## KSGPA

## **2022 ANNUAL REPORT**



## WHY BELONG?

Find out what KSCPA has been working on throughout the year to benefit KSCPA members, accounting organizations & the profession.

## **GOALS & LEADERSHIP**

Meet the 2022-2023 KSCPA Board of Directors and KSCPA Foundation Trustees and hear their vision for the coming year.

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MODERN BUSINESS

## KSCPA | A Pride of Accountants

Banding together to protect modern business

The past year has been a transformational time at the KSCPA, with the transition at the President & CEO level and experimentation on how we offer value to our members. We focused on our combined strength to support our members, banding together to protect our members and inspire the next generation of CPAs through the four pillars of the KSCPA vision: "To be an inclusive community that connects, innovates, advocates, and learns."

As things settled into a new normal, KSCPA continued to drill down into areas where our members needed the most support finding access points to experts, educational offerings, social connections, and trends.

We continue to feature expert speakers addressing the profession's significant issues through our conferences. In addition to our usual conference offerings, we have built out our Learning Hub, providing members access to CPE from our vendor partners and the education they need.

We leveraged our existing relationships to help keep members informed and advocate on their behalf. We collaborated with the Kansas Department of Revenue to give updates and guidance on pressing issues, including the SALT Parity Act. We continue to serve as a trusted resource at the statehouse, outlining how proposed bills impact businesses and individuals.

## KSCPA | A Pride of Accountants

The opportunity for connection among members is still top-of-mind. We have connected like-minded professionals in our peer groups and Lead to the Future Leadership Program. We connected with high school students, teachers, college students, accounting faculty, and professionals at the 2022 INSPIRE Business Camp. The camp brought 34 high school students together for a day, highlighting accountants as the elite power athletes of the business world. It was an action-packed event connecting the entire accounting ecosystem. We continue to partner with the various stakeholder groups to see how we can build upon and expand our efforts.

In the coming year, we will look for creative solutions and think outside the box to provide timely and relevant resources to our members. Our focus continues to be on our members. We will keep our ear to the ground and listen to our members' voices, concerns, and hopes to help us unite the KSCPA community and build a robust accounting ecosystem for the future.





KSCPA Mission: The KSCPA is dedicated to supporting and developing its members while promoting the accounting profession.

KSCPA Vision: To be an inclusive community that connects, innovates, advocates and learns.



## Kansas Society of CPAs

## Board of Directors

#### **Executive Committee 2021-2022**



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Christina Ricke, CPA, CGMA

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**AICPA Elected** Member of Council

## KSCPA BOARD OF DIRECTORS SLATE OF OFFICER NOMINEES

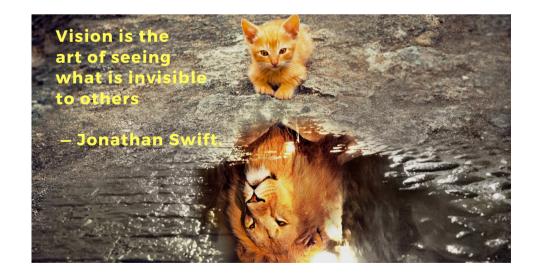


## CHAIR JOE RONNEBAUM, CPA

Joe Ronnebaum is a tax partner based out of PwC's Kansas City office. Joe has over 17 years of public accounting experience working on public and privately held multi-national corporations and partnerships. Joe primarily serves clients in the protein processing, technology, and retail and consumer sectors. He has assisted his clients across a variety of areas, including income tax accounting, tax accounting methods, corporate and partnership compliance, tax consulting, entity rationalization and efficient tax structuring.

Joe is very active in the Kansas City and CPA community. He was recently on the Board of the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society – Mid-America Chapter, as well as the Kansas City Chairman's Circle for the American Cancer Society. Joe is a licensed CPA in both Kansas and Missouri, and he is a member of the AICPA and KSCPA. Joe is also the current Vice-chair of the KSCPA Board of Directors.

Joe obtained his Undergraduate Degree from Kansas State University, as well as his Master's Degree in Accounting, with an emphasis in tax, from Kansas State University. He also sits on the Kansas State Accounting Advisory Council.



## KSCPA BOARD OF DIRECTORS SLATE OF OFFICER NOMINEES



## VICE CHAIR NORMAN HOPE, PhD., CPA, CGMA

Norm has spent the past thirty-nine years in higher education as a faculty member at McPherson College and Tabor College. Norm served as Chief Financial Officer of Tabor for 2 years during his Tabor College tenure. During his academic career, Norm has continued to be a practicing CPA, working for David O'Dell CPA, LLC; Adams Brown; Accounting & Financial Initiative, LLC; and Knudsen. Monroe & Company. LLC.

