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Professional Positions

Interim Department Chair, Texas A&M University-Central Texas, Accounting, Finance, and Economics. (February 2020 - Present).

Assistant Professor of Accounting, Texas A&M University-Central Texas, Accounting, Finance, and Economics. (August 2018 - Present).

Visiting Professor of Accounting, Tennessee State University, Accounting. (January 2018 - July 2018).

Adjunct Instructor, University of Central Florida, Accounting. (2016 - 2017).

Education

PhD. 2017.

Professional Memberships

Federation of business disciplines. (March 2019 - Present).

South West Decision Science Institute. (March 2019 - Present).

Southwest Finance Association. (March 2019 - Present).

Institute of Managerial Accountants. (October 2018 - Present).

American Accounting Association. (August 2007 - Present).

Peer-Reviewed Publications

Hanby, C. M., Tennant, R. (2019). State Pension Reform: What Have They Accomplished? *Journal of Accounting and Finance*, 19(8). http://dx.doi.org/10.33423/jaf.v19i8.2616

Presentations

- Silverstein, B. (Author), Tennant, R. (Discusant), Southwest Decision Sciences, "Defined Benefit Pension De-Risking and Corporate Investment Policy," Federation of Business Disciplines, San Antonio, TX. (March 2020).
- Calk, R., Patrick, A., Tennant, R., Southwest Decision Sciences, "Determinants of Codes (Rules) of Professional Conduct for the Accounting Profession Among Licensing Jurisdictions," Federation of Business Disciplines, San Antonio, TX. (March 2020).

- Hanby, C. M., Tennant, R., Kanuri, S., McLeod, R., Decision Sciences Institute Southwest Regional Meeting, "State Level Pension Reform: What Have They Accomplished?," Southwest Finance Association, San Antonio, TX, United States. (March 2020).
- Tennant, R., Southwest Decision Sciences, "The Hegemonic Role of Accounting in Indigenous Cultures: A Study of the Democratic Republic of the Congo," Federation of Business Disciplines, San Antonio, TX. (March 2020).
- Marshall, D. M., Tennant, R., SOUTHWEST DECISION SCIENCE INSTITUTE CONFERENCE, "Hierarchical Importance of Course Prerequisites in Undergraduate Accounting Programs." (March 2019).
- Marshall, D. M., Tennant, R., SOUTHWEST DECISION SCIENCE INSTITUTE CONFERENCE, "Public Policy Proposals to Mitigate Violence in the Democratic Republic of the Congo: A Case Study." (March 2019).
- Tennant, R., Africa Conference, "The Hegemonic Role of Accounting in Indigenous Cultures," TSU, Nashville, TN. (March 2019).
- Tennant, R., Conference of the Public Interest Section and Doctoral/Early Scholar Consortium, "The Hegemonic Role of Accounting in Indigenous Cultures: A Study of the Democratic Republic of the Congo," AAA (American Accounting Association), Orlando, FL. (March 2019).
- Tennant, R., ADP Provost Lecture Series, "The Hegemonic Role of Accounting in Indigenous Cultures: A Study of the Democratic Republic of the Congo," Texas A&M University Central Texas, Killeen, TX. (February 2019).
- Tennant, R., Research Workshop, "The Expansion of Financial Regulation to Include Humanitarian Issues: an Examination of the Development of Conflict Mineral Reporting Requirements Using Actor Network Theory," Dalton, GA, United States. (November 2016).
- Tennant, R., Research Workshop, "The Expansion of Financial Regulation to Include Humanitarian Issues: an Examination of the Development of 2015 Conflict Mineral Reporting Requirements Using Actor Network Theory," Tampa, FL, United States. (October 2016).
- Tennant, R., American Accounting Association Rookie Camp, "The Expansion of Financial Regulation to Include Humanitarian Issues: an Examination of the Development of Conflict Mineral Reporting Requirements Using Actor Network Theory," Miami, FL, United States. (December 2015).

Teaching Experience

ACCT 3310, Accounting Information Systems, 2 courses.

ACCT 4324, Auditing, 3 courses.

ACCT 4350, Management Information Systems, 5 courses.

ACCT 5340, Ethics in Accounting, 1 course.

ACCT 5345, Financial Statement Analysis, 4 courses.

ACCT 5355, International Accounting, 1 course.

ACCT 5370, Auditing Seminar, 1 course.

ACCT 5375, Tax Research, 1 course.

Non-Credit Instruction Taught

Certification, IMA, 5 participants. (June 2019 - August 2019).

Faculty Development Activities Attended

Conference Attendance, "47th Annual Federation of Business Disciplines," San Antonio, TX. (March 11, 2020 - March 14, 2020).

Conference Attendance, "Africa Conference," TSU, Nashville, TN. (March 2019).

Conference Attendance, "Conference of the Public Interest Section and Doctoral/Early Scholar Consortium," AAA (American Accounting Association), Orlando, FL. (March 2019).

"ADP Provost Lecture Series," Texas A&M University - Central Texas, Killeen, TX. (February 2019).

University Service

Ex-Officio, Accreditation and Strategic Planning Steering Committee. (2020 - 2021).

Ex-Officio, Undergraduate Curriculum and Assessment Committee. (2020 - 2021).

Member, Academic Dean's and Chair's Committee. (2020 - 2021).

Member, Curriculum Committee. (2020 - 2021).

Member, Graduate Curriculum and Assessment Committee. (2020 - 2021).

Interim Department Chair, Accounting/Finance/Ecomonics - TAMUCT. (2019 - 2021).

Member, COBA Leadership Group. (2019 - 2021).

Chapter Advisor, IMA (Institute of Management Accountants. (2018 - 2021).

Faculty Advocate, IMA (Institute of Management Accountants. (2018 - 2021).

Faculty Senator, Faculty Senate - TAMUCT. (2019 - 2020).

Treasurer, Faculty Senate Executive Board - TAMUCT. (2019 - 2020).

Professional Service

Board of Directors, IMA Austin Chapter, Austin, TX. (2018 - Present).

Committee Member, QEP. (2019 - 2021).

Treasurer, J-Intel Board of Directors, Dallas, TX. (2018 - 2021).