**PROFESSOR JERI RICKETTS (CONTINUED)**

I am looking forward to spending more time with my amazing, wonderful family, visiting Kim in Chicago, and playing some golf with my girlfriends on Tuesday mornings! But the last paragraph of Good to Great, by Jim Collins, says it all:

“For in the end, it is impossible to have a great life unless it is a meaningful life. And it is very difficult to have a meaningful life without meaningful work. Perhaps, then, you might gain that rare tranquility that comes from knowing that you’ve had a hand in creating something of intrinsic excellence that makes a contribution. Indeed, you might even gain that deepest of all satisfactions: knowing that your short time here on this earth has been well spent, and that it mattered.”

**PROFESSOR WALLACE (WALLY) WOOD, DBA, CPA** grew up in Chicago. He was active in drama, in Scouting and in sports (football, wrestling and track) and successful on the speech team, winning tournaments for extemporaneous speaking.

Wally worked his way through Southern Illinois University as a switchman and track laborer, changing ties and driving spikes on the Illinois Central railroad. He earned a BS in Economics and an MBA in Operations Research. Wally took an Instructor position at Pittsburgh State in 1974, teaching Behavioral Management and Statistics. He bicycled 3000 miles alone in Europe the summer of 1975 and 5000 miles alone across the USA the summer of 1976.

He chose Tennessee for his doctoral program and while at UT he ran his best (2:37) marathon. Wally was recruited to UC and in five years published ten refereed journal articles and in 1985 was tenured and promoted. Tenure allowed proposing to his wife, Melissa and taking leave to teach in Saudi Arabia. After returning to UC in 1987, Wally kept publishing an article a year and served on university-wide committees.

In 1994, after his sabbatical consulting at Gillette, Wally switched from discipline based research and university service to American Accounting Association activities. He was AAA-Ohio program chair for 2003, and Region President in 2012. Since 1998, he has lead Active Learning and Ethics Pedagogy workshops at all seven regions, and the last six national meetings of the American Accounting Association.

After May 1st, Plan A is another faculty position anywhere from Cleveland to Kazakhstan. Plan B is Bicycling and driving with a trailer, first to Alaska, and then around islands starting small, and later to Iceland, New Zealand, and Japan. Plan C is Colorado, where he and Melissa bought a half acre last week.
--- DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING 2014-2015 ENROLLMENT ---

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--- RECOGNITION OF TEACHING EXCELLENCE ---

Professor Molly Rogers – Winner of 2015 Michael L. Dean Excellence in Classroom Education & Learning (EXCEL) Graduate Teaching Award; Professor Rogers was also nominated for the 2015 Michael L. Dean Excellence in Classroom Education and Learning (EXCEL) Undergraduate Teaching Award and the 2015 Harold Grilliot Award.

Professor Maureen Bruns - Nominated for the 2015 Michael L. Dean Excellence in Classroom Education and Learning (EXCEL) Undergraduate Teaching Award

--- SELECTED AWARD AND RECOGNITION DESCRIPTIONS: ---

**Ohio Society of Certified Public Accountants (OSCPA) Scholarships:** The Ohio CPA Foundation $2,000 statewide college scholarships are awarded on merit but restricted to those who are student affiliate members of OSCP.

**Cincinnatus:** The cornerstone scholarship program for incoming freshmen to UC. The brightest and most promising prospective freshmen in all academic disciplines. All Cincinnatus scholarships are renewed for the length of the undergraduate academic program providing the student maintains a 3.2 GPA and completes the annual 30-hour community service requirement.

**Marvin P. Kolodzik Business Scholars:** A community of LCB honors students that capitalize on the opportunities both in the university and professional setting, surpassing expectations fueled by administrative support. KB business students are highly self-motivated to become specialized in their field of interest, to pursue the highest academic standards, and to enhance their reputation.

--- 2015 DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING RETIREES ---

PROFESSOR RUTH EDWARDS, B.A., J.D., has been a UC faculty member for over 35 years and earned her law degree at UC. She has taught in UC's Business, Applied Science, and University Colleges. Ruth is a Professor of Legal Studies with interests in business law, litigation process, and ethics. She has served on numerous UC committees including Business Fellows, accompanying the group on its first trip abroad to Canada, and the Provost's Committee on Faculty Diversity. Ruth was instrumental in the development of UC's Hospitality Management, Sport Management, and Paralegal Programs. Ruth was in the UC WILD program. She was a mentor for UC STARS Program Student Achievement in Research and Scholarship Program. Funded by the Ohio Board of Regents. Ruth participated in a People to People delegation of federal judges and attorneys to China and Hong Kong as guests of the Ministry of Justice of the People's Republic of China.

