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GENERAL INFORMATION

Educational Background

Ph.D., Arizona State University in Tempe: 1994
M.B.A., Arizona State University in Tempe: 1990
B.S., University of Wisconsin at Madison: 1980

International Work Experience

Allen-Bradley Europa B.V., European Headquarters, Uithoorn, The Netherlands,
International Financial Coordinator: 1985 - 1987
PTI Controls, Macquiladora Operations, Tecate, Mexico, Controller: 1985

Domestic Work Experience

Allen-Bradley Drives Division, PTI Controls, Controller: 1985
Allen-Bradley Corporate, Financial Analyst: 1984 - 1985
Allen-Bradley Corporate, Senior Internal Auditor: 1983 - 1984
Peat, Marwick, Mitchell, and Co. (now KPMG), Senior Auditor: 1982 - 1983
Peat, Marwick, Mitchell, and Co. (now KPMG), Staff Auditor: 1981 - 1982

Professional Appointments

The University of Tennessee, Professor: 2006 – present
The University of Verona, Visiting Professor: 2009
The University of Sydney, Visiting Professor: 2006
The University of Tennessee, Associate Professor: 2000 – 2006
The University of Tennessee, Assistant Professor: 1994 - 2000
Arizona State University, Graduate Research and Teaching Assistant: 1991 - 1994
Arizona State University, Co-Coordinator Introductory Financial and
Managerial Accounting: 1989 - 1991
Arizona State University, Teaching Assistant: 1988 - 1989

Scholastic Honors and Teaching Awards

CBER Faculty Fellow, University of Tennessee: 2005 – present
Ergen Professor of Business: 2005 - present
Executive MBA, Outstanding Teaching Award, University of Tennessee: 2008
Linda and Herbert Rhea Excellence in Teaching Award, University of Tennessee: 2008
Outstanding Service Award, International Section, American Accounting Association: 2008
Bank of America Leadership Award, University of Tennessee: 2008
UT Alumni Outstanding Teacher Award, University of Tennessee: 2008
Aerospace Executive MBA, Outstanding Teaching Award, University of Tennessee: 2007
Richard D. Sanders Award for Leadership in Executive Education, University of Tennessee: 2006
Physician Executive MBA, Outstanding Teaching Award, University of Tennessee: 2005
Physician Executive MBA, Outstanding Faculty Member, University of Tennessee: 2004
Accounting Educator of the Year, Tennessee Society of CPAs: 2003
Finalist for John Moore Award, University of Tennessee: 2003
Physician Executive MBA, Outstanding Faculty Member, University of Tennessee: 2002
William B. Stokely Distinguished Scholar: 2002 - 2005.
Gregory H. Dobbins Outstanding Teaching & Research Award, University of Tennessee: 2002.
Innovations in Teaching Award, University of Tennessee: 2001.
Physician Executive MBA, Outstanding Teaching Award, University of Tennessee: 2000
Physician Executive MBA, Outstanding Faculty Member, University of Tennessee: 2000
Pugh & Co., P.C., Accounting Faculty Excellence Award (Research), University of Tennessee: 2000
Innovation in Accounting Education Award, American Accounting Association: 1999

Accounting Scholar Award (2000-2001), University of Tennessee: 1999
Physician Executive MBA, Outstanding Faculty Member, University of Tennessee: 1998
Pugh & Co., P.C., Accounting Faculty Excellence Award (Teaching), University of Tennessee: 1998
S. Herbert Rhea, Faculty Innovators Award, University of Tennessee: 1998
Allen H. Keally Teaching Award, University of Tennessee: 1997
Undergraduate Faculty Advising Award, University of Tennessee: 1996
Finalist for Allen H. Keally Teaching Award, University of Tennessee: 1996
Outstanding Graduate Teaching Assistant, Arizona State University: 1990
Outstanding Graduate Student in Finance, Arizona State University: 1990
Evans Scholarship, Evans Scholars Foundation: 1976

Professional Affiliations

Member: American Accounting Association
American Institute of Certified Public Accountants
Wisconsin Institute of Certified Public Accountants
Tennessee Society of Certified Public Accountants

RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

Published / Accepted Referred Articles

Regionalization of Surgical Services in Central Florida: The Next Step in Acute Care Surgery (with Ernest Block and Chuck Noon), *The Journal of Trauma* (*forthcoming*).

