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EDUCATION

Master of Accounting (M.Acc)	University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida. August 1983 (Accounting Track: Financial Accounting and Auditing)
Bachelor of Science (Honors) Business Administration	University of Ghana, Legon. June 1976 (Major: Accounting)

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION AND ASSOCIATIONS:

Certified Public Accountant (CPA) Texas License # 48043
Member: American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA), Certificate # 376222
Member: Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants (TSCPA)
Member National Association of Black Accountants (NABA)

TEACHING INTERESTS

Financial Accounting and Reporting
Financial Statement Analysis
Cost/Managerial Accounting

COURSES DEVELOPED AND TAUGHT:

Financial Accounting Standards and Analysis (Graduate)
Financial Statement Analysis (Undergraduate and Graduate levels)
Financial Accounting-Intermediate
Fundamentals of Managerial Accounting
Fundamentals of Financial Accounting
Foundations of Accounting
Financial Accounting Issues in Business Decisions (Executive Education)

YEARS TEACHING IN HIGHER EDUCATION **27.5 years**

University of Texas at Austin	21.0 years	January 1993 – present
Austin Community College	5.5 years	August 1987 – December 1992
University of Florida	1.0 year	August 1993 – June 1984

WORK EXPERIENCE

University of Texas at Austin	Lecturer in Accounting. McCombs School of Business, January 1993 to present.
PricewaterhouseCoopers Assurance and Business Advisory Services (ABAS)	Faculty Intern, Summer 2000
Austin Community College	Department Chair, Accounting. January 1992 to December 1992.
Austin Community College	Accounting Professor. August 1987 to December 1992.
Shands Teaching Hospital, Gainesville, Florida	General Accounting Manager. March 1986 to July 1987.
Shands Teaching Hospital, Gainesville, Florida	Senior Accountant. January 1985 to March 1986
United Gainesville Community Development Corporation, Gainesville, Florida	Business Analyst. November 1983 to December 1984
University of Florida, Fisher School of Accounting, Gainesville, Florida	Visiting Instructor. August 1983 to May 1984.
Radio Station WRUF, University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida	Accountant and Business Manager. April 1981 to December 1981.
Peat, Marwick, Cassleton Elliott & Co., (Chartered Accountants) Accra, Ghana	Staff Associate. September 1977 to December 1980.
Italian Commercial Bank, Istanbul, Turkey.	Management Trainee. Student Exchange Program sponsored by AIESEC (International Association of Students of Business and Economics), July-August 1974

AWARDS and RECOGNITIONS

Featured in *Journal Entries,* the Department of Accounting, McCombs School of Business centennial publication celebrating 100 years in accounting education, 2012

Nominee, Ernst and Young Inclusive Excellence award for Accounting and Business School Faculty, 2010

Outstanding Accounting Educator Award, Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants.2009

Identified by the TSCPA as one of five Contemporary Storytellers as part of a new accounting history and permanent image exhibit for the lobby of the William Hobby Office Building (location of the office of the Texas State Board of Public Accountancy), 2007

Faculty Honor Roll: McCombs School of Business, 2007

CPA of the Year – (IGE) Austin CPA chapter of the Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants, 2007 and 2004 (Industry, Government and Education)

President's Service Award **"**In Appreciation for Exceptional Commitment, Dedication and Service to Austin Chapter, Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants" 2000-2001

ACADEMIC COUNSELING & STDENT SUPPORT SERVICE

Facilitator McCombs School of Business, 2013 MBA Global Trip to Ghana

Facilitator EY Ambassador Program, McCombs School of Business, 2013

Co-Investigator PwC InQuiries Program. A potential Student Outreach and Recruiting program for the Department of Accounting, Macomb's School of Business, 2012/2013

Co-Director and Instructor DYNAMC (previously, Accounting Career Awareness Program) ACAP, a summer camp for high school students sponsored by Ernst and Young and the McCombs School of Business (1994-present)

Member University of Texas Student Government Endowments Governing Board (2008)

Faculty Advisor UT Austin Team, KPMG/ALPFA Case Competition (2013, 2012, 2011, 2010 and 2009)

Faculty Advisor UT Student Chapter of National Association of Black Accountants (NABA). Fall 1994 - present.

