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#### **EDUCATION**

**University of Tennessee** 

Expected May 2028

Ph.D. in Business Administration - Accounting

**Auburn University** 

August 2024

Master of Science in Information Systems

**Auburn University** 

May 2022

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration Major: Accountancy and Information Systems Management

#### RESEARCH

Areas of Research Interest: Audit and Accounting Information Systems

Work in Progress:

"Individual Tax Preparation Fees and the Effects of Artificial Intelligence Offerings" With Paul Black and Kerry Inger

Attended Ph.D. Seminar with Dr. David Paradice - Philosophy of Research

## **TEACHING**

Areas of Teaching Interest: Accounting Information Systems, Accounting Analytics, Audit

## **Auburn University**

Guest Lecturer, Cloud Technologies – Introduction to Information Systems (ISMN 2140)

Teaching Assistant – Security and Information Assurance (Dr. Casey Cegielski)

Teaching Assistant – Risk Analysis (Dr. Casey Cegielski)

Teaching Assistant – Professional Development for Business Majors (Ms. Jan Moppert)

#### ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Abacus Technologies (BMSS, LLC)

August 2022 – August 2024

**Business Intelligence Analyst** 

**Deloitte** January – March 2021

Intern, Audit and Assurance

Chick-fil-A May – July 2020

Intern, Financial Reporting

**Auburn University, Harbert College of Business** 

May 2021 – August 2022

Peer Instructor

## **CERTIFICATIONS**

Certified Public Accountant, South Carolina Certificate in Cybersecurity (CC) – ISC^2

## **MEMBERSHIPS**

American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA) Alabama Society of CPAs (ASCPA)

## **HONORS AND AWARDS**

Graduate Student Fellowship, University of Tennessee
Haslam Ph.D. Scholarship, University of Tennessee
Achievement Scholarship, Auburn University
Ever to Conquer Scholarship, Auburn University
Departmental Scholarship - School of Accountancy, Auburn University