# SOUTHEASTERN INFORMS 2013 ANNUAL MEETING

Wednesday, October 2 Thursday, October 3 and Friday, October 4

## THE PROGRAM CHRONOLOGICALLY

## WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2

## 3:00PM

REGISTRATION

3:00PM to 5:00 PM Mezzanine West

## **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3**

## 7:30AM

### REGISTRATION

7:30AM to 1:00 PM Mezzanine West

### CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

7:30AM to 7:45 AM Mezzanine West Sponsored by Appalachian State University Office of Academic Affairs Lori S. Gonzalez, Provost and Executive Vice Chancellor

### PLACEMENT

7:30AM to 1:00 PM Mezzanine West

## [UR1] FACULTY SPONSORED UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH - SESSION ONE

8:00AM to 9:30 AM East Ballroom

### Session Chair

Anshu Saxena Arora Savannah State University

Veiled Signs of Sexual Advertising Sacriana Ware, Savannah State University Anshu Saxena Arora, Savannah State University Fraudulent Accounting: SEC Charges Thornburg for Fraudulent Accounting Ariel Shead, Savannah State University From Made in China to Branded in China Gay Fortson, Savannah State University Quest Parham, Savannah State University Korak Marrero, Savannah State University Anshu Saxena Arora, Savannah State University

### [HS1] HOSPITALITY AND TOURISM

8:00AM to 9:30 AM West A Room

#### Session Chair

Bomi Kang Coastal Carolina University

Bringing Tourists to the Grand Strand during Holiday Season

> Michael Latta, Coastal Carolina University Mark A. Mitchell, Coastal Carolina University

## 8:00AM

### [SP1] WORKSHOP: OFFICE 2013: THERE IS A LOT TO LIKE

8:00AM to 9:30 AM Arcadian 3 Room

### Coordinators

Wilma Andrews Virginia Commonwealth University Robert L. Andrews Virginia Commonwealth University

Using Synchronous Distance Learning Technology in Hospitality and Tourism Programs

Denis P. Rudd, Robert Morris University Denis Patrick Rudd II, Robert Morris University Assessing Satisfaction in a New Campus Recreation Setting

> Monica Fine, Coastal Carolina University MaryClaire Chalfant, Coastal Carolina University Paul Clark, Coastal Carolina University

#### Discussants

Denis P. Rudd, Robert Morris University Monica Fine, Coastal Carolina University Michael Latta, Coastal Carolina University

## [IE1] WORKSHOP: ENHANCING CRITICAL THINKING IN THE CLASSROOM THOUGH BLOOMS TAXONOMY

8:00AM to 9:30 AM Arcadian 4 Room

#### Coordinators

Michael L. Monahan Frostburg State University Amit J. Shah Frostburg State University Thomas D. Sigerstad Frostburg State University

## [IE2] WORKSHOP: TRANSFORMING TRADITIONALLY TAUGHT ACCOUNTING PROGRAMS FOR THE INTERNET

8:00AM to 9:30 AM West C Room

#### Coordinators

Douglas E. Ziegenfuss Old Dominion University Randall R. Spurrier Old Dominion University

### [OL1] EMERGING TOPICS IN OPERATIONS AND SUPPLY CHAIN

8:00AM to 9:30 AM West B Room

#### Session Chair

Richard W. Monroe East Carolina University

The Impact of Evolutionary Shifts in Supply Chain Modalities on Geographic, Environmental and Socioeconomic Climates in Rural Areas: A Field Study Paul L. Ewell, Virginia Wesleyan College Sandra Ewell, Virginia Wesleyan College Supply Chain Sustainability and the Triple Bottom Line Richard W. Monroe, East

Carolina University

#### Discussants

Richard W. Monroe, East Carolina University Paul L. Ewell, Virginia Wesleyan College

## 9:30AM

### COFFEE

9:30AM to 9:45 AM Mezzanine West Sponsored by Lander University College of Business School of Management Robert Barrett, Dean

## 9:45AM

### [SP2] WORKSHOP: STOP DEATH BY POWERPOINT AT CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

9:45AM to 11:15 AM Arcadian 3 Room

### Coordinator

Wilma Andrews Virginia Commonwealth University

## [SP3] TUTORIAL: EVALUATION, ASSESSMENT, AND ACCREDITATION, OH MY!

9:45AM to 11:15 AM West A Room

Whenever evaluation, assessment and accreditation are mentioned, faculty and administrators tend to cringe and whine. It is hoped that at the end of the session, participants will have a more positive view of these three aspects of the new normal in higher education. The session will begin with a discussion on the differences between evaluation and assessment and how they relate to accreditation. The discussion will then move to how assessment can be properly perceived as a way to improve program and student outcomes by informing faculty on how to maximize student learning. The session will conclude with a discussion on how the importance of these concepts is changing due to external pressures. The session will be interactive with participation by attendees.

