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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Accounting, 2000, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York.

M.S., Accounting, 1999, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York.

B.S., Accounting, 1995, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah.

EMPLOYMENT BACKGROUND

2019 -	EY Professor of Accounting, BYU School of Accountancy: Provo, Utah
2013 - 2019	Director and EY Professor, BYU School of Accountancy: Provo, Utah
2012 - 2013	Professor of Accounting, Brigham Young University: Provo, Utah
2008 - 2009	Academic Advisor, International Accounting Standards Board: London, UK
2006 - 2008	Academic Fellow, Financial Accounting Standards Board: Norwalk, Connecticut
2006 - 2012	Associate Professor of Accounting, Brigham Young University: Provo, Utah
2000 - 2006	Assistant Professor of Accounting, Brigham Young University: Provo, Utah
1995 - 2000	Instructor and Graduate Research Assistant, Cornell University: Ithaca, New York

CONSULTING AND ADVISING

2020 Publicly traded real estate investment trust (REIT): Retained as expert in a lawsuit involving revenue recognition for lessors.

2018 Publicly traded foreign filer: Retained as expert in a lawsuit involving IFRS provision disclosures.

2017 Publicly traded technology company: Retained as expert in a lawsuit involving recognition of royalty revenue.

2015 Publicly traded energy solution company: Retained as expert in a lawsuit involving the revenue-recognition impact of stock warrants issued to customers.

2015 Publicly traded technology company: Retained as expert in a lawsuit involving estimated sales returns and refunds in an online environment with net vs. gross implications.

2014 Securities and Exchange Commission: Retained as expert in an investigation of a registrant for revenue recognition practices involving distribution channels with guaranteed repurchase agreements and financing.

2009 Pre-IPO technology company: Retained as expert on revenue recognition practices related to estimating VSOE under ASC 605 for a technology company preparing for IPO.

2009 Pre-IPO technology company: Retained as expert on revenue recognition practices for a digital-goods gaming company preparing for IPO.

SCHOLARSHIP

A. *Academic Publications*

Do we matter? Attention the general public, policy makers, and academics give to accounting research (G. Burton, S. Summers, T. J. Wilks, D. Wood), *Issues in Accounting Education*, forthcoming.

The effects of out-of-regime guidance on auditor judgments about appropriate application of accounting standards (S. Asay, T. Brown, M. Nelson, and T. J. Wilks), *Contemporary Accounting Research*, Summer 2017.

A Synthesis of Three Commentaries on Measurement and Performance Reporting (J. Hales, L. Rees, and T. J. Wilks), *Accounting Horizons*, December 2016.

The earnings quality and information processing effects of accounting consistency (K. Peterson, R. Schmardebeck, and T. J. Wilks), *The Accounting Review*, November 2015.

How auditor legal liability influences the detection and frequency of fraudulent financial reporting (G. Burton, T. J. Wilks, and M. Zimbelman), *Current Issues in Auditing*, December 2013.

Accounting faculty experiences with practice-oriented fellowships (S. Krische, R. Martin, and T. J. Wilks), *Accounting Horizons*, June 2013.

Accounting for lease renewal options: The informational effects of unit of account choices (J. Hales, S. Venkataraman, and T. J. Wilks), *The Accounting Review*, January 2012.

A perspective on the joint IASB/FASB exposure draft on accounting for leases (Y. Biondi, R. Bloomfield, J. Glover, K. Jamal, J. Ohlson, S. Penman, E. Tsujiyama, T. J. Wilks), *Accounting Horizons*, December 2011.

The impact of audit penalty distributions on the detection and frequency of fraudulent financial reporting (G. Burton, T. J. Wilks, and M. Zimbelman), *Review of Accounting Studies*, May 2011.

Reconsidering revenue recognition (K. Schipper, C. Schrand, T. Shevlin, and T. J. Wilks), *Accounting Horizons*, March 2009.

Auditing fair value measurements: A synthesis of relevant research (R. Martin, J. Rich, and T. J. Wilks), *Accounting Horizons*, September 2006.

Why do auditors over-rely on weak analytical procedures? The role of outcome and precision (S. Glover, D. Prawitt, and T. J. Wilks), *Auditing: A Journal of Practice and Theory*, Supplement 2005.