Transparency in the Non-Profit Sector: An Empirical Examination (with Del DeVries and Jing Lin), *Advances in Accounting*, Volume 18, Issue 1, 2010: 6 - 12).

An Empirical Analysis of Audit Fee Price Competition after the Korean 1999 Omnibus Cartel Repeal Act (with Jung Lee and Jin Hua), *Journal of International Accounting, Auditing, and Taxation*, Volume 18, Issue 2, 2009: 132 - 140.

Accounting Doctoral Education – 2007 A Report of the Joint AAA/APLG/FSA Doctoral Education Committee (with Carnes, Krull, Stocks, and Reckers), *Issues in Accounting Education* (August 2008): 357 – 367.

Audit Quality and Properties of Analysts' Earnings Forecasts (with Tony Kang and Jong-Hag Choi), *The Accounting Review* (March 2008): 327 – 349.

A Within Firm Analysis of Current and Expected Future Audit Lag Determinants (with Jon Woodroof and DeWayne Searcy), *Journal of Information Systems* (Spring 2006): 65 – 86.

Death of CEOs: Are Delays in Naming Successors and Successor Origin Associated with Subsequent Firm Performance? (with David Dawley, Richard Riley and Ya-wen Yang), *Journal of Managerial Issues* (Spring 2006): 32 - 46.

Musings on Corporate Governance, Academic Research, and Our Role in Enhancing the Value of Our Academic Accounting Profession, *Indian Accounting Review*, Indian Accounting Association Research Foundation (December 2005): 16 - 24.

The Value of an Heir Apparent in Succession Planning (with Richard Riley and Ya-wen Yang), *Corporate Governance: An International Journal* (March 2005): 168-177.

Continuous Audit: The motivations, benefits, problems, and challenges identified by partners of a Big 4 accounting firm, 2003 36th *Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences Proceedings—Track 7*

(with DeWayne Searcy and Jon Woodroof), <http://computer.org/proceedings/hicss/1874/1874toc.htm>, Abstract and PDF file (pages 1-10) electronic table of content page 210.

The predictive ability of geographic segment disclosures of U.S. companies: SFAS 14 versus SFAS 131 (with Nancy Nichols and Donna Street), *Journal of International Accounting Research* (Volume I, December 2002): 31-44.

Further evidence on the auditor's going concern report: The influence of management plans (with S. Kaplan and K. Krumwiede), *Auditing: A Journal of Practice and Theory* (March 2001): 13-28.

The Effect of Compensation Mix on Discretionary Accruals and the Informativeness of Earnings (with R. Riley and A. Nagy), *Journal of Corporate Communications* (2000), (on-line journal--<http://www.corpcomm.org>): pages 1-32.

Management Plans and SAS No. 59 Going Concern Resolutions (with R. Riley and K. Pany), *Advances in Accounting* (Volume 17, 2000): 187-203.

Client satisfaction and big 6 audit fees (with J. Carcello, D. Hermanson, and R. Hermanson), *Contemporary Accounting Research* (Winter 1999): 587-608.

Using non-financial information to predict financial performance: The case of the U.S. airline industry (with D. Riley), *Journal of Accounting, Auditing, and Finance* (Winter 1999): 29-56.

SAS No. 59: Going Concern Evidence (with Kurt Pany and Richard Riley), *The CPA Journal* (July 1999): 52.

The determinants of the deferred tax allowance account under SFAS 109 (with J. Williams and T. Eaton), *Accounting Horizons* (March 1998): 63-78.

The determinants of audit client satisfaction among clients of big 6 firms (with J. Carcello, D. Hermanson, and R. Hermanson), *Accounting Horizons* (March 1997): 7-24.