Norm received his BS in accounting from Manchester University, an MBA from Emporia State University, and a PhD. in adult and occupational education from Kansas State University. Norm is the current Secretary/Treasurer of the KSCPA Board of Directors and served four years on the KSCPA Educational Foundation Board of Trustees, including two years as chair from 2009-2014. Norm previously served on the KSCPA board of directors from 2015-2018. Norm and his wife Julie are residents of McPherson, Kansas. He has two adult daughters, a son-in-law, and four grandchildren. In his spare time, Norm plays bass in a 15 piece jazz orchestra and at church.



## SECRETARY/TREASURER AMANDA WALKER, JD, CPA

Amanda R. Walker, JD, CPA, an attorney and member at Bever Dye, LC, Attorneys At Law in Wichita, Kansas, began her professional career at the regional accounting firm of FORVIS. She practices in the areas of estate planning, taxation, trusts and estates, wills, probate and business law.

Amanda represents clients in tax controversies before the Internal Revenue Service, the Kansas Department of Revenue and in the federal and state courts. Her representative clients include individuals and closely-held businesses. Amanda also represents taxpayers in structuring tax-deferred exchanges of property under Internal Revenue Code section 1031.

Amanda admitted to practice in the U.S. District Court for the District of Kansas, the U.S. Tax Court and the Kansas state courts.

## KSCPA BOARD OF DIRECTORS SLATE OF DIRECTOR NOMINEES



#### **JENNIFER BERNING, CPA**

Jennifer grew up on a farm near Leoti, Kansas, and graduated from Kansas State University with a B.S. in Accounting. She and her husband, Jerry, have been a part of the Hutchinson community since 2007, and have three children and two beautiful granddaughters. Jennifer is Tax Partner with Adams Brown, LLC, where she leads the firm's Closely Held Business team and is responsible for overseeing a variety of tax and accounting/family office engagements. In addition to reviewing tax returns for individuals and businesses, Jennifer consults on succession and tax planning for small businesses and farms. She enjoys being active in her community, and currently serves on the board for United Way of Reno County, as well as the First National Bank of Hutchinson Board of Directors.



#### KIMBERLY D. CHARLAND, M.Acc. C.P.A

Kim is a Senior Instructor, EY Teaching Fellow, and CBA Edgerley Outstanding Instructor Fellow in the Department of Accounting at Kansas State University. While at K-State, Kim has taught a variety of courses ranging from the introductory accounting courses to the capstone accounting course, Accounting Research and Communication. Kim has served as the faculty advisor for Student Accounting Society, the Epsilon Theta Chapter of Beta Alpha Psi, and Tau Alpha Chi. Kim was a Trustee (2017-2021) and Chair (2021) of the KSCPA Educational Foundation. Prior to joining the faculty at K-State, Kim was a manager at Sink, Gordon & Associates LLP, of Manhattan, KS, and an audit senior at KPMG LLP in Kansas City, MO. She is a graduate of Kansas State University with a master's degree in accounting as well as a bachelor's degree in business administration – accounting. Kim's professional memberships include American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, Kansas Society of Certified Public Accountants, and Beta Alpha Psi.



#### **MELVIN GATSON, CPA/PFS**

Melvin Gatson is the President of Gatson CPA. He is a licensed CPA who holds the distinguished CPA/PFS credential. He has a passion for helping business owners and individuals achieve their financial goals. He holds a Master's Degree in Accounting as well as a Master's Degree in Business Administration and has over 9 combined years of experience in public accounting and industry. Melvin's breadth of experience as a tax professional, auditor, and consultant has uniquely positioned him to assist both small business owners and individuals with their business and financial needs. He is an active Board member of a financial literacy nonprofit, and he is a member of the National Association of Black Accountants.

## KSCPA BOARD OF DIRECTORS SLATE OF DIRECTOR NOMINEES



#### KRISTEN GLASGOW, CPA

Kristen is a Manager at Pinion. She optimizes outcomes for businesses with her ability to assess their financial health and provide strategic advisory to increase profitability. She is specialized in handling the details and management of financial statement audits and helps business owners find solutions to both every day and complex problems that affect their financial positions and company strategies. Through her demonstrated reliability and resourcefulness, Kristen naturally builds trust and easy rapport with the clients she serves.

As a Certified Public Accountant (CPA), Kristen excels at providing valuable solutions for the accounting, audit and attestation, and financial planning challenges unique to the biofuels, construction, and transportation industries. She received her B.S. in Business Administration and Accounting from Wichita State University.

She is a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA), Kansas Society of Certified Public Accountants (KSCPA), Renewable Fuels Association Young Professionals Network, Accounting & Finance Women's Alliance, Young Professionals of Wichita, International Milk Haulers Association, and National Tank Truck Carriers. In her free time, Kristen loves playing golf, walking the dogs, rooting for Wichita State basketball, and spending time at the lake.

