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## ACADEMICS

### Doctor of Philosophy in Accounting

(Cumulative GPA: 3.73; GPA for the past two semesters: 4.0)  
University of Calgary, Calgary, Alberta, Canada

2022.9-Exp. 2027

### Master of Accounting

University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

2020-2021 (**Intensive**)

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

My primary focus lies at the intersection of taxation and financial accounting. Additionally, I have a broader interest in sustainability, with an emphasis on empirical research. I concentrate on firms' financial performance measures, with a more recent focus on cyberspace.

## SELECTED WORKING PAPERS

1. **W. Zhou\*** and H.Warsame. 2024. Do cyberattacks influence cyber-related disclosure and workforce spending? Evidence from the U.S. healthcare sector Should cyberattacks influence cyber-related disclosure and workforce spending post-cyberattacks? Evidence from the U.S. healthcare sector.  
**Presented at:** *46th Annual Congress of the European Accounting Association Congress (EAA)*, Bucharest, Romania, 2024; *48th CAAA Annual General Meeting*, Halifax, Canada, 2024; *Haskayne and Fox Accounting Conference (HAC)*, Lake Louise, 2023.
2. Herremans, T. Chineme, and **W. Zhou\***. 2025. AN INVESTIGATION OF UNIVERSITY STUDENTS' LEARNING AND PERCEPTIONS OF RE-THINKING THE ROLE OF BUSINESS: PRE- AND POST-INTERVENTION.  
Will be **presented at** EAA, Rome, 2025.
3. **W. Zhou\*** and H.Warsame. 2024. Managers' decision-making in financial reporting and tax aggressiveness: From the perspective of goodwill impairment.  
**Presented at:** *HAC*, Lake Louise, 2024; *EAA*, Rome, 2025.
4. Herremans\*, T. Chineme, and **W. Zhou**. 2024. "Rethinking the Role of Business: An Investigation of Change in Students' Knowledge and Beliefs"  
**Presented at:** Symposium on Sustainability Teaching in Higher Education – Approaches, Methods and Perspectives Manchester, UK, *Manchester Metropolitan University and the UK Consortium on Sustainability Research (UK-CSR)*
5. **W. Zhou** and E. Alfian. 2022: Corporate Governance and Financial Distress in Malaysian Shipping Industry".  
**Presented at:** The 10<sup>th</sup> International Management & Accounting Conference (*IMAC10*), Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

## HONORS AND AWARDS

CPA Managerial Accounting and Tax Research Grant , University of Calgary. 2025  
CPA Managerial Accounting and Tax Research Grant , University of Calgary. 2024  
CPA Tax and CPA Managerial Accounting Research Grants, University of Calgary. 2023  
Teaching and Learning Grants, University of Calgary. 2024  
International Graduate Tuition Award, University of Calgary. 2022  
International Graduate Tuition Award, University of Calgary. 2023

## CONFERENCE EXPERIENCE

EAA 2025 – Presenter, with two accepted papers.  
AAA 2025 – Reviewer  
CAAA 2025 – Reviewer  
Annual American Taxation Association (ATA) Midyear Meeting, Dallas, TX, 2025 – Attendant  
CAAA 2024, Halifax, Canada – Presenter, Reviewer, Moderator  
EAA, 2024 (Romania) and 2025 (Rome) – Presenter  
HAC 2023, 2024 – Presenter  
Annual American Taxation Association (ATA) Midyear Meeting, 2025 – Attendant

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

*Advancing Sustainability Education for Accountants (CPAEF 2024)*  
Research Assistant 2024

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

*Advanced Taxation (ACCT 423), University of Calgary*  
Teaching Assistant Winter 2025  
*Taxation (ACCT 421), University of Calgary*  
Teaching Assistant Fall 2024  
*Introductory Financial Accounting (ACCT 217), University of Calgary*  
Teaching Assistant Winter 2024  
*Contemporary Topics in Accounting (ACCT 359), University of Calgary*  
Teaching Assistant Fall 2023  
*Financial Decision Simulation (Experimental Course), Jiangsu University of Technology*  
Teaching Assistant Winter 2018  
*Financial Accounting (II), Jiangsu University of Technology*  
Recitation Leader Summer 2017

## WORKING EXPERIENCE

*KPMG, Shanghai, China*  
Audit Intern 2019.6-2020.2  
*Agricultural Bank of China, China*  
Intern 2015.9-2015.12