Value implications of supplemental disclosures - The case of unfilled order backlogs, *Advances in Accounting* (Volume 14, 1996): 61-84 .

Alternative income determination rules and earnings usefulness: The case of R&D costs (with M. Loudder), *Contemporary Accounting Research* (Fall 1995): 185-205.

Understanding limitations of lawyers' letters as audit evidence (with K. Pany), *Journal of Accountancy* (February 1995): 61-67.

A test of the usefulness of geographical segment disclosures (with J. Boatsman and D. Patz), *Journal of Accounting Research* (Supplement 1993): 46-64.

Submitted/In-Process Articles

Do Firms Optimally Invest in the Board of Directors and Governance Committees? (with Brian Carver and Terry Neal), revising for submission to *Contemporary Accounting Research*.

The Value of Reliability and Maintenance (with Richard Riley, Richard Brooks and Giorgio Gotti), under first review at the *Research in Accounting Regulation*.

The Value Relevance of SFAS 131 Quarterly Segment Disclosures (with Nancy Nichols and Donna Street).

Published / Accepted Book Chapter/Entries

Encyclopedia of Health Care Management (financial and ABC accounting entries), Mike Stahl-editor, Sage Publishers, 2004: 6-7, 212-213.

Measuring Business Performance (Chapter 6), The Physician's Essential MBA, Aspen Publishers, 1999: 115-133.

Published / Accepted Articles (Non Refereed)

Editorial – Closing the GAAP – A Perspective on the New International Financial Reporting Environment, EY Faculty Connection, Ernst & Young LLP (Winter 2005, Issue 12): 1-2.

Keynote Address – Musings on Corporate Governance, Academic Research, and Our Role in Enhancing the Value of Our Academic Accounting Profession, Conference Proceedings, Seventh International Accounting Conference, Indian Accounting Association Research Foundation (2005), Calcutta, India: 1-4.

Editorial—IASCF Constitutional Review: A Time to Support Independent Standard Setting and Academic Representation (with Donna Street), *Journal of International Accounting Research* (Volume 3, No. 1, 2004): xiii – xv.

Assessing the financial viability of a clinical exercise laboratory (with Edward Diamond and Kim French), ATS Practice Tips, <http://www.thoracic.org/practioners/tips/tips0903.asp> (September 2003): 1-5.

Faculty Musings: Has the Accounting Regulation Pendulum Swung Too Far?, Bill Judge-editor, University of Tennessee, 2003: 3-4.

The 1999 AAA Innovation in Accounting Education Award—The Master of Accountancy Business Core and The Marketplace, *The Accounting Educator*, Volume IX, No.1 (Fall 1999): 3-4.

Economic Evaluation of Investments in Reliability and Maintenance Improvement Projects (with J. A. Bontadelli), 1999 Maintenance and Reliability Conference (MARCON) Proceedings: 121-132.

Published Research Projects (Research Coordinator):

Accounting in Community Colleges: Who Teaches, Who Studies? David Leslie (Author) and Bruce Behn (Research Coordinator), American Accounting Association (2010): 1-43.

Trends in Non-Tenure-Eligible Accounting Faculty, 1993 – 2004, David Leslie (Author) and Bruce Behn (Research Coordinator), American Accounting Association (2009): 1-40.

Accounting Faculty in U.S. Colleges and Universities: Status and Trends, 1993 – 2004, David Leslie (Author) and Bruce Behn (Research Coordinator), American Accounting Association (2008): 1-36.

External Committee Reports:

Federated School of Accountancy's Response on the Implications for Graduate Accounting Education of the AAA's Accounting Education: Charting the Course through a Perilous Future, 2001 FSA Curriculum Content Committee, Bruce Behn (Chair), David Campbell, Gregory Carnes, Lester Heitger, Danny P. Hollingsworth, D. Gerald Searfoss, David E. Stout, and Dennis F Togo, (Fall 2001): 1-8.

