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Education:

Indiana University, Bloomington, IN, Kelley School of Business
Ph.D. in Business Administration. May 2013
Major Field: Accounting. Minor Field: Finance.

Indiana University, Bloomington, IN, Kelley School of Business
Masters of Business in Accounting. April 2010

Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ, W. P. Carey School of Business
M.B.A. Financial Management and Markets. May 2005

Brigham Young University, Provo, UT
B.A. Economics. April 2001

Research:

Published Papers:

Allee, K. D., Erickson D., Esplin, A. and S. Larocque. 2021. Independent and Investment-Bank Analysts' Target Prices. *Journal of Financial Reporting*, forthcoming.

Esplin, A. 2021. Industry-Level versus Firm-Level Forecasts of Long-Term Earnings Growth. *Finance Research Letters*, forthcoming.

Call, A. C., Esplin, A. and B. Miao. 2021. Characteristics and Implications of Long-Term Earnings Guidance. *Journal of Financial Reporting*, 6 (1): 33-54.

Allee, K. D., Erickson, D., Esplin, A. and T. L. Yohn. 2020. The Characteristics, Valuation Methods, and Information Use of Valuation Specialists. *Accounting Horizons*, 34 (3): 23–38.

Esplin, A., Jamal, K., and S. Sunder. 2018. Demand for and Assessment of Audit Quality in Private Companies. *Abacus*, 54 (3): 319-352.

Esplin, A., Hewitt, M., Plumlee, M., and T. L. Yohn. 2014. Disaggregating Operating and Financing Activities: Implications for Forecasts of Profitability. *Review of Accounting Studies*, 19: 328-362.

Erickson, D., Esplin, A., and L. A. Maines. 2009. One world-one accounting. *Business Horizons*, November-December.

Working Papers:

“Taken with a Grain of Salt: Analyst Reactions to Earnings Forecasts from a Narcissistic CEO” with Scott Judd (UIC) and Kari Olsen (UVU).

- Conference presentations: 2017 BYU Research Symposium (co-author), AAA annual meeting
- Seminar presentations: University of Texas El Paso, West Virginia University (co-author), Iowa State University (co-author)

“Management Forecasts, Analyst Revisions, and Investor Reactions: The Effect of CEO Gender” with Alison Cook (Utah State), Christy Glass (Utah State), Scott Judd (UIC), Kari Olsen (UVU).

- Conference presentations: 2019 BYU Research Symposium (co-author), 2020 FARS mid-year meeting, 2020 Hawaii Accounting Research Conference (co-author)

“CEO Political Ideology and ‘Sticky Costs’” with Yun Ke (UTEP), Kari Olsen (UVU) and Jiwoo Seo (UTEP).

- Conference presentations: 2021 BYU Research Symposium

“Financial Analysts’ Preferences Regarding Income Statement Presentation” with Kris Allee (Arkansas), Devon Erickson (Utah State), and Teri Yohn (Emory)

Works in Progress:

- Narcissism Measures with Kari Olsen (UVU) and Becky Perez (UTEP).
- CEO Political Ideology and Non-GAAP Earnings with Yun Ke (UTEP), Kari Olsen (UVU) and Jiwoo Seo (UTEP)

Other:

Teaching:

UTEP: Intermediate Financial Accounting I, Intermediate Financial Accounting II, Financial Accounting for MBAs, Financial Statement Analysis (MACC), Advanced Accounting (MACC), Capital Markets PhD seminar

University of Alberta: Financial Statement Analysis (undergraduate and graduate level), Intermediate Financial Accounting I

Indiana University: Introduction to Financial Accounting, Intermediate Financial Accounting II

Academic Experience:

Assistant Professor, The University of Texas at El Paso, El Paso, Texas 2017 – present

Assistant Professor, University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada 2012 - 2017

Professional Experience:

Associate/Senior Associate, Ringel Kotzin Valuation Services, Phoenix, AZ 2005-2007

Research Analyst/Associate, Charles River Associates Int., Salt Lake City, UT 2001-2003

Research Award:

2013/2014 Pearson Faculty Fellowship (\$12,000 CAD) (Alberta School of Business)

Peer Review and Professional Service:

Ad hoc reviewer: Journal of Financial Research, AAA Annual Meeting, AAA Midwest Region Meeting, AAA FARS, CAAA

Dissertation Committees:

Jiwoo Seo (Chair, expected graduation 2023)

Qifeng Wu (Placed at University of Central Arkansas)

Jangho Gil (Placed at Monmouth University)

Xiang Gao (Placed at West Texas A&M University)

University Service:

UTEP: Undergraduate Curriculum Committee (2017- 2021), Recruiting Committee (2018-2021), Accounting PhD Curriculum Committee (2018-2021), Assurance of Learning Committee (2018-2020); Library Faculty Liaison (2018-2020)
University of Alberta: Undergraduate Studies Policy Committee (2012 – 2017)

Honors Project Supervisor for:

Francisco Ordaz, Sandra Navarette

Invited Presentations:

AAA FARS Mid-year Meeting (2020)
University of Texas El Paso (2016, 2017)
Utah State University (2014, 2016)
University of Arkansas (2015)
University of Alberta Accounting Research Conference (2015)
American Accounting Association Annual Meeting (2015, 2018, 2019)
Canadian Academic Accounting Association Annual Conference (2015)
European Accounting Association Annual Congress (2015)
Brigham Young University Accounting Symposium (2009, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2021)
University of Alberta (2012)
Drexel University (2012)
University of Illinois at Chicago (2012)
Texas Tech University (2012)
Oklahoma State University (2012)
University of Connecticut (2012)
Florida State University (2012)
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (2012)
Miami Rookie Camp (2011)
Indiana University (2009, 2011)

Honors, Awards, Activities:

Teaching Hybrid Academy facilitated by the Center for Instructional Design at UTEP (July 2021)
Teaching Online Academy facilitated by the Center for Instructional Design at UTEP (June 2020)
UTEP College of Business Accounting Outstanding Research Award (May 2019)
Kelley School of Business Doctoral Fellowship (2007-2012)
Kelley School of Business Associate Instructor/Research Assistant (2007 – 2011)
National winner of 2008 PriceWaterhouseCoopers xFAC competition
Financial Management and Markets MBA Student of the Year (2005), W. P. Carey School of Business, Arizona State University
W. P. Carey School of Business Assistantship and Fellowships (2003 – 2005)
Brigham Young University Undergraduate Scholarships (1998 – 2001)

Conferences Attended:

AAA Annual Meeting (2013, 2014, 2015, 2017, 2018, 2019)
CAAA Annual Conference (2013, 2014, 2015)
University of Alberta Accounting Research Conference (2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2019)

AAA FARS Mid-year Meeting (2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020)
European Accounting Association Annual Congress (2015)
Midwest Accounting Conference (2008, 2009, 2010, 2011)
AAA Financial Accounting & Reporting Section (FARS) Doctoral Consortium (2011)
The U. of TX at Austin Empirical Archival Research in Accounting Conference (2011)
AAA Deloitte Foundation J. Michael Cook Doctoral Consortium (2010)
Brigham Young University Accounting Symposium (2009, 2012-2017, 2021)
PWC Accounting Symposium (2008)