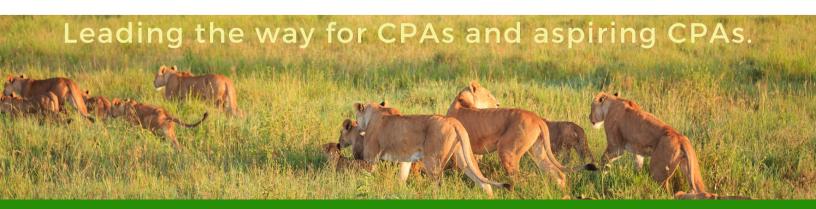


#### **ADRIAN WEBB, CPA**

Adrian is a Senior Manager in Assurance at AGH. He has been in public accounting for more than a decade working with companies in audit and advisory capacities. In addition to performing and managing traditional audit and attest services across several industries, he uses his experience to help clients develop best practices to improve their internal and external reporting.

Adrian is a past president of the Wichita Chapter of the KSCPA and currently serves as the Board Treasurer for Passageways, a local not-for-profit with a mission to prevent veteran homelessness.

In his free time, Adrian enjoys spending time with his wife, Danielle, and their 3 children; keeping his grass short and dark green; and smoking and eating barbeque.



## **MEMBERSHIP**

"You cannot get through a single day without having an impact on the world around you. What you do makes a difference, and you have to decide what kind of difference you want to make." — Jane Goodall

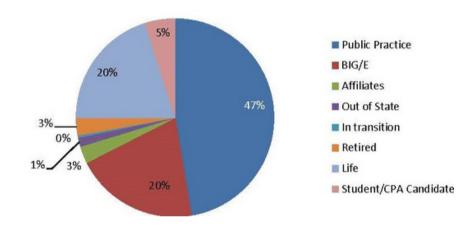


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#### MEMBERSHIP RETENTION RATE

Membership retention allows us to advocate on behalf of our members and the accounting profession.

## Membership by Billing Class

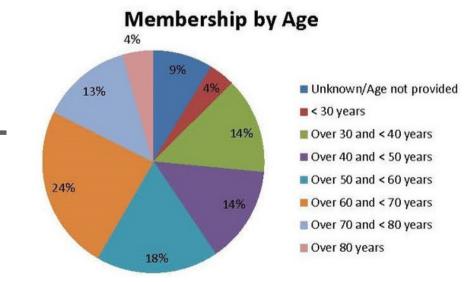


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**NEW MEMBERS** 

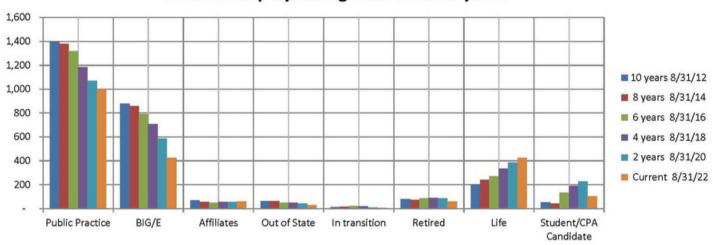
**NEW LIFE MEMBERS** 

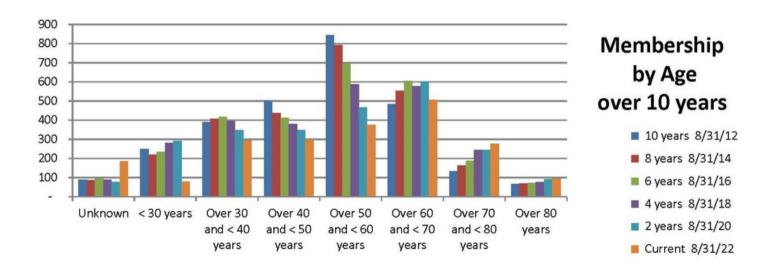
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## **MEMBERSHIP**

#### Membership by Billing Class over 10 years





## WHY BELONG?

How does KSCPA keep members at the top of their careers?

## MEMBER BENEFITS

A FEW OF THE MANY PERKS OF KSCPA MEMBERSHIP

- Discounted CPE
- Invitations to KSCPA Events
- Ignite Blog
- Road Less Traveled Video Series
- Weekly News & Notes
- Knowledge Hub Resource Center
- Leadership Training
- Mentoring
- Peer Groups
- Pipeline for Future CPAs & Potential Employers
- Legislative & Professional Updates
- Access to Industry Experts & Resources

197

GRADUATES OF THE LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

YEARS OF THE LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

12

**63** 

**TOTAL IGNITE BLOGS** 

**7**1

PROFESSIONAL ISSUES UPDATE VIEWERS

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE VIDEOS
DURING 2022 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

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# KSCPA IS THE MAIN ORGANIZATION THAT ADVOCATES FOR:

Giving you access to personalized features, development and learning.