#### Presenter

John R. O'Malley, Jr. Georgia Southern University

## [EP1] EDUCATIONAL PRACTICE: LEARNING APPROACHES

9:45AM to 11:15 AM West B Room

#### Session Chair

Janice A. Black Coastal Carolina University

Experiential Learning Exercise for Organizations: Public, Non-government, Private, or Nonprofit Nicholas W. Twigg, Coastal Carolina University Janice A. Black, Coastal Carolina University Critical Andragogy and the Teaching of the Principles of Economics Courses Nikki McIntyre Finlay, Clayton State University Learning Outcome Action-Verbs: Mapping Perceptions of Learning to Bloom's Taxonomy Edward D. Showalter, Randolph-Macon College George S. Lowry, Randolph-Macon College

Timothy W. Merrill, Randolph-Macon College

### Discussants

Nikki McIntyre Finlay, Clayton State University Edward D. Showalter, Randolph-Macon College Nicholas W. Twigg, Coastal Carolina University

## [UR2] FACULTY SPONSORED UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH - SESSION TWO

9:45AM to 11:15 AM East Ballroom

### Session Chair

Anshu Saxena Arora Savannah State University

A Cross-Cultural Analysis of Brand Commitment: How Do International Cultures Perceive Unique Brand Elements?

Craig Jarrell, Savannah State University Anshu Saxena Arora, Savannah State University The Role of Social Media in the Arab Spring (Case Study: Tunisia) Amel Nefatni, Savannah State University Dominique White, Savannah State University Anshu Saxena Arora, Savannah State University Sustainable Australia - Sustainable Communities Brittany Cherry, Savannah State University

Bangone Jones, Savannah State University Anshu Saxena Arora, Savannah State University

### [FI1] BONDS AND CENTRAL BANKING

9:45AM to 11:15 AM Arcadian 4 Room

#### Session Chair

Robert B. Burney Coastal Carolina University

Bond Indenture Consent Solicitations, Agency Issues, and Shareholder Wealth *Terrill R. Keasler, Appalachian State University Jamie Anderson, Appalachian State University* Bitcoin: An Emerging Global Currency without a Nation State Based Central Bank *Robert B. Burney, Coastal Carolina University Thomas W. Secrest, Coastal Carolina University* Re-Examination of the Stock Market

Reactions to Federal Funds Rate Changes Allen Shin, Frostburg State University

Discussants

Allen Shin, Frostburg State University Terrill R. Keasler, Appalachian State University Robert B. Burney, Coastal Carolina University

### [HS2] SPORTS AND SPORTS PERFORMANCE

9:45AM to 11:15 AM West C Room

### Session Chair

Daniel G. Conway Loras College

Market Efficiency and Recreational Betting Ladd M. Kochman. Kennesaw State University Performance on the PGA Tour: A Statistical Analysis Charles B. Pfitzner, Randolph-Macon College College Football's Home-Field Advantage Christopher M. Keller, East Carolina University Daniel G. Conway, Loras College Discussants Charles B. Pfitzner, Randolph-Macon College Daniel G. Conway, Loras College Ladd M. Kochman, Kennesaw State University

# [IE3] INNOVATIONS IN EDUCATION

9:45AM to 11:15 AM Arcadian 2 Room

### Session Chair

Aimao Zhang Georgia Southern University

Using Prompted Reflections in Leadership Courses: Picture This! *Ali A. Nazemi, Roanoke College Sharon C. Gibbs, Roanoke College* Evaluation of First Year Experience Program

Aimao Zhang, Georgia Southern University The Evaluation of Apps Teaching and Student Learning Jasmin C. Lin, Robert Morris University Daisy Wang, University of Tennessee - Martin

Discussants

Aimao Zhang, Georgia Southern University Jasmin C. Lin, Robert Morris University Ali A. Nazemi, Roanoke College