Decomposition of fraud risk assessments and auditors' sensitivity to fraud cues (T. J. Wilks and M. Zimbelman), *Contemporary Accounting Research*, September 2004.

Using game theory and strategic reasoning concepts to prevent and detect fraud (T. J. Wilks and M. Zimbelman), *Accounting Horizons*, September 2004.

Predecisional distortion of evidence as a consequence of real-time audit review (T. J. Wilks), *The Accounting Review*, January 2002.

Disclosure effects in the laboratory: Liquidity, depth, and the cost of capital (R. Bloomfield and T. J. Wilks), *The Accounting Review*, January 2000.

Predecisional distortion of information by auditors and salespersons (J. Russo, M. Meloy, and T. J. Wilks), *Management Science*, January 2000.

B. Professional Publications

[SEC Commentary on ASC 606 Revenue Recognition Disclosures](#) (S. Driscoll and T. J. Wilks), *RevenueHub*, June 22, 2020. (920 unique views as of Jan. 7, 2021)

[Payments to Customers for Cooperative Digital Marketing](#) (J. Mortensen and T. J. Wilks), *RevenueHub*, January 17, 2020. (652 unique views as of Jan. 7, 2021)

[Revenue Disaggregation Disclosures: Alphabet Case Study](#) (A. Schwendiman and T. J. Wilks), *RevenueHub*, November 29, 2018. (3,548 unique views as of Jan. 7, 2021)

[Revenue Disaggregation Disclosures: Ford Case Study](#) (A. Schwendiman and T. J. Wilks), *RevenueHub*, November 29, 2018. (2,173 unique views as of Jan. 7, 2021)

[Convertible Preferred Stock and Convertible Debt](#) (D. Jepsen and T. J. Wilks), *IPOhub*, October 24, 2018. (3,199 unique views as of Jan. 7, 2021)

[Common ASC 606 Issues: Software Entities](#) (T. J. Wilks and A. Jentgen), *RevenueHub*, March 8, 2018. (10,792 unique views as of Jan. 7, 2021)

[Common ASC 606 Issues: Aerospace & Defense Entities](#) (T. J. Wilks and C. Ellsworth), *RevenueHub*, February 3, 2018. (2,574 unique views as of Jan. 7, 2021)

[Common ASC 606 Issues: Health Care Entities](#) (M. Hunsaker, T. J. Wilks, and S. Driscoll), *RevenueHub*, January 8, 2018, updated December 22, 2020. (4,791 unique views as of Jan. 7, 2021)

[Overview of an IPO](#) (L. Sheffield and T. J. Wilks), *IPOhub*, November 29, 2017. (1,955 unique views as of Jan. 7, 2021)

[The Stages of Startup Financing](#) (D. Jepsen and T. J. Wilks), *IPOhub*, November 25, 2017. (1,378 unique views as of Jan. 7, 2021)

[Combining Desktop and Cloud Software: Hybrid Contracts](#) (C. Moffat and T. J. Wilks), *RevenueHub*, August 8, 2017. (1,786 unique views as of Jan. 7, 2021)

[Minimum Guarantee on Sales- And Usage-Based Royalties Case Study](#) (A. Bellomy and T. J. Wilks), *RevenueHub*, April 20, 2017. (5,294 unique views as of Jan. 7, 2021)

[PwC Revenue Recognition Survey and SAB 74 Disclosure Guidance](#) (T. J. Wilks and L. Sheffield), *RevenueHub*, March 10, 2017. (3,443 unique views as of Jan. 7, 2021)

[Case Study: OEMs, Incentives, And Variable Consideration](#) (C. Moffat and T. J. Wilks), *RevenueHub*, February 3, 2017. (1,885 unique views as of Jan. 7, 2021)

[Case Study: The Crucial Role of Stakeholders and the TRG In Updating ASC 606](#) (C. Moffat and T. J. Wilks), *RevenueHub*, December 17, 2016. (387 unique views as of Jan. 7, 2021)

[Distinct Goods or Services: Case Studies](#) (A. Bellomy, T. J. Wilks and J. Ford), *RevenueHub*, September 21, 2016, updated August 11, 2020. (7,970 unique views as of Jan. 7, 2021)

[SEC Makes TRG Discussions Authoritative](#) (C. Moffat and T. J. Wilks), *RevenueHub*, July 26, 2016. (412 unique views as of Jan. 7, 2021)