Research Presentations

The determinants of transparency in nonprofit organizations: An exploratory study (with Del DeVries and Jing Lin), presented at Singapore Management University, Singapore (May 2005).

The determinants of transparency in nonprofit organizations: An exploratory study (with Del DeVries and Jing Lin), presented at Nanyang Technological University, Singapore (May 2005).

The determinants of transparency in nonprofit organizations: An exploratory study (with Del DeVries and Jing Lin), presented at Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Hong Kong (May 2005).

The determinants of transparency in nonprofit organizations: An exploratory study (with Del DeVries and Jing Lin), presented at University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa (April 2005).

The determinants of transparency in nonprofit organizations: An exploratory study (with Del DeVries and Jing Lin), presented at Oklahoma State University, Stillwater (April 2005).

Using non-financial information to predict financial performance: The case of the U.S. airline industry (with D. Riley), presented at the University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon (June 1998).

Using non-financial information to predict financial performance: The case of the U.S. airline industry (with D. Riley), presented at the AAA 1997 National Meeting, Dallas, TX (August 1997).

Management plans, restructuring, and SAS 59 going concern resolutions (with K. Pany and R. Riley), presented at the AAA 1997 National Meeting Forum Sessions, Dallas, TX (August 1997).

Further evidence on the auditor's going concern report: The influence of forward-looking information (with S. Kaplan and K. Krumwiede), presented at the AAA 1996 National Meeting Forum Sessions, Chicago, Illinois (August 1996).

The determinants of the deferred tax allowance account under SFAS 109 (with J. Williams and T. Eaton) presented at the AAA Southeast Regional Meeting, Richmond, Virginia (April 1996).

Audit fees: The effect of client satisfaction, big six audit firm, and corporate controller work experience (with Joe V. Carcello, Dana R. Hermanson, and Roger H. Hermanson), presented at the AAA 1995 National Meeting, Orlando, Florida (August 1995).

Value implications of supplemental disclosures: The case of unfilled order backlogs, presented at the Second International Conference on Contemporary Accounting Issues, Taipei, Taiwan (July 1995).

A test of the usefulness of geographical segment disclosures (with James R. Boatsman and Dennis H. Patz), presented at the *Journal of Accounting Research* International Conference, Chicago, Illinois (May 1993).

Funding Received

2002 Department of Accounting and Business Law, Summer Research Support; \$15,000.

2002 Innovative Technology Center, Teaching with Technology Grant (with D. DeVries and J. Woodroof); \$15,000

1998/1999 CBA Faculty Research Council; \$8,000

1995 SARIF Summer Graduate Research Assistantships Award (with R. Riley); \$3,000.

1995 UTK Career Enhancement Award; \$1,800.

TEACHING

Courses Taught at The University of Tennessee

<u>Course</u>	<u>Year</u>
Business Core MAcc	1997 - current
Executive MBA	1996 - current
Physician Executive MBA	1998 - current
Taiwan Executive MBA	95, 97, 98, 99, 00, 01, 02
Professional MBA	2000 - current
Aerospace and Defense MBA	2004 - current
Business Simulation	Summer 97
Financial Reporting II	Fall 95, 96

Ph.D. Seminar (Capital Markets)	Spring 96, 00, 03, 05, 07, 09
Financial Reporting I	Spring 95
Financial Reporting I	Fall 94

Courses Taught at Arizona State University

<u>Course</u>	<u>Year</u>
Advanced Accounting	Spring 94, Summer 94
Intermediate Financial Accounting I	Summer 93
Intermediate Financial Accounting II	Fall 91, Spring 92
Intermediate Financial Accounting II	Summer 90, 91, 92
Introductory Managerial Accounting	Spring 89
Introductory Financial Accounting	Fall 88

INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE

External Committee Assignments

American Accounting Association

- Vice-President Sections and Regions, 2008 - 2010
- Member: Strategic Management Team, 2008 – 2010
- Member: AAA/APLG Advocacy Committee, 2008 - 2010
- Membership Strategic Initiative: Co-leader with Elizabeth Oliver, 2007 - 2008
- Member: Environmental Scanning Task Force, 2007-2008
- Chairperson: Membership Committee, 2005-2007
- Member: Accounting Education Committee, 2003-2005
- Member: Annual Program Advisory Committee, 2001
- Member: Ernst & Young Innovation in Accounting Education Award, 2001
- Member: Deloitte & Touche Wildman Medal Award Committee, 2000

American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

- Member: Nominations Committee, 2009 - 2010
- Member: Pre Certification Education Executive Committee, 2007 – 2010
- Member: Bea Sanders Award Committee for ELS, 2007 - 2009

Federation of Schools of Accountancy

- Past President, 2008 -2009
- President, 2007 -2008
- President Elect, 2006-2007
- Secretary, 2004-2006
- Chairperson: Annual Program Committee, 2003
- Chairperson: Curriculum Content Committee, 2001
- Member: Mark Chain/FSA Innovation in Graduation Education Award 2008

International Accounting Section (AAA): 1994-present

- Member: Outstanding Service Award, 2009, 2010
- Chairperson: Nominations Committee, 2006-2007
- Immediate Past President, 2005-2006
- President, 2004-2005
- Vice President – Academic, 2003-2004
- Treasurer, 2001-2003
- Chairperson: Annual Program Committee, 2001
- Member: Nominations Committee, 1999
- Chairperson: Southeast Regional Coordinator, 1998
- Chairperson: Liaison with Section Journal, 1996
- Member: Research Thrust Committee, 1996
- Member: Outstanding Dissertation Award Committee, 1996

Pathways Commission – Chair, 2010 - 2011

Tennessee Society of Certified Public Accountants

Member: Accounting Education & Career Awareness Committee, 2007 – 2010

Departmental Committee Assignments

Recruiting Committee: 2005 - present

Ph.D. and Research Committee: 1994 - present

Technology Committee: 1995 - present

Strategic Planning Committee: 1996 – 1999, 2001-present

Professional Programs Committee: 1996 - present

Undergraduate Programs Committee: 1994 - 1996, 1998

COB Committee Assignments

CBA Teaching and Advising Improvement and Recognition Committee, Chair: 2004 - present

CBA Faculty Advisory Council, 2005 - present

CBA Bank of America Leadership Award Committee Member: 2009

Marketing and Logistics Program Review Team Member: 2008

CBA Associate Dean for Executive Education Search, Chair: 2003

CBA EMBA Directors' Review Committee: 2001

CBA Restructuring Committee: 2001, 2002

CBA Dean Search Committee: 2001

Taiwan Program Review Committee Chair: 2000

CBA Faculty Advisory Council: 1999-2001

Assistant MBA Dean Search Committee: 1999

Glocker Renovation, Executive Education: 1999

MBA Core Advisor: 1996 - 1999

Telecommunications Task Force: 1995 - 1996

Ph.D. Chairman

Giorgio Gotti, (International, Accounting Department, 2007), University of Massachusetts - Boston

Jing Lin, (International, Accounting Department, 2007), St. Joseph's University, (Philadelphia)

Ya-wen Yang, (Financial, Accounting Department, 2003), University of Miami (FL)

Richard Riley, (Financial, Accounting Department, 1998), West Virginia University

Ph.D. Committee Member

Matt Hoag, (Corporate Governance, Accounting Department, Sacramento State University)

Xin Zhang (Portfolio Modeling, Management Science Department, 2009, Austin Peay State University)

Stacy Mastrolia (Corporate Governance, Accounting Department, 2009, Bucknell University)

Brian Carver (Corporate Governance, Accounting Department, 2008, Kennesaw State University)

Carl Hollingsworth (Corporate Governance, Accounting Department, 2007), Clemson University

Hui Chen (Managerial, Accounting Department, 2005), University of Colorado - Boulder

Seung-Woog Austin Kwag (Analysts' Behavior, Finance Department, 2002), Utah State University

