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Academic Background

Ed.D. Pepperdine University, Information Systems (Institutional Management Emphasis), 1990.

M.B.A. National University, Telecommunications & Information Systems, 1985.

B.A. CSU, Sacramento, Economics, 1984.

B.S. CSU, Sacramento, Information Systems, 1983.

Work Experience

Academic Experience

Senior Associate Dean and Professor of Computer Information Systems, West Texas A&M University (2018 - Present), Canyon, Texas.

Associate Dean of Undergraduate Programs and Professor of Computer Information Systems, West Texas A&M University (2013 - 2018), Canyon, Texas.

Assistant Professor of Computer Information Systems, West Texas A&M University (1998 - 2004), Canyon, Texas.

Intellectual Contributions:

Refereed Articles

Jafar, M. J., Babb, J. S., & Abdullat, A. (2017). Emergence of Data Analytics in the Information Systems Curriculum. *Information Systems Education Journal*, 15 (5), 22-36.

Keith, M. J., Babb, J. S., Furner, C., Abdullat, A., & Lowry, P. B. (2016). Limited Information and Quick Decisions: Consumer Privacy Calculus for Mobile Applications. *8AIS Transactions on Human-Computer Interaction*, 8 (3), 88-130.

Keith, M., Babb, J., Lowry, P., Furner, C., & Abdullat, A. A. (2015). The Role of Mobile-Computing Self-Efficacy in Consumer Information Disclosure. *Information Systems Journal*, 25 (4), 637-667.

Humpherys, S. L., Babb, J., & Abdullat, A. (2015). Where do Student Outcomes Begin? Developing Professional and Personal Management Skills as a Strategy for Student Success in the First Computing Course and Beyond. *Information Systems Education Journal*, 13 (6), 4-26.

Babb, J. S., & Abdullat, A. (2014). Communicating the Value of Program-Level Accreditation for Information Systems in the College of Business. *Information Systems Education Journal*, 12 (3), 39-58.

Babb, J., & Abdullat, A. (2012). Using Social Network Analysis to Leverage the Industrial Advisory Board for Regional Institutions: Program Reflection and Improvement. *Journal of Research in Business Information*

Systems, 5 (5), 70-101.

Babb, J. S., Longenecker, H., & Abdullat, A. (2012). Engaging in Reflective Decision-Making: The Role of Skills in the Development of the Information Systems Undergraduate Curriculum. *Journal of Higher Education Theory and Practice*, 12 (2), 20-33.

Babb, J., & Abdullat, A. (2012). The Need for Mobile Application Development in IS Curricula: An Innovation and Disruptive Technologies Perspective. *Information Systems Education Journal*, 10 (1), 61-74.

Terry, N., Macy, A., & Abdullat, A. (2010). Stock Market Volatility: A Comparison of Computer and Cellular Hardware Companies. *Global Journal of Business Research*, 4 (3), 11-24.

Abdullat, A. A., Tastle, W., & Wierman, M. (2010). A New Approach in Requirements Elicitation Analysis. *Journal of Emerging Technologies in Web Intelligence*, 2 (3), 221-231.

Terry, N., Macy, A., & Abdullat, A. (2010). Stock Market Volatility: A Comparison of Vertically Integrated Technology Companies. *The Journal of American Academy of Business, Cambridge*, 15 (2), 242-249.

Jafar, M. J., & Abdullat, A. A. (2009). Exploratory Analysis of the Readability of Information Privacy Statement of the Primary Social Networks. *Journal of Business & Economics Research*, 7 (12), 123-142.

Jafar, M., Anderson, R. K., & Abdullat, A. A. (2008). Software Academic Initiatives: A Framework for supporting a Contemporary Information Systems Curriculum. *Information Systems Education Journal*, 6 (55), 1-13.

Jafar, M. J., Anderson, R. K., & Abdullat, A. (2008). Data Mining Methods Course for Computer Information Systems Students. *Information Systems Education Journal*, 6 (48), 1-12.

Landram, F. G., Jafar, M. J., & Abdullat, A. (2008). Combining Forecasts within the Multivariate C_Logistic: A Fresh Approach to Forecasting. *Southwestern Economic Review*, 35 (1), 243-253.

