

2025 KPMG/ATA Tax Doctoral Consortium Agenda

Thursday, February 20 | Dallas, TX

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

- 7:30 am – 8:15 am** Breakfast
- 8:15 am – 8:25 am** Introductions and opening remarks
Michelle Harding - Virginia Tech
Session 1: Networking & How to Avoid Pitfalls
Nathan Goldman - North Carolina State
Steve Davenport - University of Tennessee at Chattanooga
Session 2: Hot Topics from Practice
French Taylor, Senior Lead Tax Partner in KPMG's Business Tax Services practice.
<https://kpmg.com/us/en/how-we-work/people/t/taylor-french.html>
- 10:30 am – 10:45 am** Break
Session 3: Editors' Panel
Jennifer Blouin, RAST/JAR - University of Pennsylvania
Jenny Brown, Horizons - Arizona State University
Lisa De Simone, JATA - University of Texas
Alex Edwards, CAR - University of Toronto
Cristi Gleason, TAR - University of Iowa
Jaron Wilde, JAPP - University of Iowa
- 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm** Lunch
Session 4: Dissertation Timeline & Strategy
Erin Henry - University of Arkansas
Ben Yost - Boston College

Session 5: Update on the ATA Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee
Bridget Stomberg - Indiana University

Session 7: Research Tools
AAA Policy on Disclosing Use of Artificial Intelligence
Stephanie Austin - AAA Senior Director, Publications and Content Strategy
Data Lessons Learned Over Time
Junwei Xia - Texas A&M
- 3:25 pm – 3:45 pm** Break
6: Teaching Using Tax Cases
Amy Hageman - Kansas State & Jim Seida - Notre Dame
- 6:00 pm** Wrap-up
Dinner Reception

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