### [OL2] TECHNOLOGY APPLICATIONS IN OPERATIONS AND SUPPLY CHAIN

9:45AM to 11:15 AM Atlantic View II Room

Session Chair

Donna M. Schaeffer Marymount University

iPads, iPhones, and Implications on Students' Critical Thinking Donna M. Schaeffer, Marymount University Additive Manufacturing - A Manufacturing Innovation Whose Time Has Come Richard E. Crandall, Appalachian State University William R. Crandall, University of North Carolina at Pembroke Learning Project Management Through Simulation Leanne C. McGrath, University of South Carolina - Aiken Ravi S. Narayanaswamy, University of South Carolina - Aiken Discussants Richard E. Crandall, Appalachian State University Leanne C. McGrath, University of South Carolina - Aiken Donna M. Schaeffer, Marvmount University

## 11:15AM

### COFFEE

11:15AM to 11:30 AM Mezzanine West Sponsored by Virginia Tech Pamplin College of Business Department of Business Information Technology Laurence J. Moore, Verizon Professor Emeritus

## 11:30AM

### [AC1] ACCOUNTING PEDAGOGY

11:30AM to 1:00 PM Arcadian 3 Room

### Session Chair

Michael Hutkin Roanoke College

Advanced AIS Content and Pedagogy According to the Literature and the Governing Bodies

Gregory L. Krippel, Coastal Carolina University Accounting Major Program Assessment: Improving Curriculum Performance with Major Specific Exit Examinations Maria L. Bullen, Dominican University of California Gregory S. Kordecki, Clayton State University Using Rubrics as a Teaching Tool for Guiding Both Assessment and Improvement of Student Learning in Business Schools Maria L. Bullen, Dominican University of California Gregory S. Kordecki, Clayton State University Elizabeth Capener, Dominican University of California Discussants

Gregory S. Kordecki, Clayton State University Gregory L. Krippel, Coastal Carolina University Arnica Mulder, Roanoke College

### [BA1] BIG DATA ANALYTICS IN BUSINESS AND ACADEMIA

11:30AM to 1:00 PM Arcadian 4 Room

Session Chair Aimao Zhang Georgia Southern University

Dimensions of Big Data for Small Business

Donna M. Schaeffer, Marymount University Patrick C. Olson, National University Big Data and Data Science: An Academic Program Proposal Cheryl Aasheim, Georgia Southern University Justification for Creating a Business Intelligence and Analytics Program

Rick Weible, Marshall University

### Discussants

Cheryl Aasheim, Georgia Southern University Rick Weible, Marshall University Donna M. Schaeffer, Marymount University

## [EP2] ASSORTED TOPICS IN EDUCATIONAL PRACTICE

11:30AM to 1:00 PM West A Room

### Session Chair

Michael Latta Coastal Carolina University

An Application of Statistics: Using the "Moneyball" Story in a Basic Statistics Course

Samuel A. Wathen, Coastal Carolina University Dennis A. Rauch, Coastal Carolina University Integrating Study Abroad Into a Business Curriculum: A Case Study

*Emma Jane Riddle, Winthrop University* Is a Colleges Mission Reflected in Faculty Research

> Janice A. Black, Coastal Carolina University Michael Latta, Coastal Carolina University

### Discussants

Emma Jane Riddle, Winthrop University Janice A. Black, Coastal Carolina University Samuel A. Wathen, Coastal Carolina University

## [EP3] EDUCATIONAL PRACTICE: THE COLLEGE EXPERIENCE

11:30AM to 1:00 PM West B Room

### Session Chair

Monica Fine Coastal Carolina University The College Experience for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities: The Thrive Program at the University of Central Missouri

> Jerry Neal, University of Central Missouri

MOOC It! Do Massive Open Online Courses Define the Future of Education? Ramin Cooper Maysami, University of North Carolina at Pembroke William M. Wendt, University of North Carolina - Pembroke Teaching Teamwork: An Assessment Strategy to Foster Student Collaboration Charles R.B. Stowe, Lander University

Robert T. Barrett, Lander University Discussants

Ramin Cooper Maysami, University of North Carolina at Pembroke Robert T. Barrett, Lander University Jerry Neal, University of Central Missouri

## [IE4] WORKSHOP: THE LEARNING CLUB: ENHANCING MANAGEMENT EDUCATION THROUGH EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING IN STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

11:30AM to 1:00 PM Arcadian 2 Room

#### Coordinators

Martha M. Mattare Frostburg State University Gloria J. Harrell-Cook Frostburg State University