[Determining the Transfer of Control](#) (B. Riley and T. J. Wilks), *RevenueHub*, March 17, 2016. (13,940 unique views as of Jan. 7, 2021)

Using Professional Judgment in Auditing: McGladrey's Framework (S. Glover, D. Prawitt, and T. J. Wilks), *McGladrey*, 2012. (No statistics available)

[Preliminary Views on Revenue Recognition in Contracts with Customers](#) (H. Rees, T. J. Wilks, and K. Bement), International Accounting Standards Board and Financial Accounting Standards Board, December 2008. (No statistics available)

C. Working Papers and Research Projects

Accounting policy changes and misstatement risk (K. Peterson, R. Schmardebeck, and T. J. Wilks).

ICFR challenges and practices at large US public companies: Evidence from accounting executives (E. Maksymov, J. Pickerd, T. J. Wilks, and D. Williams).

Relevance of accounting research (ROAR) scores: Ratings of abstracts by accounting professionals (G. Burton, S. Summers, T. J. Wilks, D. Wood).

D. Invited Workshops and Presentations

Technical Accounting Research, Deloitte Trueblood Faculty Seminar, March 2020
Technical Accounting Research, Deloitte Trueblood Faculty Seminar, March 2019
Panel on Pressures Facing Department Chairs, AAA APLG Meeting, February 2019
Panel on Research Opportunities in Revenue Recognition, AAA Annual Meeting, August 2018
ASC 606 Disclosure Issues, Deloitte / FSA Faculty Consortium, May 2018
Technical Accounting Research, Deloitte Trueblood Faculty Seminar, March 2018
FEI Current Financial Reporting Issues: Innovations in Accounting Education, November 2017
Technical Accounting Research, Deloitte Trueblood Faculty Seminar, February 2017
UBS Global Research: Accounting 101 Exploring New Rev Rec Standard, October 2016
Technical Accounting Research, Deloitte Trueblood Faculty Seminar, February 2016
FASB Update, UACPA Auditing and Accounting Conference, November 2015
Technical Accounting Research, Deloitte Trueblood Faculty Seminar, March 2015
IASB Research Forum, University of Oxford, October 2014
Technical Accounting Research, Deloitte Trueblood Faculty Seminar, March 2014
Panel on Conceptual Framework, American Accounting Association 2013 Annual Meeting
FASB and Revenue Recognition Update, UACPA Summer Conference, June 2013
FASB Update, UACPA Winter Conference, December 2012
Judgment Biases and Skepticism, McGladrey Partners/Directors Training, July 2011
Judgment Biases and Skepticism, McGladrey Managers Training, October 2011, 2012
FASB and IASB Update, UACPA Summer Conference, June 2011
Revenue Recognition Cases, Deloitte Professors Seminar, May 2011
Accounting for Lease Renewal Options, Cornell University, October 2010
FASB and IASB Update, UACPA Summer Conference, June 2010
IFRS Adoption, NASDAQ Directors Leadership Program, December 2009
FASRI Round Table on Revenue Recognition comment letters, August 2009
American Accounting Association Annual Meeting, August 2009
IFRS Convergence, UACPA Winter Conference, December 2008
FASRI Round Table on Revenue Recognition Discussion Paper, December 2008
American Accounting Association Annual Meeting, August 2008
FASB Update, University of Michigan, June 2008
PCAOB Research Symposium, April 2008
American Accounting Association Northeast Regional Meeting, April 2007
FASB Update, Deloitte Trueblood Faculty Seminar, February-March 2007
Academe Meets Practice, Baruch College, November 2006
Truck Rental & Leasing Association, October 2006
American Automotive Leasing Association, September 2006
University of Utah, April 2005

25th Anniversary Conference for *Auditing: A Journal of Practice & Theory*, January 2005
Opción Múltiple: “Información y Ética in los Negocios.” National Television, Mexico, May 2004
El Instituto Tecnológico de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey, April 2004
University of Notre Dame, March 2004
American Accounting Association – Auditing Mid-year Meeting, January 2003
University of Texas at Austin, December 2002
Fifteenth Symposium on Auditing Research, University of Illinois / KPMG, October 2002
Kansas University / Deloitte Audit Symposium, May 2002
New England Behavioral Accounting Research Symposium, May 2002
Fourteenth Symposium on Auditing Research, University of Illinois / KPMG, September 2000
American Accounting Association Annual Meetings, August 2000
University of Florida, March 2000
Oklahoma University, March 2000
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, March 2000
University of Washington, March 2000
Indiana University, February 2000
University of Georgia, February 2000

