

Hal White

Vincent and Rose Lizzadro Professor of Accountancy
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EDUCATION

Ph.D.	Accounting, Penn State University	2007
M.B.A.	Finance, University of Alabama - Tuscaloosa	2002
B.S.	Accounting, University of Alabama at Birmingham	1998

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

University of Notre Dame , Vincent and Rose Lizzadro Professor of Accountancy	2019 - current
Penn State University , Associate Professor of Accounting	2014 - 2019
University of Michigan , Assistant Professor of Accounting	2008 - 2014
Michigan State University , East Lansing, MI, Assistant Professor of Accounting	2007 - 2008

RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

- [14] "Information overload and disclosure smoothing" (w/ Kimball Chapman, Nayana Reiter, Chris Williams), forthcoming in *Review of Accounting Studies*
- *Invited paper, 2018 London Business School Accounting Symposium*
- [13] "Disclosure when competing firms have common ownership" (with Jihwon Park, Jalal Sani, Nemit Shroff), *Journal of Accounting and Economics*, April-May 2019: 387-415.
- [12] "Investor relations and information assimilation" (w/ Kimball Chapman, Greg Miller), *The Accounting Review*, March 2019: 105-131.
- [11] "Real effects of the audit choice" (w/ Asad Kausar and Nemit Shroff), *Journal of Accounting and Economics*, Aug 2016: 157-181.
- *Editor's Choice article*
 - *Invited paper, 2014 Utah Winter Accounting Conference*
- [10] "Common auditors in M&A transactions" (w/ Ye Cai, Yongtae Kim, and Jong Park), *Journal of Accounting and Economics*, Feb 2016: 77-99.
- [9] "Initial evidence on the market impact of the XBRL mandate" (w/ Elizabeth Blankespoor and Brian Miller), *Review of Accounting Studies*, Dec 2014: 1468-1503.
- [8] "The impact of ambiguity on managerial investment and cash holdings" (w/ Monica Neamtiu, Nemit Shroff, and Chris Williams), *Journal of Business, Finance and Accounting*, Sept/Oct 2014: 1071-1099.
- [7] "Management forecast quality and capital investment decisions" (w/ Theodore Goodman, Monica Neamtiu and Nemit Shroff), *The Accounting Review*, Jan 2014: 331-365.
- [6] "The role of dissemination in market liquidity: Evidence from firms' use of Twitter" (w/ E. Blankespoor and Gregory Miller), *The Accounting Review*, Jan 2014: 79-112.
- *2017 FARS Best Paper Award*
 - *Invited paper, 2010 London Business School Accounting Symposium*
- [5] "Voluntary disclosure and information asymmetry: Evidence from the 2005 Securities Offering Reform" (w/ Nemit Shroff, Amy Sun, Weining Zhang), *Journal of Accounting Research*, Dec 2013: 1299-1345.

- [4] “Externalities of public firm presence: Evidence from private firms’ investment decisions” (w/ Brad Badertscher and Nemit Shroff), *Journal of Financial Economics*, Sept 2013: 682-706.
- *Invited paper, 2012 Colorado Summer Accounting Research Conference*
- [3] “Insider trading after repurchase tender offer announcements: Timing versus informed selling” (w/ Henock Louis and Amy Sun), *Financial Management*, Spring 2010: 301-322.
- [2] “Investor perceptions of board performance: Evidence from uncontested director elections” (w/ Paul Fischer, Jeff Gramlich, and Brian Miller), *Journal of Accounting and Economics*, Dec. 2009: 172-189.
- [1] “Do managers intentionally use repurchase tender offers to signal private information? Evidence from firm financial reporting discretion” (w/ Henock Louis), *Journal of Financial Economics*, July 2007: 205-233.

WORKING PAPERS

- “Shareholder activism and firm engagement” (with Kimball Chapman, Greg Miller, Jed Neilson)
- “Private disclosure and myopia: Evidence from the JOBS Act” (with Badryah Alhusaini, Kimball Chapman)
- “Public firm presence and sell-side analysts” (with Badryah Alhusaini, Kimball Chapman, Jalal Sani)

PUBLISHED CASES

- A&E Shirts, LLC (with G. Miller) (William Davidson Case # 1-429-182)
- Cash Flow Statements (A, B and C): Financial Due Diligence for a Strategic Acquisition (with G. Miller) (William Davidson Case # 1-429-179)
- Inventory Gremlins (with G. Miller) (William Davidson Case # 1-429-105)

RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS

University of Notre Dame	2018
Cornell University, University of Rochester, Yale SOM Fall Research Conference	2017
University of Minnesota, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Northwestern University	2016
Georgetown University, University of Missouri, Duke University	2015
Harvard University, Indiana University, Ohio State University, Penn State University,	2013
Stanford University, University of Iowa, University of Miami	
University of Chicago, University of North Carolina, Washington University	2012
University of Michigan, University of Southern California, University of Utah	2011
London Business School Accounting Symposium, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, UNC/Duke Accounting Research Fall Camp	2010
Michigan State University, Ohio State University, Penn State University, Rice University, Stanford University, University of Colorado, University of Georgia, University of Michigan, University of Minnesota, University of Wisconsin, University of Pennsylvania (Wharton School)	2007

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Penn State University	2014 - 2019
Intermediate Accounting I (Undergraduate Accounting)	
Corporate Disclosure in the Capital Markets (Macc Elective)	
Accounting Institutions (PhD seminar)	
University of Michigan	2008-2014
Intermediate Accounting (BBA Elective)	
Introduction to Financial Accounting (MBA Core)	
<i>*Nominated for the 2013-14 Teaching Excellence Award for Full-Time MBA Program</i>	

Michigan State University	2007-2008
Intermediate Accounting II (Undergraduate – Accounting majors)	
Penn State University (as a PhD student)	2002-2007
Introduction to Financial and Managerial Accounting (Undergraduate)	
Intermediate Accounting I (Undergraduate – Accounting majors)	
<i>*Dillwyn P. Paiste, III Award for Excellence in Teaching (Smeal College of Business Award), 2006</i>	

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND CERTIFICATION

Pearce, Bevill, Leesburg & Moore, LLP, <i>Birmingham, Alabama</i>	1999-2000
Deloitte & Touche, LLP, <i>Birmingham, Alabama</i>	1998
Certified Public Accountant, <i>Alabama (inactive)</i>	2000

EXTERNAL SERVICE TO PROFESSION

AAA FARS Track Chair for 2017 Conference (Disclosure Section)
 Co-organizer, CARE Conference (2013) - The Impact of Emerging Information Technologies on Capital Markets
 Discussant, Reviewer, and Moderator, American Accounting Association, Annual & Midyear Meetings
 External Reviewer, Research Grants Council of Hong Kong
 Editorial Review Board Member
The Accounting Review (2014 – current)
Journal of Financial Reporting (2015 – 2018)
 Ad Hoc Reviewer
Accounting, Organizations and Society; Contemporary Accounting Research; Journal of Accounting, Auditing and Finance; Journal of Accounting and Economics; Journal of Accounting Research; Management Science; Review of Accounting Studies

INTERNAL ACADEMIC SERVICE

University of Notre Dame

Department Service

Brown bag series coordinator	2019-current
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Penn State University

University Service

Penn State Graduate School Alumni Society Board of Directors (member)	2016-2017
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College Service

Undergraduate Curriculum Innovation Committee	2018-2019
Faculty Advisory Committee (member)	2015-2017

Department Service

PhD Recruiting Committee (Chair)	2017-2018
First Year Phd Candidacy Exam Committee (Chair)	2018-2019
Faculty Recruiting Committee (Chair)	2015-2016, 2016-2017
Department Advisory Committee (member)	2015-2016, 2016-2017
Graduate Accounting Curriculum Committee (member)	2015-2016, 2016-2017
PhD Admissions Committee (member)	2015-2016, 2016-2017
Accounting Research Conference Committee (Chair, Co-chair, member)	2014-2015, 2016-2017, 2018-2019
PhD Area Exam Committee (member)	2014-2015, 2016-2017
Strategic Plan Assessment Committee (Chair)	2015-2016
HR-40 Five-Year Faculty Review Committee (member)	2014-2016

Doctoral Dissertation Committee member (member/chair; *initial placement*):

Alyssa Hagerty (chair; <i>N/A</i>)	2018-2019
Mirna Boghossian (member, <i>N/A</i>)	2018-2019
Jalal Sani (member; <i>N/A</i>)	2017-current
Badryah Alhusaini (member; <i>Arizona State University</i>)	2016 - 2019
Bobby Carnes (member; <i>University of Florida</i>)	2015 - 2018
Anywhere Sikochi (member; <i>Harvard University</i>)	2014 - 2016

University of Michigan

Director of PhD Program	Fall 2013
Doctoral Dissertation Committee member (<i>initial placement</i>):	
Jason Kotter (<i>Penn State University</i>)	2013-2014
Elizabeth Blankespoor (<i>Stanford University</i>)	2011-2012
Harvey Kapnick Workshop Series Coordinator	2010-2011