Presenter	Financial Freedom: Strategies for Building and Managing Your Wealth"
	2013 Southwest Region NABA Student Conference, Houston, Texas,
	2012 Black Women's Symposium, University of Texas at Austin
Panelist	Realize McCombs Faculty Panel, 2012, 2011 2007
Panelist	2011 "The Real World Tomorrow" University of Texas at Austin Black Business Students Association (BBSA)Student chapter event
Presenter	Delivered a presentation on "Money is Power", a Financial Planning seminar, at the Black Women's Symposium hosted by the Ladies of Umoja, a University of Texas at Austin organization for Black Women (2010)
Panelist	University of Texas Beta Alpha Psi Faculty Panel (2006)
Panelist	Finance Class Night sponsored by the University Finance Association (2005)
Panelist	Represented UT's Department of Accounting at Austin Community College's "College Night." (Dec. 4, 1997)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Member	Qualifications Committee Texas State Board of Public Accountancy (2004-2013)
Board Member	Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants (TSCPA) (2006-2007)
Member	Diversity and Inclusiveness Committee Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants (TSCPA) (2004-2010)
Board Member and Treasurer	International Hospitality Council of Austin (a U.S. State Department funded National Council for International Visitors (NCIV) organization (2004-2009)
Member, Executive Committee and Oversight Council	Austin Chapter of the TSCPA (1999 – 2004)

PRESENTATIONS

March 2013	Guest Lecturer, McCombs MBA Students, 2013 Global Connections, Ghana Trip
May 2013	Delivered a presentation for CPE credit to professional members of the Austin CPA chapter of the Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants on "Financial Statement Analysis" (TSCPA) ,
November 2012	Presentation to professional members of the Austin chapter of the National Association of Black Accountants (NABA) on *Financial Statement Analysis*, a CPE seminar, Huston-Tillotson University, Austin
April 2009	Presentation to professional members of the Austin chapter of the National Association of Black Accountants (NABA) on *Financial Statement Analysis*, CPE seminar, Norris Conference Center, Austin
October 2008	Presentation to professional members of the Austin chapter of the National Association of Black Accountants (NABA) on *Financial Statement Analysis*, CPE seminar, Huston-Tillotson University, Austin
May 2007	Delivered a presentation to professional members of the Austin CPA chapter of the Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants on "Financial Statement Analysis" (TSCPA) , CPE Expo, Thompson Conference Center, University of Texas at Austin, Austin
March 2007	Panelist, Texas Association of Black Professionals in Higher Education, Austin
April 2005	Delivered a presentation to professional members of the Austin chapter of the Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants on "Financial Statement Analysis", (TSCPA) CPE Expo, and Austin

ACADEMIC & PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES

August 2013	2012 Association of Latino Professionals in Finance and Accounting (ALPFA) National Conference, Washington, DC
May 2013	Flip or be Flipped: Is it time to flip the classroom and create more interactive, engaging classes? **Facilitators:** G. Peter Wilson and Carolyn Wilson, Boston College

October, 2012	Accounting Educators Conference, Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants, Austin, TX
September 2012	XBRL National Conference, UT Austin MPA Faculty and Students Private Session with VIP Attendees, Mr. Mike Starr, Director, Strategic Initiatives, WebFilings and former Deputy Chief Accountant Policy Support and Market Monitoring (SEC), Mr.. Campbell Pryde, Ms. Jennifer Neglia, Mr. Mike Wills (PwC)
August 2012	2012 Association of Latino Professionals in Finance and Accounting (ALPFA) National Conference, Las Vegas, NV
May 2012	KPMG Executive Education Seminar on "Accounting for Business Combinations", 2 day seminar in New York
May 2012	Accounting Faculty Field Trip to Southwest Airlines, Dallas, TX
October 2011	Accounting Educators Conference, Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants, Austin, TX
September 2011	UT Austin Center for Teaching and Learning; Academic Transformation Speaker Series: Dr. Martha Lovett, Professor of Psychology at Carnegie Mellon University and Co-author of the highly-acclaimed *How Learning Works: Seven Research-Based Principles for Smart Teaching.* Topic: Exploring Seven Principles of Learning and their Impact on Teaching
August 2011	2011 Association of Latino Professionals in Finance and Accounting (ALPFA) National Conference, Orlando, FL
July/August 2010	2010 Association of Latino Professionals in Finance and Accounting (ALPFA) National Conference, Anaheim, CA
June 2010	39th Annual National Convention, National Association of Black Accountants (NABA), Houston, TX
October 2009	Accounting Educators Conference, Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants, Austin, TX
July/August 2009	2009 Association of Latino Professionals in Finance and Accounting (ALPFA) National Conference, Boston, MA
May 2009	KPMG International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) Faculty Seminar, Austin, TX
May 2009	TSCPA Leadership Day, Dallas, TX

REVIEW OF ACADEMIC TEXTBOOKS

Through the years, I have reviewed several accounting textbooks in the areas of Financial Accounting and Reporting, Intermediate Accounting and Financial Statement Analysis for publishers such as John Wiley and Sons, Prentice Hall, Irwin/McGraw Hill and Southwestern. Books reviewed include:

Intermediate Accounting, 16th and 17th ed., Stice, Stice and Skousen, (2010)

Intermediate Accounting, 4th and 5th ed. Spiceland, Sepe and Tomasini (2009)