Jafar, M. J., Anderson, R., & Abdullat, A. A. (2008). Comparison of Dynamic Web Content Processing Language Performance Under a LAMP Architecture. *Journal of Information Systems Applied Research*, 1 (1), 3-16.

Abdullat, A. A., Anderson, R., & Jafar, M. (2007). Teaching Scalability Issues in Large Scale Database Application Development. *Information Systems Education Journal*, 5 (28), 3-14.

Abdullat, A., & Terry, N. (2005). Assessing the Effectiveness of Virtual Learning in Graduate Management Information Systems Course. *Information Systems Education Journal*, 3 (34), 1-8.

Abdullat, A. A., Landram, F., & Shah, V. (2004). Using Seasonal and Cyclical Components in Least Squares Forecasting Models. *Southwestern Economic Review*, 31 (1), 189-196.

Abdullat, A. A. (2004). Internet and Web-Based Database Technology. *Journal of Information Systems Education*, 2 (17), 3-10.

Terry, N., & Abdullat, A. (2004). The Impact of United Nations Economic Sanctions on Iraqi Civilians. *International Advances in Economic Research*, 10 (34), 246.

Abdullat, A. A. (2003). Wireless Communications and Networking: Does it Belong in the IS Curricula? *Journal of Information Systems Education*, 1, 1-5.

Invited Articles/Reviews

Babb, J. S., Waguespack, L., & Abdullat, A. (in press, 2019). Subsumption of Information Systems Education Towards a Discipline of Design. *Journal of Information Systems Education*.

Refereed Proceedings

Full Paper

Bakir, N., Dana, K., & Abdullat, A. (2018). Certifying Business Students in Microsoft Office Specialist Certification Excel Core Exam: Lessons Learned. *EDSIGCON*, 4 (4618), 1-8.

Bakir, N., Babb, J. S., & Abdullat, A. (2017). One CISTer at a Time: Building Strong Relationships through a Female Mentoring Program in Computer Information Systems. *Education Special Interest Group of the Association for Information Technology Professionals*.

Babb, J. S., Browning, L., Womble, L. W., & Abdullat, A. (2014). Designing a Student Mentor Program for Engagement and Retention in a College of Business at a Regional Institution. *2014 Clute Institute International Academic Conference in San Antonio*.

Babb, J. S., & Abdullat, A. (2013). Communicating the Value of Program-Level Accreditation for Information Systems in a College of Business. *Information Systems Education Conference (ISECON 2013)*, 30 (1435), 19.

Abdullat, A. A., & Babb, J. (2013). Communicating the Value of Program - Level Accreditation for Information Systems in a College of Business. *2013 Proceedings of the Information Systems Educators Conference*.

Keith, M., Furner, C., Abdullat, A., & Babb, J. (2011). The Role of Mobile Self-Efficacy in the Adoption of Location-Based Applications: An iPhone Experiment. *Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences (HICSS)*.

Abdullat, A. A., & Babb, J. (in press, 2011). Using Social Network Analysis to Leverage the Industrial Advisory Board for Regional Institutions: Program Reflection and Improvement. *Association of Business Information Systems*.

Keith, M. A., Lowery, P., Babb, j., Furner, C., & Abdullat, A. (2011). The Roles of Privacy Assurance, Network Effects, and Information Cascades in the Adoption of and Willingness to Pay for Location-Based Services with Mobile Applications. *2011 Dewald Roode Information Security Workshop*.

Keith, M. A., Lowery, P., Babb, j., Furner, C., & Abdullat, A. (2011). The Roles of Privacy Assurance, Network Effects, and Information Cascades in the Adoption of and Willingness to Pay for Location-Based Services with Mobile Applications. *2011 Dewald Roode Information Security Workshop*.

Abdullat, A. A., & Babb, J. (2011). The Need for Mobile Application Development in IS Curricula: An Innovation and Disruptive Technologies Perspective. *ISECON 2011*.

Abdullat, J. (2010). The Role of Skills in the Development of the Undergraduate Curriculum: The Case for Double-Loop Learning in Decision-Making. *ISECON 2010*.