- We curated resources and timely updates on emerging issues via news alerts, advocacy updates, News & Notes, Ignite blog and the KSCPA website.
- We provided access to expert speakers through our conferences and webcasts.
- We celebrated CPA exam passers, Women to Watch award winners, scholarship recipients, Life Members, and L2F Graduates.
- We recalibrated internal programs & processes to offer streamlined, personalized services to members.

## There Is Strength In Numbers.

The More Members We Have, The More Resources To Do Our Important Work.

# KSCPA IS THE MAIN ORGANIZATION THAT ADVOCATES FOR: The FUTURE

Attracting and inspiring young talent in Kansas. Providing future-focused solutions.



- We held the third INSPIRE Business Camp at the University of Kansas. Helping to inspire high school students to choose accounting and grow the pipeline.
- We celebrated the graduation of the second class of the Lead to the Future -Leadership-Elite Network (L2F). The program is a refresh of the renowned '20 up to 40' Leadership Program featuring future-focused leadership training and will open up for application for the next class in mid-2023.

#### **INSPIRE**



Business Camp Keynote

#### Lead to the Future



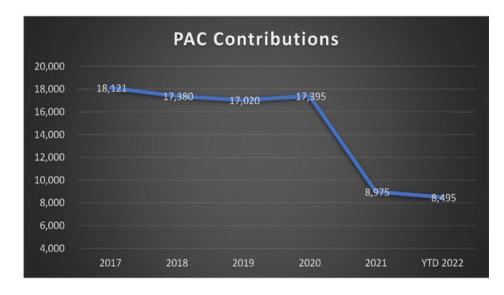
**Graduation Celebration** 

# KSCPA IS THE MAIN ORGANIZATION THAT ADVOCATES FOR: The PROFESSION

Protecting the CPA license and monitoring legislative activity in Kansas.



- We provided testimony on legislation, including the SALT Parity Act.
- We served as a trusted resource at the statehouse, outlining how proposed bills would impact businesses and individuals.
- We collaborated with KDOR to give updates and guidance on pressing issues.



SUPPORT KSCPA'S PAC (POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE) SCAN QR CODE TO DONATE:

The KSCPA Political Action Committee (PAC) needs your help to remain a valued resource & stakeholder in preserving the accounting profession!



## CONNECTING

The most important things in life are the connections you make with others - Tom Ford.



## KSCPA CHAPTERS

There are five active chapters of the KSCPA. Each chapter is separately governed and operated. Chapters are an excellent way for new members or prospective members to begin to network with other members in their area. The chapters provide leadership opportunities for individuals who wish to participate more fully in the leadership of the KSCPA.



## PERSONALIZED MEMBERSHIPS

We are working on creating a personalized member experience to help you get the information you want, when you want it. Directly linking you to the KSCPA services you value most. We aim to help streamline your access to resources and tools that will help you make the most of your KSCPA membership, career and work/life balance.

## KSCPA PEER GROUPS

Ag Tax was our first peer group. We used trials & triumphs from that group to help build a framework for future peer groups. We have had members express interest in several others. Therefore, we will be rolling out several peer groups in the coming year. The peer groups will provide small group discussions, interaction and calls centered on an industry or interest. We will keep members posted as new groups become available.

## INNOVATING

KEEPING ACCOUNTING AT THE FOREFRONT OF SUPPORTING BUSINESSES & COMMUNITIES



## **KSCPA Knowlege Hub**

A library of free downloadable content includes white papers, webinars, product guides, case studies, industry analysis and much more, provided by experts and vendors within the accounting industry.

## **Ignite Blog**

A blog for and by a community of accounting and finance professionals. Spotlighting possibilities that spark future-ready success amidst a constantly evolving profession. Powered by the KSCPA.





## The Road Less Traveled Video Series

KSCPA members share what they have learned along the accounting career path. Twists, turns, unexpected surprises and influences along the way.



## **Diversity Equity + Inclusion Center**

The KSCPA has partnered with CEO Action for Diversity & Inclusion, the largest CEO-driven business commitment to advance diversity and inclusion in the workplace. Members have access to toolkits, learning and notable articles.

Together we can lead boldly and kindly, so our Society, the profession, and the communities we serve are places all feel welcome and valued.

