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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*

## 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)

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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

## 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).

- *Revising for second-round submission to the Journal of Accounting and Economics*
- 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

***Does Country by Country Reporting Deter Tax Avoidance and Income-Shifting? Evidence from Capital Requirements Directive IV*** (with Preetika Joshi and Edmund Outslay).

- Invited presentations: 2018 Telfer Annual Conference on Accounting and Finance - Ottawa; University of Waterloo's 2018 Deloitte Tax Symposium - Toronto

***Auditor Tax Advisory Services and Clients' Tax Avoidance: Do Auditors Draw a Line in the Sand for Tax Advisory Services?*** (with Wayne Nesbitt and Joanna Shaw).

## **RESEARCH – IN PROGRESS**

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Private company equity valuation: Evidence from section 409A (with Marilyn Johnson, Martin Persson, and Daniel Wangerin)

- Completed the data collection phase and currently in the data analysis stage

## **INVITED CONFERENCES**

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2018	Telfer Annual Conference on Accounting and Finance, Ottawa, ON <b><i>(Presenter)</i></b>
2018	University of Waterloo's Deloitte Tax Symposium, Toronto, ON <b><i>(Co-author presents)</i></b>
2017	Journal of the American Taxation Association Conference, New Orleans, LA <b><i>(Discussant)</i></b>
2017	University of Illinois Symposium on Tax Research, Chicago, IL <b><i>(Discussant)</i></b>
2017	Journal of the American Taxation Association (JATA) Conference, Phoenix, AZ <b><i>(Presenter)</i></b>
2016	National Tax Association Annual Conference, Baltimore, MD <b><i>(Presenter)</i></b>
2016	American Accounting Association Annual Meeting, New York City, NY <b><i>(Presenter)</i></b>
2016	6 <sup>th</sup> North American CSEAR Conference, Illinois State University, IL <b><i>(Presenter)</i></b>

## **CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION**

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2017	ÊSTIMATE Workshop - Department of Economics, Michigan State University, Michigan
2016	6 <sup>th</sup> MSU FCU Conference on Financial Institutions and Investments, Michigan
2016	Northwestern-Duke Causal Inference Workshop, Chicago
2016	GLOBAL Management Accounting Research Symposium, Michigan
2016	American Tax Association Midyear Meeting, Orlando
2015	5 <sup>th</sup> MSU FCU Conference on Financial Institutions and Investments, Michigan
2015	KPMG/American Tax Association Tax Doctoral Consortium, Washington
2015	American Tax Association Midyear Meeting, Washington

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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### Michigan State University

ACC 331 – Federal Income Tax Accounting (Summer 2017)

Rating: 4.45/5.00

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

Average Rating: 4.25/5.00

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

Rating: 6.63/7.00

### Jacksonville University

MBA Accounting Exam Review Sessions (Fall 2010)

Accounting and Mathematics Tutor (Fall 2008 - Spring 2010)

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

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Member, American Taxation Association

Member, Canadian Academic Accounting 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