew Doucet, University of Tennessee, 2016 – 2020

Fellipe Raymundo, University of Tennessee, 2016 – 2020

Xi Ai, University of Tennessee, 2017 – 2020

Xi Ashby, University of Tennessee, 2017 – 2020

Stefan Slavov, University of Tennessee, 2019 – 2020

Justin Short, University of Tennessee, 2017 – 2018

Christina Adams, University of Tennessee, 2017

Jerome Conley, University of Tennessee, 2017

David Rosser, University of Arkansas, 2016

Andrew Doucet, University of Arkansas, 2015 and 2016

Roy Schmardebeck, University of Arkansas, 2012 and 2013

Lauren (Dreher) Cunningham, University of Arkansas, 2011 and 2012

Tim Seidel, University of Arkansas, 2011 and 2012

Chris Hines, University of Arkansas, 2009
Sami Keskek, Texas A&M, 2008
Cory Cassell, Texas A&M, 2006 – 2007
Michael Drake, Texas A&M, 2006 – 2007
Jaime Schmidt, Texas A&M, 2006 – 2007
Ying Cao, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2004 – 2005
Dain Donelson, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2004 – 2005

Ph.D. Student Independent Study Advisor

Andrew Doucet, University of Tennessee, 2017
Fellipe Raymundo, University of Tennessee, 2017
David Rosser, University of Arkansas, 2015
Lauren (Dreher) Cunningham, University of Arkansas, 2012
Timothy Seidel, University of Arkansas, 2012
Chris Hines, University of Arkansas, 2010
Michael Stuart, University of Arkansas, 2010

Honors Thesis Committee Member

Addison Scott (International Business), University of Arkansas, 2013 – 2014
Michelle Lynch (Finance), University of Arkansas, 2013
Amanda Smith (Biology), University of Arkansas, 2011 – 2012

Ph.D. Student Faculty Mentor

Stephen Brigham, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2004 – 2005
Ying Cao, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2002 – 2005
Dain Donelson, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2003 – 2005
Ling Harris, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2003 – 2004

Faculty Mentor

Robin Soster, Marketing Department, University of Arkansas, 2011 – 2016
Charlene Henderson, Accounting Department, University of Arkansas, 2009 – 2010

Teaching Experience (in Accounting)

At University of Tennessee

- Ph.D. Seminar, Selected Topics in Empirical Archival Accounting Research, 2017 – 2020
- Ph.D. Seminar, Empirical Archival Accounting Research, 2016 – 2020

At University of Arkansas [Average instructor and course ratings]

- Ph.D. Seminar, Seminar in Business Administration Teaching, 2015
- Ph.D. Seminar, Student Directed Research Topics, 2011 – 2015
[5 / 5]
- Ph.D. Seminar, Selected Issues in Empirical Archival Accounting Research, 2012 – 2015
[4.98 / 5]
- M.Acc Seminar, Special Topic - Survey of Accounting Research, 2011 – 2014
[4.86 / 5]

Ph.D. Seminar, Accounting Disclosure, 2009 – 2011

[4.91 / 5]

Managerial Decisions with Accounting Information, undergraduate, 2008 – 2010

[4.09 / 5]

At Texas A&M University [Weighted average instructor ratings]

Financial Reporting 1, undergraduate, 2005 – 2007

[4.47 / 5]

At the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign [Median instructor ratings]

Accounting Measurement and Disclosure, undergraduate, 2002 – 2004

[3.58 / 5]

Financial Accounting Reporting Standards, graduate (Masters in Accountancy), 2002

[4.60 / 5]

Financial Reporting, undergraduate, 2001

[4.40 / 5]

*** included on the Incomplete List of Teachers Ranked as Excellent by Their Students, 2001

At McMaster University [Median instructor ratings]

Intermediate Financial Accounting I, undergraduate, 1993 – 1996

[8.75 / 10]

Introductory Financial Accounting, undergraduate, 1989 – 1996

[4.63 / 5, and 8.56 / 10]

Accounting for Non-business Majors, undergraduate, 1989 – 1996

[4.44 / 5, and 9.40 / 10]

Cost and Managerial Accounting, undergraduate, 1989 – 1996

[4.67 / 5, and 9.75 / 10]

Cost and Managerial Accounting, graduate (MBA), 1989 – 1996

[4.33 / 5, and 7.75 / 10]

*** Undergraduate Teaching Award Winner, School of Business, 1995

*** Undergraduate Teaching Award Finalist, School of Business, 1994

Awards and Honors

2016 – present	Haslam Chair of Business, University of Tennessee
2017 – present	C. Warren Neel Corporate Governance Center Faculty Research Fellow, University of Tennessee
2019 – 2021	Ray & Joan Myatt Faculty Research Fellow, Haslam College of Business, University of Tennessee
2019 – 2020	Vallett Family Outstanding Researcher Award, Haslam College of Business, University of Tennessee
2019 – 2020	Rhea and Ivey Award for Excellence in Teaching, Department of Accounting and Information Management, University of Tennessee
2018, 2019	Haslam Summer Scholar
2018 – 2019	Kinney Family Faculty Research Fellow, Haslam College of Business, University of Tennessee

2018 – 2019 Keith Stanga Distinguished Scholar Faculty Award, Department of Accounting and Information Management, University of Tennessee

2018 Corporate Governance Best Paper Award at the 2018 British Academy of Management Meeting

2018 Finalist for Haslam College of Business' Vallett Family Outstanding Researcher Award, University of Tennessee

2018 Haslam College of Business' SEC Faculty Achievement Award Nominee, University of Tennessee

2017 William B. Stokely Faculty Research Fellow, University of Tennessee

2009 – 2016 Garrison/Wilson Endowed Chair, University of Arkansas

2014 Notable Contribution to the Auditing Literature Award, AAA Auditing Section

2012 – 2013 Faculty Excellence in Research Award, Sam M. Walton College of Business, University of Arkansas

2012 *Contemporary Accounting Research* 2012 Outstanding Reviewer Award

2009 AAA FARS Best Paper Award

2005 – 2007 Deloitte Faculty Fellowship (at Texas A&M University)

2004 Financial Executives Research Foundation (FERF) Award for the Outstanding *Accounting Review* Article

2001 University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Incomplete List of Teachers Ranked as Excellent by Their Students

1998 – 1999 Deloitte and Touche Foundation Doctoral Fellowship

1998 – 1999 Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada Doctoral Fellowship

1996 – 1999 Paton Fellowship, University of Michigan

1996 – 1999 Business Administration Fellowship, University of Michigan

1996 – 1997 Society of Management Accountants of Canada Doctoral Support Recipient

1996 Victor Bernard Memorial Fellowship, University of Michigan

1993, 1995 Undergraduate Teaching Award Winner, School of Business, McMaster University