TEACHING

A. *Primary Areas of Interest*

Financial reporting standards and accounting policy
Revenue recognition, leases, variable interest entities, financial instruments, and fair value
Judgment and decision-making

B. *Courses Taught*

Acc 310: Introduction to financial/managerial II (Undergraduate, Brigham Young University)
Acc 403: Intermediate financial accounting I (Undergraduate, Brigham Young University)
Acc 404: Intermediate financial accounting II (Undergraduate, Brigham Young University)
Acc 515: Accounting Policy Research (Graduate, Brigham Young University)
Acc 542: Measurement and fair value (Graduate, Brigham Young University)
FIN46-R: Variable Interest Entities – Level 2 (Experienced in-charge auditors, KPMG)
Ncc 550: Introductory financial accounting (Graduate and undergraduate, Cornell University)

SERVICE

A. *Brigham Young University*

2020-	Marriott School AACSB Accreditation Lead
2019-	School of Accountancy Rank & Status Committee Member
2019-	University Faculty Awards Selection Committee Member
2018-	School of Accountancy Diversity and Inclusiveness Initiative Member
2014-	Founder and Faculty Advisor: RevenueHub®, IPOhub®
2014-	School of Accountancy Nonprofit Initiative, Faculty Advisor
2014-2017	Department Chairs Coordinating Council Member
2013-2019	Director, School of Accountancy
2012-2013	Marriott School Rank & Status Committee Member
2011-2012	School of Accountancy Recruiting Committee Chair
2010-2012	Marriott School Behavioral Lab Committee Member
2010-2011	Introductory Courses Curriculum Committee Member
2009-2011	School of Accountancy Rank & Status Committee Member

2008-2011 Accounting Research Symposium Committee Chair
 2004-2005 Fraud Club, Faculty Advisor
 2003-2004 SOA Jr. Core Co-coordinator
 2002-2003 SOA Jr. Core Financial Accounting Coordinator – Winter semester
 2000-2003 SOA Faculty Recruiting Committee Member
 2000-2003 Accounting Workshop Committee Member

B. External

2021- Co-Senior Editor – *Accounting Horizons*
 2020- Beneficial Life Insurance Company, Audit Committee Member
 2020- Deseret Management Corporation, Audit Committee Member
 2020- FEI’s Financial Education & Research Foundation (FERF), Committee Member
 2018- Deloitte’s Center for Controllershship, Academic Member
 2015- NACD Summit Directors & Officers Training, Planning Committee Member
 2014- Hale Center Foundation for Arts and Education, Vice Chair Board of Trustees
 2021-2021 AACSB Peer Review Team for University of Massachusetts, Amherst CIR
 2020-2020 AACSB Peer Review Team for University of Denver CIR
 2019-2019 AACSB Peer Review Team for Hong Kong Univ. of Science & Technology CIR
 2018-2021 AAA Accounting Programs & Leadership Group, Elect / President / Past President
 2018-2021 Associate Editor – *Accounting Horizons*
 2018-2020 National Assoc. of Corporate Directors (NACD), Utah Chapter Board Member
 2018-2018 AACSB Peer Review Team Member for George Washington University CIR
 2018-2018 AACSB Peer Review Team Member for University of Richmond CIR
 2017-2020 Editorial Board Member – *Auditing: A Journal of Practice & Theory*
 2017-2018 AAA Accounting Program Leadership Group: Leadership Development Chair
 2016-2016 AACSB Peer Review Team Member for Univ. of Washington CIR
 2015-2016 FASB-IASB Financial Reporting Issues Conference Committee, Chair
 2014-2016 AICPA Revenue Recognition Task Force, Member
 2014-2017 FASB Financial Accounting Standards Advisory Council (FASAC)
 2014-2015 FASB-IASB Financial Reporting Issues Conference Committee
 2014-2014 AACSB Peer Review Team Member for Notre Dame CIR
 2013-2015 Editorial Board Member – *Behavioral Research in Accounting*
 2013-2015 AAA FARS Financial Reporting Policy Committee, Chair and member
 2012-2013 AAA FARS – Academic Committee to Liaise with Practice, Chair
 2012-2013 AAA Financial Accounting Standards Committee, Chair Elect
 2010-2012 AAA Financial Accounting Standards Committee
 2010-2011 AAA Annual Meeting Research Events Committee
 2009-2012 Financial Accounting Standards Research Initiative, Advisory Board Member
 2009-2010 AAA – 2010 Wildman Award Committee, Chair
 2008-2009 FASB-IASB Financial Reporting Issues Conference Committee
 2008-2009 AAA – 2009 Auditing Dissertation Award Committee
 2008-2008 AAA – 2008 Wildman Award Committee
 2004-2005 AAA – 2005 Annual Meeting Program Committee
 2004-2004 AAA – ABO section dissertation award committee
 2003-2005 AAA – Auditing Section Research Committee
 2001-2020 Ad hoc reviewer for various journals, including *Accounting Horizons*; *Accounting, Organizations, and Society*; *The Accounting Review*; *Auditing: A Journal of Practice and Theory*; *Behavioral Research in Accounting*; and *Contemporary Accounting Research*.