### [IM1] MANAGEMENT AND STRATEGY

11:30AM to 1:00 PM West C Room

### Session Chair

William R. Crandall University of North Carolina at Pembroke

The Decision to Implement or Not to Implement an Activity-Based Costing System: A Managerial Perspective Igor Tomic, St. John's University John P. Angelidis, St. John's University Faramarz Parsa, State University of West Georgia Nabil A. Ibrahim, Augusta State University Using the SWOT Matrix to Address Supply Chain Vulnerabilities: Thoughts on Aligning Strategy with Crisis Management William R. Crandall, University of North Carolina at Pembroke Richard E. Crandall, Appalachian State University Cultural Factors and Project Management Success: A Multinational Study for the United States, Germany and Japan Joerg Storm, Cracow University of Economics Kai-Uwe Seidenfuss, University of South Australia Discussants William R. Crandall, University of North Carolina at Pembroke

Joerg Storm, Cracow University of Economics John P. Angelidis, St. John's University

## [MK1] MARKETING

11:30AM to 1:00 PM East Ballroom

#### Session Chair

Sara Bliss Kiser Alabama State University

Current Trends and Marketing Implications in Restaurant and Hotel Rating Systems Richard J. Mills, Jr., Robert Morris University Denis P. Rudd, Robert Morris University Norman Schnurr, Robert Morris University National Competitiveness, Government Regulatory Reform, and GDP Growth Carol M. Megehee, Coastal Carolina University Arch G. Woodside, Boston College Discussants Carol M. Megehee, Coastal Carolina University Richard J. Mills, Jr., Robert Morris University

## [PS1] BULLYING AND ATTRACTING

11:30AM to 1:00 PM Atlantic View II Room

### Session Chair

John R. O'Malley, Jr. Georgia Southern University

A Literature Review of Workplace Bullying: A Serious Organizational Problem

Nancy J. Niles, Lander University Factors That Influence Women When Purchasing a Business Format Franchise William Repack, Robert Morris University Jasmin C. Lin, Robert Morris University Diana Repack, Robert Morris University Discussants

Jasmin C. Lin, Robert Morris University Nancy J. Niles, Lander University

## 3:30PM

### [MT2] SE DSI COUNCIL MEETING

3:30PM to 5:00 PM West A Room Chairperson Christopher Zobel Virginia Tech

## 5:00PM

[MT3] SE INFORMS BUSINESS MEETING

> 5:00PM to 6:00 PM West A Room

Chairperson Edward D. Showalter Randolph-Macon College

## 2:00PM

[MT1] SE INFORMS OFFICERS MEETING

> 2:00PM to 3:30 PM West A Room Chairperson Edward D. Showalter

Edward D. Showalter Randolph-Macon College

## 6:00PM

### PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION

6:00PM to 7:30 PM Beachcomber's Room Sponsored by Randolph-Macon College Department of Economics and Business Steven D. Lang, Chair and Virginia Tech Pamplin College of Business Robert T. Sumichrast, Dean

## **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4**

## 7:30AM

### REGISTRATION

7:30AM to 11:30 AM Mezzanine West

### CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

7:30AM to 7:45 AM Mezzanine West Sponsored by Georgia Southern University Allen E. Paulson College of Engineering and Information Technology Department of Information Technology Art Gowan, Chair

#### PLACEMENT

7:30AM to 11:30 AM Mezzanine West

## 8:00AM

### [AC2] ASSORTED ACCOUNTING TOPICS

8:00AM to 9:30 AM Arcadian 3 Room

#### Session Chair

Michelle B. Hagadorn Roanoke College

Accounting Practitioner Academic Conversion System (APACS) Using Securitization to Solve and Emerging Business Education Funding Problem

Gregory L. Krippel, Coastal Carolina University Robert B. Burney, Coastal Carolina University Sheila J. Mitchell, Coastal Carolina University Enhancing Students' Understanding of the Economic Impact of Business Transactions on Financial Statements and Financial Ratios with Excel Adel M. Novin, Clayton State University Elucidate Process Costing with Streamlined Numbers William B. Pollard, Appalachian State University

#### Discussants

Adel M. Novin, Clayton State University William B. Pollard, Appalachian State University Robert B. Burney, Coastal Carolina University

## [BA2] WORKSHOP: FUNDAMENTAL STATISTICAL ANALYSIS FOR A FUTURE WITH BIG DATA

8:00AM to 9:30 AM Arcadian 4 Room

Session examines issues that the advent of Big Data present relative to introductory business statistics instruction. It is followed by an interactive discussion of what changes, if any, should be made in introductory business statistics instruction to prepare students for a world with big data. The discussion piece addresses whether the typical statistics course prepares business students with the skills they will need for a future where big data sets and decision making based on data will be more prevalent. The session will include a demonstration of capabilities for analyzing data in Excel 2013 focusing on recently introduced capabilities that are available through Excel and able to handle bigger data sets.