Prior to UC, Ruth maintained a private law practice, was a Hamilton County Public Defender, and worked for the Cincinnati Legal Aid Society, and was President of the Black Lawyers Association of Cincinnati. Ruth served as an arbitrator for the Better Business Bureau of Cincinnati. She was among a three attorney defense team in a murder case, which was the subject of an article in Criminal Defense, a publication of the National College for Criminal Defense. Early in her career, she served on the Cincinnati State Board of Trustees for 13 years as a member, vice chairperson, and chairperson. Ruth was a member of the Association for Community College Trustees and also served on its board of directors and chaired its Minority Affairs Assembly. She served on the Board of Directors of the Winton Hills Medical and Health Center and 4C-Comprehensive Community Child Care. Among her special recognitions are inclusion in Who's Who Among African-Americans, Who's Who in Law, and an Honorary Doctorate of Technical Letters from Cincinnati State Technical and Community College.

It has been an honor and pleasure working at UC, meeting and working with students, faculty, administrators, and staff. It has been especially meaningful to observe students expand their educational achievements and horizons. UC has certainly garnered some well-deserved honors and recognition over the years concerning its academic programs and campus improvements for students. Hopefully, some travel will be part of the retirement years. Heartfelt thanks go to my children, family members, and friends who have been so supportive in my career.
2015 DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING RETIrees

PROFESSOR VIRGINIA (GINGER) CLARK, CPA, will soon complete a long successful academic career at UC. She earned her undergraduate degree from Purdue University and her MBA from UC. She was Program Director for Undergraduate Accounting Majors and previously worked for the College of Mount St. Joseph, ARKLA Gas Company in Louisiana, and Boyd, Stanley & Co. CPAs in Texas. Prof. Clark earned numerous teaching awards, including the EXCEL Award for Outstanding Undergraduate Teaching (twice), Grilliot Award for Outstanding Student/Faculty Relations (twice), Greek Award for Most Outstanding Professor, and the MBA Graduate Teaching Award for Accounting. In recent years she taught nonprofit and financial accounting.

As I retire from an extremely satisfying career at the University of Cincinnati, my heart is full of gratitude. It has been a great privilege to be entrusted with the education and guidance of our students and it has brought me tremendous joy and satisfaction. I extend heartfelt thanks to all of the thousands of students who have shared their lives with me and to the extraordinary faculty and staff members of the Lindner College of Business who have graciously supported me for twenty-nine years. As I look forward to spending more time with my amazing family, I feel blessed beyond words.

PROFESSOR ILSE HAWKINS, JD served on the UC faculty for 30 years and is a graduate of The Ohio State University College of Law. She received the EXCEL award for outstanding undergraduate teaching, the Grilliot Award for Service to Undergraduates, and was nominated for both the graduate EXCEL award and the university Dolly Cohen award for teaching. Her teaching and research interests include employment law, the legal liability of accountants, and international business law. A solar cooling device for which her students did the feasibility studies was recently awarded first prize for innovation and technology at a Maharashtra trade show. Ilse’s current students are exploring the legal and business risks associated with the expansion of the sale of this device to Indonesia, Mexico, and Sub-Saharan Africa. She has served as President of the Employment Law section of the Academy of Legal Studies in Business and as an Interim Associate Provost at UC.

Ilse wants to thank her students whose diversity has enriched her life, and whose willingness to try new approaches to the subject matter provides an exciting recompense more valuable than remuneration. She also thanks her husband, Terry Cosgrove, and her children, Patrick, Lisa, and Daniel Cosgrove, for their support, and her grandchildren, Rowan and Emery Cosgrove, for providing employment during retirement.

SELECTED AWARD AND RECOGNITION DESCRIPTIONS: (CONTINUED)

UC Global Scholarship: A merit-based award with awards ranging from $1,000 up to $25,000 (full tuition) per year, with the average award amount of $9,000 per year. It is renewable for the duration of a bachelor’s degree program.

The Carl H. Lindner Honors-PLUS program: A challenging honors program in the LCB. The program is designed for highly motivated individuals with superior academic ability and demonstrated leadership skills. All receive a scholarship that covers full (in-state) tuition.

OTHER AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS OF ACCOUNTING MAJORS

With 850+ students enrolled in UC Accounting Programs, we have many outstanding students. Here is a listing of other accounting students with awards, scholarships and recognitions.

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John Georgeson
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Lindsey Homan
Jonghyeon Jung
Grace Junker
Julie Kenning
Courtney Koester
Joseph Kreyenhagen
Thomas Kreyenhagen
Sheng Lu
Sarah Mayer
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Andrew Miller
Neil Mullen
Priya Mullen
Molly Mullinger
Alec Niehauser

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STUDENTS RECOGNIZED AND ACKNOWLEDGED TONIGHT

Accounting Department Awards:
Outstanding Service in the Department of Accounting Award:
Reid Heitkamp  Kurt Kolish  Brad Weeter

Carl H. Lindner College of Business Awards:
Lindsay Fasching  Outstanding MS Accounting Student Award
Ellery Newkirk  Outstanding Undergraduate Accounting Student Award;
  Mitchell S. Gaswirth - Arthur Andersen Scholarship
Brad Price  LCB Outstanding Non-Traditional Student Award;
  UC Transition Scholarship