## **LEARNING**

7,828

CPE HOURS AWARDED

LEARNING HUB WEBINARS TAKEN

**252** 

4.2

**AVG. CONFERENCE RATING** 

**AVG. SPEAKER RATING** 

4.0



#### Statements of Financial Position (Unaudited)

	8/31/2022			/31/2021
<u>Assets</u>	200			
Current assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	390,844	4	240,166
Investments	*	472,820	4	501,635
Accounts receivable		8,335		5,457
Prepaid expenses:		9,555		2/42/
Learning		671		4,699
Lead to the Future				9,000
Other		23,634		
Total current assets	4	896,304		25,974 786,931
Furniture, equipment and software, net of accumulated				
depreciation of \$70,328 and \$73,315		34,533		30,919
Security deposit	_	2,000		2,000
Total assets	\$	932,837	\$	819,850
		23-1-37	7	31-3-
<u>Liabilities and Net Assets</u>				
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$	28,417	4	0.705
Accrued compensated absences	<b>P</b>	23,485	₽	9,795 18,656
Due to related parties		12,765		3,622
Deferred revenue:		12,705		3,022
Learning		1.022		2,164
Membership dues		1,922		1000
Lead to the Future		249,495		65,131
		47.075		15,600
Accounting KickStart  Total current liabilities		17,075		16,806
Total corrent habilities		333,159		131,774
Net assets:				
Without donor restrictions:				
Undesignated		580,214		663,597
Designated for Lead to the Future		14,089		10,729
Total without donor restrictions		594,303		674,326
With donor restrictions:				
DE&I initiative		E 27E		9,750
Lead to the Future		5,375		
Total with donor restrictions	-	F 27F		4,000
Total net assets	-	5,375		13,750
Total liet assets	_	599,678		688,076

## Statements of Activities Year Ended August 31, 2022 (Unaudited) Budget \* FYE 2022

		Actual \$	Actual %		Budget \$	D	ifference \$	Difference %
Revenue:				-				l.
Membership dues	\$	471,000	60%	\$	483,205	\$	(12,205)	-2.5%
Learning		227,346	29%		296,219		(68,873)	-23.3%
Advertising and other		71,603	9%		77,460		(5,857)	-7.6%
Contributions		3,000	0%		4,000		(1,000)	-25.0%
Interest income		11,115	1%		10,800		315	2.9%
Total revenue	_	784,064	100%		871,684		(87,620)	-10.1%
Expenses:								
Learning		63,455	8%		100,154		(36,699)	-36.6%
Membership services		15,143	2%		19,540		(4,397)	-22.5%
Leadership and strategic initiatives		82,535	11%		102,660		(20,125)	-19.6%
Legislative		37,533	5%		38,550		(1,017)	-2.6%
Peer review		375	0%		-		375	0.0%
Salaries and benefits		523,888	67%		611,294		(87,406)	-14.3%
Staff development and travel		15,060	2%		20,649		(5,589)	-27.1%
Professional services		11,632	1%		12,550		(918)	-7.3%
Facility and office		57,855	7%		61,000		(3,145)	-5.2%
Credit card fees		24,981	3%		26,500		(1,519)	-5.7%
Other		3,583	0%		2,750		833	30.3%
Total expenses		836,040	107%		995,647		(159,607)	-16.0%
Revenue less expenses	_	(51,976)	-7%		(123,963)			
Other revenue (expense):								
Depreciation		(7,607)	-1%		(8,262)			
Gain (loss) on disposal of capital assets		_	ο%		_			
Net unrealized gain (loss) on investments		(28,815)	-4%		_			
Total other revenue (expense)		(36,422)	-5%		(8,262)			
Change in net assets		(88,398)	-11%	\$	(132,225)			
Net assets, beginning of year	_	688,076						
Net assets, end of year	\$	599,678						