DeWayne Searcy (Managerial, Accounting Department, 2002), University of Miami (FL)

Doug Roberts (Systems, Accounting Department, 2002), Appalachian State University

Laura Gniatczyk (Compensation, I. O. Psychology Department, 1999), Meritor Automotive

LeAnn Luna (Tax, Accounting Department, 1999), UNC-Wilmington

Joel Ryman (Strategy, Management Department, 1999), UNC-Wilmington

Al Nagy (Auditing, Accounting Department, 1999), John Carroll University

Terry Neal (Auditing, Accounting Department, 1998), University of Kentucky

Yvonne Stewart (Tax, Accounting Department, 1997), Wake Forest University

Tim Eaton (Financial, Accounting Department, 1996), Marquette University

Kip Krumwiede (Managerial, Accounting Department, 1996), Washington State University

University Honors Program - Senior Project Advisor

David Tangren (2000), The Impact of IMF Aid on the Environment: Different Aspects and Analysis of the Potential Impact of the HIPC Initiative on Three Nations: Bolivia, Uganda, and Vietnam.

Junior Faculty Development Program Mentor (funded by US Department of State, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs)

Bakhyt Kobesso, Kazakhstan (2004-2005)

Dina Timoeeva, Russia (2003 – 2004)

Andrey Haustov, Krygyzstan (2001-2002)

External Service-Research

Co-editor: *Journal of International Accounting Research*: 2003 - 2004

Associate Editor: *Journal of International Accounting Research*: 2001-2003

Associate Editor: *Issues In Accounting Education*: 2001-2004

Editorial Board: *Journal of International Accounting, Auditing, and Taxation*: 2005 - 2009

Editorial Board: *Advances in Accounting*: 1995 – 2000, 2005 - 2006

Editorial Board: *Issues in Accounting Education*: 1998 – 2000

Ad hoc referee, *The Accounting Review*, 2008-2010

Ad hoc referee, *Contemporary Accounting Research*, 1998 – 2010

Ad hoc referee, *Journal of International Financial Management and Accounting*, 2007

Ad hoc referee, *Issues in Accounting Education*: 2007

Ad hoc referee, *Research in Accounting Regulation*: 2007

Ad hoc referee, *Managerial and Decision Economics*: 2006

Ad hoc referee, *Journal of International Accounting Research*: 2005 - 2009

Ad hoc referee, *Advances in Accounting Education*: 2005

Ad hoc referee, *Auditing: A Journal of Practice & Theory*: 2004-2005, 2007

Ad hoc referee, *Journal of Accounting, Auditing, and Finance*, 1996 – 2002

Ad hoc referee, *Journal of Business Research*, 2000 – 2001

Ad hoc referee, *Accounting Education-An International Journal*, 2000 - 2001

Ad hoc referee, AAA National Meeting (Financial Section), 1995, 1996, 2002

Ad hoc referee, AAA National Meeting (International Section), 1995 - 2006

Ad hoc referee, AAA National Meeting (Auditing Section), 1996 - 2000

Ad hoc referee, AAA Southeast Regional Meeting, 1995, 1998 - 2002

Ad hoc referee, Asian Academic Accounting Association, 2000

Ad hoc referee, AAA International Research Conference, 1996, 1997, 1998

Ad hoc referee, AAA International Section Midyear Meeting, 1998 - 2006

Moderator, AAA International Section Midyear Meeting, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002

Moderator, AAA National Meeting, 2001, 2002

Discussant: AAA National Meeting, 1995, 1998 - present

Discussant: AAA Southeast Regional, 1996

Discussant: Second Intl. Conference on Contemporary Accounting Issues, 1995.