Ohio Society of Certified Public Accountants (OSCPA) Scholarships & Recognitions:
John Girardot  OSCPA Scholarship Winner - 2015; Lindners Honors-PLUS;
Colleen Johns  OSCPA Ambassador - 2014; Kolodzik Business Scholars
Darren Murphy  OSCPA Ambassador - 2015
Alec Niehauser*  OSCPA Scholarship Winner - 2015
Tyler Noel  OSCPA Scholarship Winner – 2014; Lindner Honors PLUS
Yuka Sakumoto-Schmidt  OSCPA Scholarship Winner – 2014
John *Jack* Wells*

Financial Executive Institute (FEI) Outstanding Student Award: Nathan C. Wyscarver

Institute of Management Accounting (IMA) Outstanding Student Award: Penny Brewer

PwC Case Competition Winners:
Alex Glavin, Julie Kenning, Priya Mullen, Rob Rankin, and Peter Schmidt

Beta Alpha Psi (Accounting Honorary Fraternity) Officers for 2014-2015
President: Punit Akinnepalii
Treasurer: Samuel Bonekamp*
Director of Reporting: Nate Venisile*
Activities Director: Jeremy Fischer*
  Vice President: Zachary Powers
  Director of Correspondence: Colleen Johns
  Head Mentor: Vuong Nguyen*

*unable to attend
DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING
Retirement Celebration & Student Awards Banquet
March 26, 2015

6:30 - 7:15 - RECEPTION MUSIC  BY CELLIST GASTAVO CARPINTEROY
  • Pictures with the UC Bearcat
  • Picture & Trivia Question Slide Show

7:15 - WELCOME  DEPARTMENT HEAD ROB LARSON
  • The Importance of Accounting Video
  • Dinner

8:10 - RECOGNITION OF STUDENTS
  • Outstanding Service in the Department of Accounting Award Presentations
  • Carl H. Lindner College of Business Awards to Accounting Students Recognized
  • Ohio Society of Certified Public Accountants (OSCPA) Honors Recognized
  • Financial Executive Institute (FEI) Outstanding Student Award Winner Recognized
  • Institute of Management Accounting (IMA) Outstanding Student Award Winner
  • PwC Case Competition Winners Recognized
  • Beta Alpha Psi Officers Recognized

8:25 - CELEBRATION OF RETIREMENTS
  • Ginger Clark - Adjunct Associate Professor of Accounting
  • Constance Cooper - Professor of Accounting and Director of Business Fellows
  • Ruth Edwards - Professor of Business Law
  • Jeri Ricketts - Associate Professor of Accounting & Director of Lindner Honors-PLUS
  • Wally Wood - Associate Professor of Accounting
  • Ilse Hawkins - Adjunct Associate Professor of Business Law

9:00 - FARREWS

Robbie Noonan
Nicholas Partie
Mariah Phillips
Siqi Qiu
Robert Rankin
Joseph Ratterman
Brian Redmond
Edward Rivin
Jay Rugg
Kaitlyn Sanders
Emily Schlager
Claire Sheanshang
Kathleen Smith
Tyler Smith
Alexander Stautberg
John Stewart
Rob Stewart
Mark Szwejkowski
Danielle Tref
Jill Tochtermann
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Mary Rowe Book Award
Cincinnatus
William Jefferson Clinton Scholarship;
Marvin P. Kolodzik Business Scholar
UC DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING ADVISORY BOARD

We recently organized our first Department of Accounting Advisory Board. While we realize that we need to add a few more individuals from key stakeholder organizations, we believe that we have a great group of people on the Board. We appreciate the willingness of the following individuals to help guide our accounting programs as we seek to move to the next level during this time of rapid change.

Steven J. Bailey, Barnes Dennig & Co., Principal
Raqule Crawley, Proctor & Gamble, Sr. Cost Analyst
Scott DeVenny, Grant Thornton LLP, Audit Partner
Arnie Hanish, Retired VP & CAO of Eli Lilly & Co.
Kenneth J. Jenkins, McGladey LLP, Tax Partner
Laurence F. Jones III, President, Legacy Investment Funds
Roger Kramer, Pioneer Cladding, Chief Financial Officer (CFO)
Rob Moeddel, Fifth Third Bancorp, Senior Vice President, Investment Advisors — CFO
Anthony “Tony” M. Perazzo, BKD LLP, Audit Partner
Jay Rueger, Ernst & Young (EY), Senior Manager - Business Tax Advisory
Sherri Richardson, Richardson & Associates, LLC, CPA, Managing Partner
Roger Spurgeon, Plante & Moran, PLLC, Audit Partner
Joe Waller, PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP (PwC), Tax Partner
Jerry Wiley, Deloitte LLP, Tax Partner

A special thank you to everyone who made the 2015 Department of Accounting Retirement Celebration & Student Awards Banquet possible.

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RETIREMENT CELEBRATION & STUDENT AWARDS BANQUET

MARCH 26, 2015

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