#### Comparative Statements of Activities \* Years Ended August 31 (Unaudited)

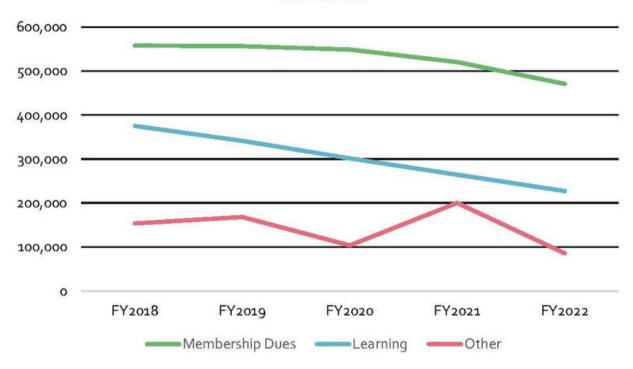
	_	8/31/20	22	- <u> </u>	8/31/2021		
		Actual \$	Actual %		Actual \$	Actual %	
Revenue:							
Membership dues	\$	471 <b>,</b> 000	60%	\$	520,475	53%	
Learning		227,346	29%		264,103	27%	
Advertising and other		71,603	9%		45,767	5%	
Contributions		3,000	0%		14,000	1%	
Government grant		-	0%		94,817	10%	
Peer Review registration		-	0%		33,925	3%	
Interest income		11,115	1%		12,052	1%	
Total revenue		784,064	100%		985,139	100%	
Expenses:							
Learning		63,455	8%		61,757	6%	
Membership Services		15,143	2%		32,885	3%	
Leadership and strategic initiatives		82,535	11%		34,633	4%	
Legislative		37,533	5%		36,932	4%	
Peer Review		375	0%		12,804	1%	
Salaries and benefits		523,888	67%		590,205	60%	
Staff development and travel		15,060	2%		4,707	0%	
Professional services		11,632	1%		12,351	1%	
Facility and office		57,855	7%		61,435	6%	
Credit card fees		24,981	3%		25,967	3%	
Other		3,583	0%		2,401	0%	
Total expenses		836,040	107%		876,077	89%	
Revenue less expenses		(51,976)	-7%		109,062	11%	
Other revenue (expense):							
Depreciation		(7,607)	-1%		(7,307)	-1%	
Gain (loss) on disposal of capital assets			0%		(2,281)	0%	
Net unrealized gain (loss) on investments		(28,815)	-4%		5,941	1%	
Total other revenue (expense)		(36,422)	-5%		(3,647)	0%	
Change in net assets	\$	(88,398)	-11%	\$	105,415	11%	

#### Statements of Cash Flows (Unaudited)

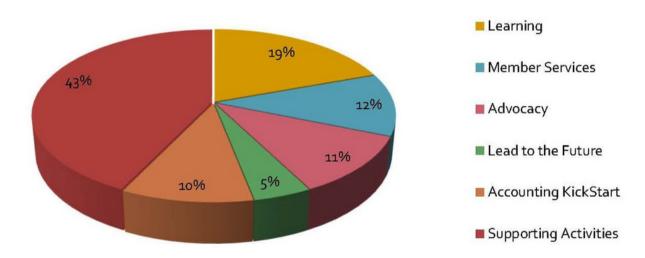
	8/31/2022			8/31/2021		
Cash flows from operating activities:	0					
Change in net assets	\$	(88,398)	\$	105,415		
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash						
provided by (used in) operating activities:						
Depreciation expense		7,607		7,307		
(Gain) loss on disposal of capital assets		-		2,281		
Unrealized (gain) loss on investments		28,815		(5,941)		
Changes in assets and liabilities:						
Accounts receivable		(2,878)		1,037		
Prepaid expenses		15,368		(10,593)		
Accounts payable		18,622		54		
Accrued compensated absences		4,829		861		
Due to related parties		9,143		(6,466)		
Deferred revenue		168,791		(127,532)		
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities		161,899		(33,577)		
Cash flows from investing activities:						
Purchase of furniture, equipment and software		(11,221)		(24,096)		
Net cash used in investing activities		(11,221)		(24,096)		
Net change in cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash		150,678		(57 <b>,</b> 673)		
Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash, beginning of year		240,166		297,839		
Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash, end of year	\$	390,844	\$	240,166		

## FINANCIAL GRAPHS

#### Revenue



## Functional Expenses FY 2022







## Board of Trustees

Terms Expiring 2022



Rachel Green, CPA University of Kansas Chair

## **Terms Expiring 2023**



Emily Lawrence, CPA Allen Gibbs & Houlik, L.C. Vice Chair



Patricia O'Sullivan Wichita State University

## **Terms Expiring 2024**



Denis Miller, CPA Mapes & Miller, LLP



Pamela Schmidt, Ph.D., MBA, MS-CS, ISACA RISC Washburn University



Misty Schartz, MBA, CPA Hays Medical Center Secretary/Treasurer

## Terms Expiring 2025



Ryan Dreher, CPA Pinion



Rebekah Heath, Ph.D., CPA, CIA Kansas State University

Chair of the KSCPA Board of Directors, Serving a One-Year Term (Expiring 2022)



Amber Goering, CPA, CGMA Goering and Granatino, P.A.

## KSCPA EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION INTRODUCING NEW OFFICERS



## **Chair: Emily Lawrence, CPA**

Emily Lawrence is a supervisor in the tax department at Allen, Gibbs & Houlik, L.C. where she provides tax planning and compliance and business valuation services for individuals and businesses in a wide range of industries. Her experience includes intensive business valuation training and working closely with senior business valuation professionals. Emily is a member of the American Institute of CPAs, Kansas Society of CPAs, and was named a member of the KSCPA's "20 up to 40" leadership class of 2015-2016. Emily currently serves as treasurer of the Wichita Chamber Chorale and is an active volunteer in her church. Emily earned a bachelor's degree in accounting from the University of Kansas and a master's degree in accounting from Wichita State University.



