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Education

Doctor of Philosophy in Accounting University of Wisconsin – Madison	August 2006
Masters of Accounting St. Cloud State University, St. Cloud, Minnesota	May 1998
Bachelor of Science – Major: Accounting St. Cloud State University, St. Cloud, Minnesota	November 1988

Academic Appointments

2016 – Present	Associate Professor – University of Mississippi
2010 – 2016	Assistant Professor – University of Mississippi
2012 – 2013	Adjunct Professor – Tulane University Executive Education Programs
2006 – 2010	Assistant Professor – University of Florida
2001 – 2006	Lecturer/Research Assistant – University of Wisconsin - Madison
1999 – 2001	Instructor – St. Cloud State University, St. Cloud, Minnesota

Refereed Publications

Adut, D. V. Dickinson, and P. Schaberl. 2020. Firm Life Cycle Stage Explains Fundamentals: Evidence from the Statement of Cash Flows. *The Value Examiner*, May/June, 19-25.

Cantrell, B., Dickinson, V. 2020. Conditional Life Cycle: An Examination of Operating Performance for Leaders and Laggards. *Management Science*, 66(1), 433-451.

Dickinson, Victoria, Haimanot Kassa, and Philipp Schaberl. 2018. What Information Matters to Investors at Different Stages of a Firm's Life Cycle? *Advances in Accounting*, Volume 42: pp. 22-33.

Dickinson, Victoria, Daniel Wangerin, and John Wild. 2016. Accounting Rules and Post-Acquisition Profitability for Business Combinations. *Accounting Horizons*, Volume 30 (4): pp. 427-447.

Dickinson, Victoria, Paul Kimmel and Terry Warfield. 2012. The Accounting and Market Consequences of Accelerated Share Repurchases. *Review of Accounting Studies*, Volume 17(1): pp. 41-71.

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Refereed Publications Continued

Dickinson, Victoria and Gregory Sommers. 2012. Which Competitive Efforts Lead to Future Abnormal Economic Rents? Using Accounting Ratios to Assess Competitive Advantage. *Journal of Business, Finance and Accounting*, Volume 39(3-4): pp. 360-398.

Dickinson, Victoria. 2011. Cash Flow Patterns as a Proxy for Firm Life Cycle. *The Accounting Review*, Volume 86(6): pp. 1969-1994.

Dickinson, Victoria, Paul Kimmel and Terry Warfield. 2011. BioScience Company: Accounting for Idle Plant Assets. *Issues in Accounting Education*, Volume 26(1): pp. 155-162.

Dickinson, Victoria and John Lere. 2003. Problems Evaluating Sales Representative Performance? Try Activity-Based Costing. *Industrial Marketing Management* 32(4): pp. 301-307.

Working Papers

Almand, Andrew, Brett Cantrell and Victoria Dickinson. Misspecification in Accruals Estimation Models: Does Firm Life Cycle Improve Performance?

Cao, Yiting, Victoria Dickinson, Flora Dong, and Dan Wangerin. Do Boards Consider Post-Acquisition Fair Value Accounting in Determining CEO Compensation?

Bowlin, Kendall, Victoria Dickinson, and Sara Gochnauer. Auditor Response to Industry-Level News Affecting the Audit Client.

Editorial Review Activities

Ad-Hoc Reviewer *The Accounting Review, Contemporary Accounting Research, Review of Accounting Studies; Management Science; Journal of Accounting, Auditing and Finance; Journal of Business Finance and Accounting; Accounting Horizons; Journal of Accounting and Public Policy; Journal of Contemporary Accounting and Economics; Research in Accounting Regulation; Journal of Management Accounting Research; Journal of International Accounting Research; Issues in Accounting Education; Journal of Accounting Literature; Journal of Corporate Finance; Financial Review*

2007-2020 Reviewer –Financial Accounting Reporting Section Conference, American Accounting Association

2008-2020 Reviewer –American Accounting Association Annual Meeting

2018 Reviewer – Canadian Academic Accounting Association

2011 Program Committee Liaison – Financial Accounting Reporting Section, American Accounting Association

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Professional Presentations (does not include co-author presentations)