HONORS AND AWARDS

2017 Marriott School Outstanding Citizenship Award

2016 Utah Association of CPAs Outstanding Accounting Educator Award
2013 EY Professorship in Accounting
2011 Marriott School Teaching Excellence Award
2006 FASB Academic Fellow
2003 Kristine V. Vest Faculty Fellowship – BYU School of Accountancy
2002 Outstanding Dissertation – Auditing Section, American Accounting Association
1998 Deloitte & Touche Foundation Doctoral Fellowship Award
1998 American Accounting Association Doctoral Consortium Fellow
1995 American Accounting Association Doctoral Fellowship
1995 The Outstanding Accounting Undergraduate, Brigham Young University

INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCES

2012 Directed the BYU School of Accountancy European Study Abroad trip to France, Belgium, and England, where we visited numerous companies and regulators, including the European Commission and the International Accounting Standards Board.

2009-2012 Advisory Board member of the FASB's Financial Accounting Standards Research Initiative, which reviewed and directed outside academic research efforts on behalf of the FASB and IASB's joint standard setting projects.

2008-2009 Academic Advisor and technical consultant – International Accounting Standards Board, Revenue Recognition Project.

2006-2008 Academic Fellow and Project Manager - Revenue Recognition, a joint international project between the IASB and the FASB.

2004 Visiting faculty presenter at the Instituto Tecnológico de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey in Mexico. Also recorded nationally broadcast TV show on corporate fraud in Spanish.

1990-1992 Missionary for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints (Quito, Ecuador). Trained and helped supervise 200 other missionaries (fluent in Spanish).

1988 Summer Japan-U.S. Senate Exchange Program participant (Foreign exchange student to Nagoya, Japan)

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BIO

Jeff is the EY Professor and former director of BYU's School of Accountancy. He served as an academic fellow at the FASB and a technical consultant to the IASB, where he managed the revenue recognition project, co-authored over 50 research memos, and led board deliberations on these memos. He also co-authored the 2008 FASB/IASB Discussion Paper on Revenue Recognition, which formed the foundation of ASC Topic 606.

Jeff served as a technical advisor to Connor Group, providing GAAP review and SEC reporting guidance to firms preparing for IPO. He has served as a consulting expert for the Securities and Exchange Commission and an expert witness in various high-profile cases. Jeff served as a member of the FASB's Financial Accounting Standards Advisory Council from 2014-2017 and the AICPA's Revenue Recognition Task Force from 2016-2017. He is a member of Deloitte's Center for Controllershship and currently serves on the audit committees of Beneficial Life Insurance Company and Deseret Management Corporation.

Jeff has published in *The Accounting Review*; *Review of Accounting Studies*; *Contemporary Accounting Research*; *Auditing: A Journal of Practice & Theory*; *Accounting Horizons*, and *Management Science*. He is the incoming Co-Senior Editor of *Accounting Horizons*, a journal focused on solving real-world practice problems. Jeff is also the founder of [RevenueHub](#)[®], which has published over 90 articles on ASC Topic 606, *Revenue Recognition*, and has over 20,000 monthly readers.