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EDUCATION

University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Ph.D. in Business Administration, Accounting (GPA: 4.0) Expected May 2029

Abilene Christian University

Master of Accountancy (GPA: 3.9) 2019

B.B.A., Accounting & Information Systems (GPA: 3.97) 2018

RESEARCH ACTIVITY

Research Interests

Corporate Disclosure Strategy, SEC Reporting and Regulation, Audit and Assurance

Working Papers

“De Facto Tier-Based Regulation in the SEC Filing Review Process” with Lauren Cunningham (University of Tennessee, Knoxville), Bret Johnson (George Mason University), and Jacob Leidner (Independent)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Interests

Audit & IT Audit, Accounting Information Systems, Financial Accounting

University of Tennessee, Instructor

INMT 341: Business Process Analysis Expected Summer 2026

- Undergraduate course covering business processes, risks, and internal controls

University of Southern Mississippi, Guest Lecturer

ACC 615: Audit Analytics and IT Auditing Fall 2024

- Developed and presented lecture on SOC 1 and SOC 2 reports to M.Acc. students

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS AND RELATED WORK EXPERIENCE

Certified Public Accountant, Tennessee, Active 2021 - Present

Certified Information Systems Auditor, Active 2024 - Present

University of Tennessee, Graduate Research Assistant 2025 - Present

KPMG, LLP

- Manager, Audit - Technology Assurance 2025
- Senior Associate, Audit - Technology Assurance 2022 - 2025
- Associate, Audit - Technology Assurance 2020 - 2022

HONORS AND AWARDS

Graduate Student Fellowship, University of Tennessee 2025

Doctoral Scholarship, University of Tennessee 2025

Honor Man, Abilene Christian University 2018

Valedictorian, Abilene Christian University 2018

Accounting Excellence Award, Texas Society of CPAs 2018