- 2020 American Accounting Association, FARS Midyear Meeting, Nashville, TN
- 2019 University of Delaware, Newark, DE
- 2019 American Accounting Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA
- 2019 University of Memphis, Memphis, TN
- 2018 University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH
- 2018 University of Calgary, Calgary, AB
- 2018 University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE
- 2017 Colorado Accounting Research Symposium, University of Denver, CO
- 2017 American Accounting Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA
- 2016 Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI
- 2016 American Accounting Association Annual Meeting, New York, NY
- 2016 American Accounting Association, FARS Midyear Meeting, Newport Beach, CA
- 2015 University of Wisconsin Doctoral Alumni Conference
- 2015 University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC
- 2015 London School of Economics, London, UK
- 2014 University of Kentucky, Lexington Kentucky
- 2014 American Accounting Association, Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA
- 2013 Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX
- 2012 American Accounting Association, Annual Meeting, National Harbor, MD
- 2012 American Accounting Association, FARS Midyear Meeting, Chicago, IL
- 2011 American Accounting Association Annual Meeting, Denver, CO
- 2011 Journal of Business, Finance and Accounting Capital Markets Conference – Invited Presenter, London, England
- 2011 University of Technology Sydney Summer Doctoral Consortium – Distinguished Speaker Series, Invited Speaker, Sydney, New South Wales
- 2010 University of Mississippi, Oxford, MS
- 2010 University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL
- 2010 Center for Accounting Research and Education Annual Financial Statement and Valuation Conference, Invited Speaker, Coral Gables, FL
- 2009 American Accounting Association Annual Meeting, New York, NY
- 2009 International Conference on Assurance and Governance, University of Florida
- 2009 Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL
- 2008 American Accounting Association Annual Meeting, Anaheim, CA
- 2008 19th Annual Conference on Financial Economics and Accounting, Austin, TX
- 2008 Baylor University, Waco, TX
- 2007 University of Wisconsin Doctoral Alumni Conference
- 2007 Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL
- 2006 University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT

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Professional Presentations Continued (does not include co-author presentations)

- 2006 University of Florida, Gainesville, FL
- 2006 College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, VA
- 2006 Miami University, Oxford, OH
- 2005 American Accounting Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA

Awards and Honors

- 2019, 2011 Outstanding Researcher of the Year, Patterson School of Accountancy, University of Mississippi
- 2018, 2012 Outstanding Teacher of the Year, Patterson School of Accountancy, University of Mississippi
- 2009-2010 Judy Fisher Teaching with Technology Award, University of Florida
- 2008-2009 Anderson Scholar Faculty Honoree, University of Florida
- 2008 Warrington College of Business Administration Teacher of the Year Award, University of Florida
- 2007-2008 J. Michael Cook Excellence in Teaching Award, University of Florida
- 2003 Reggie Tate Excellence in Teaching Award, University of Wisconsin - Madison
- 2002-2003 Douglas Clarke Memorial Teaching Award, University of Wisconsin – Madison
- 1997 APICS Donald W. Fogarty International Paper Competition, First Place, Graduate Category

Teaching Experience

University of Mississippi

- Capital Markets/Archival Doctoral Seminar
- Seminar in Financial Accounting Theory and Analytics (graduate)
- Seminar in Financial Accounting Theory (graduate)
- International Accounting (graduate)
- Professional Development and Advanced Research (honors students)
- Financial and Managerial Accounting for MBAs
- Principles of Accounting I

Tulane University

- Managerial Accounting – Executive MBA
- Managerial Accounting – Professional MBA
- Financial Accounting – Professional MBA

University of Florida

- Philosophy of Science Doctoral Seminar
- Managerial Accounting for MBAs (core course)
- Accounting Information and Business Processes I (equivalent of Intermediate I)
- Cost & Management Accounting

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Teaching Experience Continued

University of Wisconsin – Madison

Financial Accounting for MBAs (core course)

Intermediate Accounting I

Introduction to Financial Accounting

PhD Student Committee Involvement

Current	Erin Johnson, Chris Miller (Co-Chair), Yankun Jia (Management)
2018	Sydnee Manley (Chair) – University of Mississippi (placed at Providence College)
2016	Andrew Almand – University of Mississippi (placed at Henderson State University)
2016	Tyler Williams – University of Mississippi (placed at Bentley University)
2016	Jennifer Palar (Management) – University of Mississippi (placed at Augustana College, IL)
2013	Dereck Barr – University of Mississippi (placed at the University of Wisconsin Madison)
2013	Kelly Williams – University of Mississippi (placed at Middle Tennessee State University)
2010	Michael Donohoe – University of Florida (placed at University of Illinois)
2009	Monika Causholli – University of Florida (placed at University of Kentucky)
2008	Carlos Jimenez – University of Florida (placed at University of Texas – San Antonio)

Other Faculty Experience

2012-2019	PwC Challenge Faculty Advisor Advanced to National Championship (2012)
2011-2019	KPMG International Case Competition Faculty Advisor Advanced to National Championship (2018)
2014-2018	Case Competition Boot Camp Instructor
2015-2017	Honors Students Exploration Experience
2014-2015	KPMG Ace the Case Competition Faculty Advisor

External Service, Research and Professional Development

2020-2021	Co-Chair, Financial Accounting Reporting Section Doctoral Consortium
2013-2020	PwC Accounting and Tax Symposium – Invited Participant, (San Francisco, CA 2019), (Washington, DC 2018), (San Diego, CA 2017), (Atlanta, GA 2014), (Dana Point, CA 2013)
2010, 2020	Review of Accounting Studies Conference - Invited Participant