### Coordinators

Robert L. Andrews Virginia Commonwealth University Wilma Andrews Virginia Commonwealth University

## [EP4] WORKSHOP: PLANNING FOR RETIREMENT

8:00AM to 9:30 AM West B Room

Everyone will retire someday. Don't let it catch you by surprise. Whether you are a long ways from retirement, are almost there, or have already retired, you need to think about it. Come and share ideas and get tips about this important phase of your life.

### Coordinator

James A. Pope Duale Hochschule Baden - Wuerttemberg

## [PC1] GRADUATE STUDENT PAPER COMPETITION -SESSION ONE

8:00AM to 9:30 AM West A Room

### Session Chair

Donna M. Schaeffer Marymount University

The Influence of the Incongruence of Country-of-Origin and Country-of-Manufacture on Consumers' Purchase Intention for Diffusion Branding Yao Yao, Savannah State University Anshu Saxena Arora, Savannah State University The Dynamics of Autism: Meeting the Social & Economic Challenge Jessica J. Vickson, Clavton State University Jumping Over the Border, Why Not?: Examining the Advantages and Disadvantages of International Acquisitions Ly L. Pham, Coastal Carolina University

## [IM2] MANAGERIAL LEADERSHIP

8:00AM to 9:30 AM Arcadian 5 Room

### Session Chair

Bomi Kang Coastal Carolina University

A Preliminary Examination of Communication Content, Leadership Styles, and Job Satisfaction I. Edward Jernigan III. University of North Carolina - Charlotte Joyce M. Beggs, University of North Carolina - Charlotte The Impact of Unions on How China Does Business: Lessons to Learn from the United States? Darlene G. Motley, Robert Morris University Jasmin C. Lin, Robert Morris University Jeff Guiler, Robert Morris University Advancing Facilitators and Deterrents Theory of Students' Study-Abroad Decisions Bomi Kang, Coastal Carolina University Carol M. Megehee, Coastal Carolina University

### Discussants

Darlene G. Motley, Robert Morris University Bomi Kang, Coastal Carolina University I. Edward Jernigan III, University of North Carolina - Charlotte

## [PS2] PRIVACY, SECURITY, AND ACCESS CONTROL

8:00AM to 9:30 AM West C Room

### Session Chair

John R. O'Malley, Jr. Georgia Southern University

Introduction to Attribute Based Access Control

Harry Katzan, Jr., Webster University Privacy and Security on the Web Have Marketers and the Federal Government Gone Too Far

Michael Latta, Coastal Carolina University Heuristic Strategies in Business Decision-Making

> Shabnam Mousavi, Georgia State University Reza Kheirandish, Clayton State University

### Discussants

Shabnam Mousavi, Georgia State University Harry Katzan, Jr., Webster University Michael Latta, Coastal Carolina University

### [SI1] SUSTAINABILITY AND INNOVATION

8:00AM to 9:30 AM East Ballroom

### Session Chair

Roberta S. Russell Virginia Tech

Teaching Girl Scouts Sustainability Designs in Engineering Apparel Textile Technology

Keely D. Clay, Southern Polytechnic State University Alliance Management; A Progression Towards Sustainable High Performance Partnerships Jeremiah Nelson, Concord University

The Evolution of Sustainability as a Corporate Imperative

Roberta S. Russell, Virginia Tech Jay M. Teets, Coastal Carolina University

#### Discussants

Jeremiah Nelson, Concord University Roberta S. Russell, Virginia Tech Keely D. Clay, Southern Polytechnic State University

## 9:30AM

### COFFEE

9:30AM to 9:45 AM Mezzanine West Sponsored by University of North Carolina at Wilmington Cameron School of Business Department of Information Systems and Operations Management Larry Clark, Dean

