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## EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

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2019 (expected) *Ph.D., Accounting, Michigan State University*  
2011 *Chartered Accountant, United Kingdom (Active)*  
2010 *MSc, Accounting and Finance, London School of Economics*  
2010 *BBA, Accounting with minor in Mathematics, Jacksonville University*

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## ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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2014-present **Michigan State University** – Research Assistant and Teaching Assistant  
(Department of Accounting and Information Systems)  
2011-2014 **Ernst & Young LLP** – Corporate Tax Advisor (United Kingdom)  
2011-2011 **Sun Global Investments Limited** – Intern (United Kingdom)  
2008-2010 **Jacksonville University** – Research Assistant and Teaching Assistant  
(Davis College of Business)

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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Tax Avoidance; Tax Risk; Income Shifting; Multi-jurisdictional Corporation Taxation; Intellectual Property Boxes

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## RESEARCH – WORKING PAPERS

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The Relation between Tax Risk and Firm Value: Evidence from the Luxembourg Tax Leaks (with Wayne Nesbitt and Edmund Outslay).

- Invited presentations: 6th North American CSEAR Conference, 2016 AAA Annual Meeting, 2016 National Tax Association Annual Conference, 2017 Journal of the American Taxation Association (JATA) Conference

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## RESEARCH – IN PROGRESS

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The Effect of Executives on Corporate Tax Avoidance: Evidence from Exogenous CEO Turnovers (completed the data analysis and currently in the write-up stage)

## WORKSHOPS AND INVITED PRESENTATIONS

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- 2017      *Journal of the American Taxation Association (JATA) Conference, Phoenix, AZ*  
**Presenter:** "The Relation between Tax Risk and Firm Value: Evidence from the Luxembourg Tax Leaks"
- 2016      *National Tax Association Annual Conference, Baltimore, MD*  
**Presenter:** "The Relation between Tax Risk and Firm Value: Evidence from the Luxembourg Tax Leaks"
- 2016      *American Accounting Association Annual Meeting, New York City, NY*  
**Presenter:** "The Relation between Tax Risk and Firm Value: Evidence from the Luxembourg Tax Leaks"
- 2016      *6<sup>th</sup> North American CSEAR Conference, Illinois State University, IL*  
**Presenter:** "The Relation between Tax Risk and Firm Value: Evidence from the Luxembourg Tax Leaks"
- 2015      Michigan State University  
**Presenter:** "The Relation between Tax Risk and Firm Value: Evidence from the Luxembourg Tax Leaks"

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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### Michigan State University

Tax Accounting Section, MS in Accounting Preparation Program (Summer 2015)

Rating: 6.63/7.00

ACC 202 – Principles of Management Accounting (Fall 2015, Spring 2016)

Average Rating: 4.25/5.00

### Jacksonville University

MBA Accounting Exam Review Sessions (Fall 2010)

Accounting and Mathematics Tutor (Fall 2008 - Spring 2010)

### EQuest Academy

TOEFL and GMAT Instructor (Summer 2010)

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

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Member, American Taxation Association

Member, National Tax Association

Member, the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Scotland

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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2015	Marlys and Jack Gray Doctoral Fellowship, Michigan State University
2014	MSU's Accounting Doctoral Programs Scholarship, Michigan State University
2011	Graduated with <i>Distinction</i> , London School of Economics
2010	Graduated <i>Summa Cum Laude</i> (3.99/4.00 GPA) Departmental Honors in Accounting, Jacksonville University
2010	Davis College of Business Undergraduate Student of the Year, Jacksonville University
2010	Outstanding Undergraduate Student in Accounting, Jacksonville University
2010	Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges
2010	Pi Mu Epsilon National Mathematics Honor Society
2010	Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society
2009	Successful Participant in the 2009 Mathematical Contest in Modeling
2009	Omicron Delta Kappa National Leadership Honor Society
2009	Bert L. Thomas Memorial Scholarship (2 times), Jacksonville University
2009	Richard D. Sanborn Jr. Scholarship (2 times), Jacksonville University
2009	Sea Star Line LLC Scholarship
2009	Elizabeth Edgar Hall Scholarship
2008-10	President's Honor Roll (6 times), Jacksonville University
2008-10	Dean's List (6 times), Jacksonville University
2007-10	International Student Academic Scholarship, Jacksonville University

## CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

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American Tax Association Midyear Meeting ( <b>Presenter</b> )
Phoenix, February 2016
National Tax Association Annual Conference ( <b>Presenter</b> )
Baltimore, November 2016
6 <sup>th</sup> MSU FCU Conference on Financial Institutions and Investments
Michigan, November 2016
AAA Annual Meeting ( <b>Presenter</b> )
New York, August 2016
Northwestern-Duke Causal Inference Workshop
Chicago, August 2016
6 <sup>th</sup> North American CSEAR Conference ( <b>Presenter</b> )
Illinois, June 2016
GLOBAL Management Accounting Research Symposium
Michigan, June 2016
American Tax Association Midyear Meeting
Orlando, February 2016
5 <sup>th</sup> MSU FCU Conference on Financial Institutions and Investments

Michigan. October 2015  
KPMG/American Tax Association Tax Doctoral Consortium  
Washington, February 2015  
American Tax Association Midyear Meeting  
Washington, February 2015