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2019	Chair, Financial Accounting Reporting Section Lifetime Achievement Award & PhD Mentoring Award Screening Committee
2011, 2019	FASB Faculty Consortium – Invited Participant, Stamford, CT
2007-2019	Center for Accounting Research and Education Financial Statement and Valuation Conference Invited Participant: 2007 (Yountville, CA), 2008 (London, U.K.), 2009 (Singapore), 2010 (Coral Gables), 2011 (Palisades, NY), 2012 (London, U.K.), 2014 (Hong Kong), 2016 and 2019 (Leesburg, VA)
2013, 2019	Contemporary Accounting Research Conference – Invited Participant
2018	Member, Financial Accounting Reporting Section Lifetime Achievement Award & PhD Mentoring Award Screening Committee
2017-2018	KPMG Masters of Accounting and Data Analytics Boot Camp, (National Harbor, MD 2018; San Diego, CA 2017)
2016-2018	Conference on the Convergence of Financial and Managerial Accounting Research (Temple University 2016, 2018; Banff, AB 2017)
2015-2018	Chair, Financial Accounting Reporting Section - Midyear Meeting Scholarship Committee
2017	BDO National Leadership Conference, Nashville, TN
2017	New Faculty Consortium, Leesburg, VA – Invited Speaker and Faculty Mentor
2015-2016	Chair, Screening Committee - American Accounting Association Distinguished and Notable Contributions to Accounting Literature Award
2016	EY Academic Resource Center (EYARC) Colloquium – Invited Participant (Minneapolis, MN)
2016	Grant Thornton Audit Leadership Conference – Invited Participant (Washington DC)
2014-2015	Screening Committee Member - American Accounting Association Distinguished and Notable Contributions of Accounting Literature Award
2009, 2015	Deloitte Trueblood Seminar Participant
2014	Deloitte Faculty Symposium – Dallas, TX
2012-2014	Selection Committee Member - American Accounting Association Distinguished and Notable Contributions of Accounting Literature Award
2010-2013	Mid-South Doctoral Consortium, (University of Mississippi, 2010), (University of Memphis 2012), (Mississippi State University 2013)
2012-2013	Nomination Committee Member – American Accounting Association – Financial
2012	KPMG Faculty Consortium – Invited Participant, New York, NY
2011	Journal of Business, Finance and Accounting Capital Markets Conference – Invited Participant, London, England
2008-2009	Financial Valuation Committee, Member - American Accounting Association
2008	KPMG Faculty Seminar in IFRS
2006	PwC Symposium for Faculty, Princeton University

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Department and University Service

2018-2021	Academic Freedom and Faculty Responsibility Committee
2011-2021	AACSB Strategic Planning Committee, Member – Patterson School of Accountancy
2013-2018	Search Committee, Member – Assistant Professor – Patterson School of Accountancy
2015-2018	Advisory Board for the Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning – University of Mississippi
2015-2018	Interdisciplinary Certificate in Applied Statistics Committee, Member – University of Mississippi
2012-2018	Research Board – Alternate, University of Mississippi
2017	Panelist, Faculty Development Luncheon Series, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning – University of Mississippi, “The Classroom Lecture: Defenders and Detractors”
2011-2016	Research Workshop Committee – Patterson School of Accountancy
2011-2013	Burns Chair Search Committee, Member – Patterson School of Accountancy
2011	Community College Scholarship Interviewer – University of Mississippi
2010	KPMG - Association for Latino Professionals in Finance and Accounting (ALPFA) National Audit Case Competition Faculty Advisor – University of Florida
2010	National Association of Black Accountants (NABA)/Association for Latino Professionals in Finance and Accounting (ALPFA) Warrington College of Business – University of Florida – Invited Speaker
2009-2010	MBA Committee – Warrington College of Business – University of Florida
2009-2010	Fiscal Wake Up! Student Organization Faculty Advisor – University of Florida
2009	Moderator – Florida Leadership Council Student Government Debate – University of Florida
2009	Student Investment Club – Warrington College of Business – University of Florida, Invited Speaker
2009	Theta Nu Xi Multicultural Sorority/Gamma Sigma National Service Sorority: Celebration of Women’s History Month – University of Florida, Invited Speaker
2008-2009	Fisher School of Accounting Women’s in Accounting Symposium – University of Florida, Panel Member
2006-2008	PhD Program Committee – Fisher School of Accounting – University of Florida
2007-2008	Coordinator, Accounting Research Symposium– Fisher School of Accounting – University of Florida
2000-2001	Arthur Andersen Inroads Faculty Facilitator – St. Cloud State University

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Professional Experience

- 1992-1996 Vice President and Treasurer – Minnesota Delta Corporation (Real Estate Development), Minneapolis, MN
- 1991 Risk Analyst – Lockheed Martin, Calabasas, CA
- 1990-1991 Senior Financial Analyst – Norwest Bank Corporation (now Wells Fargo), Minneapolis, MN
- 1988-1990 Senior Associate, Audit and Advisory – Schweitzer, Rubin, Gottlieb & Karon CPAs (now CBIZ/Mayer, Hoffman & McCann CPAs), Minneapolis, MN

Professional Certification

Certified Public Accountant, Licensed in Minnesota and Mississippi

Professional and Academic Memberships

American Accounting Association (AAA)
Financial Accounting Reporting Section (FARS)
Beta Gamma Sigma
Phi Kappa Phi