### Vice Chair: Misty Schartz, MBA, CPA

Misty is passionate about her family, accounting, and her communities! She is blessed with a wonderful husband and daughter, Shane and Emery. Misty is an Accountant at Hays Medical Center. Prior to joining Hays Medical Center, she was a Lecturer of Accounting at Fort Hays State University (2015-22) and a public accountant (2011-15). Her Research has been published in Federation of Business Disciplines Journal, a Special Edition with Southwest American Accounting Association. In 2022, Misty coauthored Computerized Accounting using QuickBooks Online, 1st edition; Armond Dalton Publishers. She earned her Master of Business Administration, 2014, and Bachelor of Business Administration degree in Accounting, 2010, from FHSU. Misty is an active member of the Kansas Society of CPAs and enjoys being a part of organizations that serve to expand knowledge of the accounting profession!



## Secretary/Treasurer: Ryan Dreher, CPA

Ryan is energized by brainstorming options for each unique situation so the organizations he works with can find solutions that meet their needs. His enthusiasm for fostering longstanding relationships with his clients is coupled with a drive to take those organizations to the next level. Ryan loves solving business problems by quickly immersing himself within the businesses he serves. He enjoys every aspect of the audit, accounting, tax and consulting he does for not-for-profit organizations, individuals, partnerships, and corporations. His work includes audits, reviews and compilations of financial statements, tax planning, and multi-state taxation. Ryan has developed a focus on the Equipment Dealership Industry, as a key member of the audit and assurance delivery team for these dealerships across the United States. A process focused person, Ryan likes to dig in and provide assistance to dealerships through improvement projects to their internal controls and accounting systems in order to be able to spend less of their time looking back and more of their time looking forward

## KSCPA EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION TRUSTEE NOMINEE



#### Mike Leak, CPA

Mike Leak is a Senior Associate in the Wichita office of Swindoll, Janzen, Hawk, & Loyd, LLC, where he primarily focuses in the areas of non-profit attestation services and client outsourced accounting. He is a graduate of Wichita State University and lives in the Wichita area with his wife Janelle (and two cats). Mike has been a member of the KSCPA since 2010 and became more extensively involved after participating in the Lead to the Future program. He had the opportunity to help with the development of the first Inspire Business Camp, and enjoys helping others find a path into the diverse world of accounting. Outside of work, Mike can usually be found busting knuckles under a classic car, creating a mess with various crafts, or at the store on a cat food/litter run.



## BUILDING THE PIPELINE

"A mentor is not someone who walks ahead of us to show us how they did it. A mentor walks alongside us to show us what we can do. ~ Simon Sinek

\$4,800

STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED

\$43,750

\$48,550

TOTAL OF 2022-2023 SCHOLARSHIPS & GRANTS

\$5,000

TOTAL OF 2022-2023 ACCOUNTING KICK-START PROGRAM SPONSORSHIP

64

**CPA PASSERS** 

**SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS** 

18

#### **ACCOUNTING KICK-START PROGRAM**

This program is designed to ignite the interest of new accounting talent to join us in our electrifying future and guide them along the way! INSPIRE: Expose students to the exciting future and endless career path opportunities in accounting. LEAD: Engage students in the accounting community early through three-tiered mentoring connecting undeclared students with accounting majors and young professionals. DEVELOP: Build skill sets focused on early leadership, effective communication, critical thinking, and problem-solving to ensure future success for students, and the employers that hire them.

## **INSPIRE BUSINESS CAMP**

The KSCPA held the 3rd INSPIRE Business Camp on October 21 at the University of Kansas. The camp connected high school juniors and seniors, and accounting professionals to engage students in the accounting community early and help them set goals for school and their careers.



## YOU HELP BUILD THE FUTURE

The mission of the KSCPA Educational Foundation is to fund educational programs that advance the accounting profession.

Since 1963, the Foundation has achieved our mission by awarding scholarships and grants to high school students, undergraduate and graduate students, and faculty. Awarding grants and scholarships has increased awareness of the accounting profession to high school students and has helped the members of the KSCPA to establish cooperative relationships with the faculties of the colleges and universities in Kansas.

As we look to the future, we are working to attract high school students to the profession through the Accounting Kick-Start program. As part of this program, we support the KSCPA INSPIRE Business Camp and DEVELOP Learning Center.

\$3,000 BYRON BIRD GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP
\$2,500 JOHN J. KILLIAN SCHOLARSHIP
\$2,500 MARY ELLEN KIRKPATRICK LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP
\$2,500 ETHNICALLY DIVERSE STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP
\$15,750 IN REGENTS AND WASHBURN UNIVERSITY
UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS
\$17,500 IN REGENTS AND WASHBURN UNIVERSITY
GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS



## THE EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION OF THE KANSAS SOCIETY OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS, INC.

