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## EDUCATION

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**Ph.D. in Business Administration, Accounting** Expected May 2019  
*University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC*  
Minor: Finance

**Master of Science in Accountancy** May 2014  
*Bentley University, Waltham, MA*  
Graduate Certificate in Fraud and Forensic Accounting  
Internal Audit Certificate, Institute of Internal Auditors (IIA)  
High Distinct Graduate

**Bachelor of Science, Business Administration, Accounting** May 2012  
*Salem State University, Salem, MA*  
*Summa Cum Laude*

**Bachelor of Science, Business Administration, Accounting** May 2012  
*Henan University, Kaifeng, Henan, China*  
Dual Degree Program with Salem State University

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## RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

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### Research Interests

Judgment and decision making research in financial accounting and managerial accounting; how external financial reporting choices influence internal managerial decision making

### Teaching Interests

Financial Accounting (primary); Cost/Managerial Accounting (secondary)

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## RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

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### Research Grants

USC Darla Moore School of Business Research Grant 2017

### Research Assistantships

*University of South Carolina, Darla Moore School of Business*

Dr. Ling Harris Fall 2014 – Summer 2018

Dr. Scott Jackson Summer 2017, Summer 2018

Dr. Feng Yeo Fall 2017

Dr. Tao Ma Fall 2016 – Spring 2017

Dr. Andrew Collins Fall 2016

### Conference Presentations

Discussion of “An Analyst by Any Other Last Name: Country Favorability and Market Reaction to Analyst Forecasts” by Jay Heon Jung, Alok Kumar, Sonya S. Lim, and Choong-Yuel Yoo, presented at AAA Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, August 2017

Discussion of “Factors Influencing Recruitment of Non-Accounting Business Professionals into Internal Auditing” by Geoffery D. Barlett, Joleen Kremin, Kelli K. Saunders, and David A. Wood, presented at AAA Annual Meeting, New York City, NY, August 2016

### Conferences Attended

AAA ABO Section Meeting, Phoenix, AZ (planned)	2018
AAA Annual Meeting, National Harbor, MD (Washington, DC) (planned)	2018
Palmetto Symposium on Experimental Accounting Research, Columbia, SC	2018
Fixed Income and Financial Institutions Conference, Columbia, SC	2018
AAA ABO Section Meeting, Pittsburgh, PA	2017
AAA Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA	2017
International Conference on Small Business Finance, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil	2016
AAA ABO Section Meeting, Albuquerque, NM	2016
AAA ABO Section Doctoral Consortium, Albuquerque, NM	2016
AAA Annual Meeting, New York City, NY	2016
CSR Conference, Winston-Salem, NC	2016

### TEACHING ACTIVITIES

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#### Teaching Experience

<i>Primary Instructor, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC</i> ACCT 501 – Financial Accounting III (1 section)	Spring 2018
<i>Recitation Leader, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC</i> ACCT 225 – Introduction to Financial Accounting (8 sections)	Fall 2014 – Spring 2016

### SERVICE ACTIVITIES

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Discussant, AAA Annual Meeting	2016, 2017
Reviewer, AAA Annual Meeting	2016, 2017
Moderator, AAA Annual Meeting	2016
Reviewer, ABO Section Meeting	2015
<i>Ad Hoc</i> Reviewer, <i>Advances in Accounting Behavioral Research</i>	2015
Invited Panel Discussion on “American Academic Culture,” University of South Carolina	2017

### HONORS AND AWARDS

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Performance Above and Beyond, Darla Moore School of Business	2017
Dean’s List	2009, 2010, 2011, 2012
Who’s Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities Award	2012
Salem State University Silver Key Award-Top Senior Class Member	2012
Osram Sylvania Scholarship (Top 5 Graduate in Accounting and Finance)	2011

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William Murphy & Arthur LaPorte Scholarship (Highest GPA Among all Junior Students) 2011

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

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American Accounting Association (AAA)

AAA Accounting Behavior and Organizations Section

AAA Financial Accounting Section

AAA Managerial Accounting Section

Society for Judgment and Decision Making

*Updated May 2018*