## 9:45AM

## [SP4] WORKSHOP: DIGITAL LITERACY COURSE REDESIGN

9:45AM to 11:15 AM Arcadian 2 Room

### Coordinators

Wilma Andrews Virginia Commonwealth University Maurie Lockley University of North Carolina at Greensboro

## [AC3] ISSUES IN COST AND TAX ACCOUNTING

9:45AM to 11:15 AM Arcadian 3 Room

### Session Chair

Gregory Shaff Roanoke College

Territorial vs. Worldwide Tax Systems -Implications for U. S. Taxpayers John L. Stancil, Florida Southern College Teaching Cost Accounting: Developing a Problem for Transitioning from the Absorption to the Direct Income Statement

William B. Pollard, Appalachian State University Relative Impact of the 2003 Tax Act on

Average Returns: Firms That Pay Dividends versus Firms That Repurchase Shares?

> James E. Benton, Shippensburg University

Discussants Sharon C. Gibbs, Roanoke College John L. Stancil, Florida Southern College William B. Pollard, Appalachian State University

## [EP5] PANEL: PUBLISHER-PROVIDED VERSUS INSTRUCTOR-BUILT CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT SOFTWARE

9:45AM to 11:15 AM West A Room

### Moderator

Bomi Kang Coastal Carolina University

#### Panelists

Janice A. Black, Coastal Carolina University Robert B. Burney, Coastal Carolina University Michael Latta, Coastal Carolina University Arlise P. McKinney, Coastal Carolina University McKean Nowlin, Coastal Carolina University Nicholas W. Twigg, Coastal Carolina University

### [PC2] GRADUATE STUDENT PAPER COMPETITION -SESSION TWO

9:45AM to 11:15 AM Arcadian 4 Room

### Session Chair

Donna M. Schaeffer Marymount University

Are Superfluous Costs Viable? Preparing for Post-Panamax Cargo Ships at the Port of Savanna.

Jessica J. Vickson, Clayton State University Strategic Collaborations and High Performance Organization Synergy John J. Fazio, Nova Southeastern University Does Customer Service Belong in Higher Education?

Eileen D. Soisson, Coastal Carolina University

### [IT1] IT FRAMEWORKS AND STRUCTURES

9:45AM to 11:15 AM West B Room

### Session Chair

R. Daniel Spillman Radford University

A Load Service Structure in Ad-hoc Computer Networks *Ming-Chang Huang, University of North Carolina at Charlotte* A Framework for User Participation Approaches to Information Systems Development *Angela M. Mattia, Jacksonville University* **Discussants** *Angela M. Mattia, Jacksonville University Ming-Chang Huang University of North* 

Ming-Chang Huang, University of North Carolina at Charlotte

## [QT1] PANEL: BUSINESS PARTNERSHIPS: EDUCATING STUDENTS OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM (PROS AND CONS)

9:45AM to 11:15 AM West C Room

#### Moderator

Michael C. Shurden Lander University

#### Panelists

Michael Mlinar, Lander University Tony Santella, Lander University Carol P. Wood, Lander University

## [SO1] SOCIAL NETWORKING AND DIGITAL MEDIA: OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES

9:45AM to 11:15 AM East Ballroom

### Session Chair

Lara Z. Khansa Virginia Tech

Digital Privacy: Think Twice Before You Tweet!

Claire Reeves La Roche, Longwood University Collecting and Interpreting Data over Varying Types of Data Streams Zhongxian Wang, Montclair State University Digital Media as a Case Study Tool A.K. Aggarwal, University of Baltimore Discussants Zhongxian Wang, Montclair

State University A.K. Aggarwal, University of Baltimore Claire Reeves La Roche, Longwood University

## 11:15AM

### COFFEE

11:15AM to 11:30 AM Mezzanine West Sponsored by Coastal Carolina University Wall College of Business Administration Department of Accounting, Finance and Economics Marvin Keene, Chair Department of Management and Decision Sciences Erika Small, Chair Department of Marketing and Resort Tourism Mark Mitchell, Chair

## 11:30AM

## [SP5] PANEL: ENCOURAGING THE PROPER COMMUNICATION SKILLS FOR OUR STUDENTS

11:30AM to 1:00 PM Arcadian 2 Room

The session will emphasize the importance of including communication for our graduates and the importance of making effective communication a part of each class. This mav include communication focused activities but also includes being an example of effective communication. The session will encourage attendees to participate and enter into discussion about the points made