External Tenure/Promotion Evaluations

Oklahoma State University (2009)

Brigham Young University (2009)

Brigham Young University (2009)
University of Kentucky (2008)
Brigham Young University (2008)
Macquarie University (2008)
Oklahoma State University (2007)
Queensland University of Technology (2005)
Monmouth University (2005)
Oklahoma State University (2005)
Northern Illinois University (2005)
University of Oklahoma (2004)
University of Washington - Tacoma (2004)
University of New Hampshire (2003)

External Service Program Reviews

The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Scotland, Grant Application: The Future of the Accounting Academic Discipline in the UK, Professor Vivien Beattie and Dr Sarah Thomson, 2009.

Rotman International Accounting Research Center" submitted by Dr. Hope Ole-Christian, University of Toronto to the Strategic Knowledge Clusters program of the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, 2008.

External/Internal Service- Presentations Other

Pathways Commission, NASBA Eastern Regional Meeting (2010), Charleston, SC.

Pathways Commission, AAA Western Regional (2010), Portland, OR.

Valuation of Intangible Assets, Law, Science, and Technology Seminar, University of Tennessee Law School (Fall 2008), Knoxville, TN.

The Disconnect between Teaching and Practice—Why? AAA Southeast Regional Meeting, (Spring 2008), Birmingham, AL

Testifying to the Advisory Committee on the Auditing Profession's Subcommittee on Human Capital at the Treasury Department (2008), Washington, D.C.

Valuation of Intangible Assets, Law, Science, and Technology Seminar, University of Tennessee Law School (Fall 2007), Knoxville, TN.

Valuation of Intangible Assets, Law, Science, and Technology Seminar, University of Tennessee Law School (Spring 2007), Knoxville, TN.

Teaching Finance for Working Executives, FMA of Greater Knoxville, Club LeConte (2006), Knoxville, TN.

Valuation of Intangible Assets, Law, Science, and Technology Seminar, University of Tennessee Law School (2006), Knoxville, TN.

Overall International Convergence – What Does this All Mean (2006), Midwest Regional Meeting, Chicago, IL.

The Implications of Our Flat Research World, IAS Midyear Meeting (2006), Los Angeles, CA.

Knox County Board of Education Strategy Meeting, Globalization and Its Effect on Higher Education (2005), Townsend, Tennessee

Keynote Address, Indian Accounting Association Research Foundation 7th International Accounting Conference (2005), Calcutta, India

Valuation of Intangible Assets, Law, Science, and Technology Seminar, University of Tennessee Law School (2005), Knoxville, TN.

Valuation of Intangible Assets, Law, Science, and Technology Seminar, University of Tennessee Law School (2004), Knoxville, TN.

Sarbanes-Oxley Panel Discussion (with Ernst & Young, PricewaterhouseCoopers, Standard & Poor, Deloitte & Touche, and Office of Inspector General) (2003), TVA, Knoxville, TN.

34th Annual Department of Accounting and Information Systems Award Banquet Speaker, University of Wisconsin (2002), Madison, Wisconsin.

Ph.D. Teaching Symposium, Panel Discussion for UTK COB Ph.D. Students (with Jan Williams, Alex Miller, Sarah Gardial) (2002), Knoxville, TN

Federated Schools of Accountancy Annual Meeting, The State of Graduate Accounting Education (2001), Arlington, VA

AACSB Undergraduate Programs Conference, The Marketplace: Undergraduate Business Capstone Simulation (2001-two presentations), Dallas, Texas.

OR Manager Presentation, Activity Based Pathway Costing (2000), San Antonio, Texas

Maintenance and Reliability Center Conference, Articulating the Value of Reliability and Maintenance (1999), Knoxville, TN

AACSB Continuous Improvement Symposium, The MAcc Business Core and the Marketplace (1999), Minneapolis, MN

American Accounting Association National Meeting Presentation, The MAcc Business Core and the Marketplace (1999), San Diego, CA

OR Manager Presentation, Why Activity Based Costing Makes a Difference (1999), Powell, Tennessee

Federated Schools of Accountancy Annual Meeting, The MAcc Business Core and the Marketplace (1998), Savannah, Georgia

Pershing Yoakley & Associates Presentation, Technology and the Strategic Use of Information (1997), Knoxville, Tennessee