Tastle, W., & Abdullat, A. A. (2009). Preliminary Requirements Analysis Using Categorical Scales. *International Conference on Information and Communications Systems (ICICS2009)*.

Presentation of Refereed Papers

International

Tastle, W. & Abdullat, A. A. (2009, December). Preliminary Requirements Analysis Using Categorical Scales. *International Conference on Information and Communications Systems (ICICS2009)*, Amman, Jordan.

National

Abdullat, A. A., Jafar, M., & Anderson, R. (2007, November). Software Academic Initiatives: A Framework for supporting a Contemporary Information Systems Academic Curriculum. *ISECON 2007*, Pitt, Pennsylvania.

Service:

Service to the University

Department Assignments

Student placements:

2013: COB Etiquette Dinner

College Assignments

Chair:

2014-2015 – 2018-2019: Scholarship Committee

2007-2008 – 2009-2010: Instructional Resources and Technology Committee

Member:

2018-2019: Strategic Planning and Assessment Committee

2018-2019: Curriculum Committee

2014-2015 – 2018-2019: Administrative Committee

2017-2018: Strategic Planning & Assessment Committee

2017-2018: College of Business Curriculum Committee

2015-2016 – 2016-2017: Strategic Planning and Assessment Committee

2014-2015 – 2016-2017: Curriculum Committee

2013-2014 – 2014-2015: Strategic Planning & Assessment Committee

2013-2014: Scholarship Committee

2012-2013 – 2013-2014: Curriculum Committee

2012-2013 – 2013-2014: Administrative Committee

2012-2013: COB Assessment Contribution

2012-2013: Strategic Planning & Assessment Committee

2012-2013: Scholarship Committee

2011-2012: Strategic Planning & Assessment Committee

2010-2011 – 2011-2012: Faculty Development and Recognition Committee

2010-2011 – 2011-2012: Administrative Committee

2010-2011: Strategic Planning & Assessment Committee (Includes Departmental Strategic Meetings)

2007-2008 – 2009-2010: Strategic Planning & Assessment Committee

2007-2008 – 2009-2010: Marketing and Public Relations Committee

2007-2008 – 2009-2010: Administrative Committee

2008-2009: Retention, Tenure, and Promotion Committee

University Assignments

Chair:

2017-2018 – 2018-2019: Strategic Planning - Financial Resources (Co-Chair)

Member:

2018-2019: University Improvement Committee

2016-2017 – 2018-2019: Web Advisory Committee

2014-2015 – 2018-2019: Teacher Education Unit

2013-2014 – 2018-2019: Instructional Technology Committee

2014-2015 – 2017-2018: University Learning Assessment Committee

2013-2014: TEACHER EDUCATION UNIT

2008-2009 – 2010-2011: FACULTY EMERITUS COMMITTEE

Service to the Community

Positions Held in Civic Organizations

2009: Family Support Services

Memberships

AITP, 2009

EDSIG, 2009

Faculty Development

Assurance of Learning - Professional Development

2008: AACSB Assessment Conference, Dallas, Texas. AACSB Assessment Conference
December 4-6, 2008

2006: AACSB Accreditation Seminar, Tampa, Florida.

Other Professional Development

2017: AACSB International Conference and Annual Meeting, Houston, Texas. April 2017

2016: AACSB International Conference and Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts. April 2016

2015: AACSB International Conference and Annual Meeting, Tampa, Florida. April 2015

2013: AACSB International Conference and Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois. April 2013

2012: AACSB International Conference and Annual Meeting, San Diego, California. April 2012

Professional Seminars / Workshops

2011: Peter Seldin: Evaluating Faculty Workshop, Amarillo, Texas. September

2007: Harvard Management Development Program, Boston, Massachusetts.

Honors-Awards-Grants

Award

2011: College of Business Professional Service Award, West Texas A&M University. Annual award for the best professional service in the College selected by peers and approved by dean..

Courses Taught

Courses taught, but not in the Schedule:

CIDM 3350: Database Systems Design

CIDM 6310: Information Technology Management