### Moderators

Wilma Andrews Virginia Commonwealth University Robert L. Andrews Virginia Commonwealth University

#### Panelist

Annie M. Stith-Willis, Virginia Commonwealth University

## [FI2] MARKET ANALYSIS AND RISK MANAGEMENT

11:30AM to 1:00 PM Arcadian 4 Room

Session Chair

Patrick J. Litzinger Robert Morris University

The Labor Force Participation Rate: An Examination of the Determinants of Its Recent Precipitous Decline

Patrick J. Litzinger, Robert Morris University John H. Dunn, Jr., Robert Morris University Dynamic Rebalancing Based Hedging of Exchange Rate Risk Using Currency ETFs

Robert B. Burney, Coastal Carolina University National Banking Sector Linkages: Did the Global Financial Meltdown Strengthen or Weaken The Linkages? James E. Benton, Shippensburg University Discussants Robert B. Burney, Coastal Carolina University

James E. Benton, Shippensburg University Patrick J. Litzinger, Robert

Morris University

### [PC3] GRADUATE STUDENT PAPER COMPETITION -SESSION THREE

11:30AM to 1:00 PM Arcadian 3 Room

### Session Chair

Donna M. Schaeffer Marymount University

Live or Die: Measuring Slice-of-Life vs. Slice-of-Death Advertising Appeals as Vehicles for Corporate Social Responsibility

Christina King, Savannah State University Anshu Saxena Arora, Savannah State University Product Promotion and Placement in Motion Pictures: A Blake Conceptual Framework Sierra D. Blake, Savannah State University Anshu Saxena Arora, Savannah State University Tools for Building a Solid Foundation at

Small to Mid Size General Contractors: Techniques for Improved Accountability and Analysis of Construction Work *Esther Stegall Goss, Clayton State University* 

## [IT2] IS AND IT DEVELOPMENT

11:30AM to 1:00 PM West A Room

Session Chair

R. Daniel Spillman Radford University

Development and Testing of a Survey Instrument to Assess Ethical Perceptions of IT and IS Students

Omosalewa Aderonmu, Georgia Southern University Cheryl Aasheim, Georgia Southern University Paige Rutner, Georgia Southern University Apply Service Oriented Architecture with Web 2.0 Application for Computer Network Web Services Ming-Chang Huang, University of North Carolina at Charlotte The Effectiveness of Techniques in User Compliance of IT Policy Caleb Z. Bradberry, University of North Carolina at Greensboro Prashant Palvia, University of North Carolina at Greensboro

Discussants

Ming-Chang Huang, University of North Carolina at Charlotte Prashant Palvia, University of North Carolina at Greensboro Cheryl Aasheim, Georgia Southern University

## [IE5] ANALYTICS AND TECHNOLOGY IN EDUCATION

11:30AM to 1:00 PM West B Room

### Session Chair

Rick Weible Marshall University

Creating a Business Intelligence and Analytics Schedule of Courses *Rick Weible, Marshall University* Essentials of Tablet Computing *Harry Katzan, Jr., Webster University* Technology and Innovation: The Catalyst for Educational Change *Angela M. Mattia, Jacksonville University* **Discussants** Harry Katzan, Jr., Webster University

Harry Katzan, Jr., Webster University Angela M. Mattia, Jacksonville University Rick Weible, Marshall University Determining the Value of a Vote in the United States under the Electoral College Voting System Using Linear Programming Jin Wang, Valdosta State University Joseph M. Cauley, Valdosta State University Using a Tabu Search Approach to Align DNA Sequences Constance A. Lightner, Fayetteville State University Carin A. Lightner Discussants

Jin Wang, Valdosta State University Carin A. Lightner Johnny C. Ho, Columbus State University

## 1:00PM

### PRESIDENT'S LUNCHEON

1:00PM to 2:30 PM Dunes Ballroom Sponsored by Coastal Carolina University Wall College of Business Administration Barbara Ritter, Interim Dean

### GRADUATE STUDENT PAPER AWARD PRESENTATION

1:00PM to 2:30 PM Dunes Ballroom

## [QT2] QUANTITATIVE METHODS AND THEORY

11:30AM to 1:00 PM West C Room

### Session Chair

Michael C. Shurden Lander University

Playing the Lottery?

Johnny C. Ho, Columbus State University David S. Ang, Auburn University at Montgomery Tzu-Liang Tseng, University of Texas at El Paso