#### Statements of Financial Position (Unaudited)

	8/3	1/2022	8/	31/2021
<u>Assets</u>				
Current assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	16,460	\$	3,594
Contributions receivable		3,000		8,000
Investments		260,728		292,835
Due from KSCPA		1,975		850
Total current assets		282,163		305,279
Restricted cash and cash equivalents		22,003		21,957
Restricted investments		-		5,165
Total restricted		22,003		27,122
Total assets	\$	304,166	\$	332,401
Liabilities and Net	t Assets			
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$	-	\$	_
Total current liabilities		-		-
Net assets:				
Without donor restrictions		282,163		305,279
With donor restrictions				
Perpetual in nature		22,854		27,122
		(OF1)		-
Underwater endowments		(851)		
Underwater endowments  Total with donor restrictions	_	22,003	_	27,122
				27,122 332,401

## THE EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION OF THE KANSAS SOCIETY OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS, INC.

#### Statements of Activities (Unaudited)

	Year Ended 8/31/2022							Year Ended 8/31/2021						
		nout Donor		h Donor trictions		Total		nout Donor strictions		th Donor	Total			
Revenue and support:														
Assessment of KSCPA members**	\$	54,715	\$	-	\$	54,715	\$	34,510	\$	-	\$ 34,510			
Investment income, net		(34,618)		(2,619)		(37,237)		47,893		3,321	51,21			
Contributions		13,025		-		13,025		12,261		100	12,36			
Net assets released from restrictions		2,500		(2,500)		-		2,500		(2,500)				
<b>Total revenue and support</b>		35,622		(5,119)		30,503		97,164		921	98,08			
Expenses:														
Program services:														
Education:														
Scholarships		43,750		-		43,750		41,250		-	41,250			
Faculty grants		4,800		-		4,800		4,800		-	4,80			
Student activities		7,775		-		7,775		7,400		-	7,40			
Supporting services:														
Management and general:														
Professional fees		1,900		-		1,900		1,850		-	1,850			
Miscellaneous		513		-		513		461		-	46			
Total expenses		58,738		-		58,738		55,761		-	55,76			
Change in net assets		(23,116)		(5,119)		(28,235)		41,403		921	42,32			
Net assets, beginning of year		305,279		27,122		332,401		263,876		26,201	290,07			
Net assets, end of year	\$	282,163	\$	22,003	\$	304,166	\$	305,279	\$	27,122	\$ 332,40			

<sup>\*\*</sup> All KSCPA members were assessed \$25 as part of their Membership Investment.

## THE EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION OF THE KANSAS SOCIETY OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS, INC.

#### Statements of Cash Flows (Unaudited)

	8/	31/2022	8/	31/2021
Cash flows from operating activities:				
Change in net assets	\$	(28,235)	\$	42,324
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash				
provided by (used in) operating activities:				
Realized and unrealized (gain) loss on investments		55,114		(43,067)
Contributions restricted for long-term purposes		+		(100)
Changes in assets and liabilities:				
Contributions receivable		5,000		(8,000)
Due from KSCPA		(1,125)		25
Accounts payable		-		(4,750)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities		30,754		(13,568)
Cash flows from investing activities:				
Purchase of investments		(31,141)		(38,121)
Proceeds from sale of investments		13,299		30,000
Net cash used in investing activities		(17,842)		(8,121)
Cash flows from financing activities:				
Collections from contributions restricted for long-term purposes		-		100
Net change in cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash		12,912		(21,589)
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Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash, beginning of year		25,551		47,140
Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash, end of year	¢	38,463	¢	25,551
cash, cash equivalents and reserved easily end of year	7	30,103	7	25,551
Financial Statement Presentation:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	16,460	\$	3,594
Restricted cash and cash equivalents	•	22,003	•	21,957
	\$	38,463	\$	25,551

## **KSCPA STAFF**

Your KSCPA Trail Guides



Always happy to lend a helping hand



## How Will You Spread the Word?

ROAR LOUD ENOUGH FOR EVERYONE TO HEAR

The best way to keep accounting a vibrant and thriving profession is by building a robust community of accountants. This goes beyond recruiting new accountants. It is ...

- · Welcoming those new to the profession.
- Including and connecting fellow accountants.
- Lending an ear or a helping hand to a colleague in need.
- Providing guidance and fostering growth in a young professional you see potential in.
- Inviting or encouraging someone to attend a conference, event or activity with you.
- Encouraging students, accounting professionals, support staff and CPAs to connect with the KSCPA community.