

PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME: John Robert Miller

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EDUCATION: Bachelor of Industrial Engineering
Georgia Institute of Technology
September, 1965

Master of Business Administration with
dual majors in Management and Finance
Georgia State University
May, 1971

Course work completed for Doctor of
Philosophy program in Business
Administration with a major in
Quantitative Methods
Georgia State University
June, 1981

PROFESSIONAL QULIFICATIONS: EIT certificate – Georgia, 1965
PE License in Industrial Engineering – Georgia, 1973

PERSONAL REFERENCES: Furnished upon request

DETAIL OF PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

September, 1976 - Present

INSTRUCTOR - ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF BUSINESS

MERCER UNIVERSITY IN ATLANTA

STETSON SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

ATLANTA GRADUATE CENTER

ATLANTA, GEORGIA

Tenured full time faculty member in the Division of Business and Economics at Mercer University in Atlanta. Original appointment as Instructor in Business, promoted to Assistant Professor of Business in September, 1980. The Division of Business and Economics became the School of Business and Economics in July, 1983. Undergraduate courses taught include Basic and Advanced Statistics, Management Simulation, Corporation Finance, Managerial Finance, Principles of Investments, Portfolio Management, Principles of Management, Personnel Management, Management Science, and Basic Programming. Graduate courses taught include Corporation Finance, Capital Budgeting, Calculus, Operations Management Science, and Decision Theory. Designer of the Capital Budgeting course and author of lecture notes that serve as the text for the course. Designer of the Decision Theory course. Served as co-faculty advisor for Studies Abroad program trips to Germany, Hong Kong and Scotland/England. Committee work has included service on the Library, Financial Aid, Computer Selection, Facilities, Curriculum and Academic Standing, Appeals (Chairman), Graduate, Evaluation, Promotion, and Tenure committees, Personnel Committee (Acting Chairman), Graduate Council, University House of Delegates, and AACSB steering committee. Served on Executive Committee of University House of Delegates and as secretary of the Graduate committee. Committee work has also included service on the search committees to find a permanent Dean of the School of Business and Economics and Director of Libraries as well as Educational Resources committee for SACS accreditation self study. Outside activities have included conducting Financial Analysis seminars for a national corporation for first line supervisors, middle managers, and top level managers, providing the financial analysis for a start-up firm applying for SEC registration, providing the financial analysis for a buyout of a closely held corporation, and providing statistical consultation for a medical research firm. Also have performed present value analysis of lost income in several death/injury cases. Chosen by the students as the outstanding faculty member for the 2000-2001 academic year.

April, 1974 - September, 1976

INSTRUCTOR

MERCER UNIVERSITY IN ATLANTA

DEKALB COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Part-time faculty member at both schools. Courses taught at Mercer University include Corporation Finance, Managerial Finance, Investment Principles, Portfolio Management, Real Estate Finance, Financial Institutions, Managerial Economics, Statistics, Calculus, Management Simulation, Personnel Management, and Principles of Management. Courses taught at Dekalb Community College include Beginning and Intermediate Algebra, College Mathematics, Decision Mathematics, Calculus, Macroeconomics, Economic Development, and Personnel Management.

February, 1973 - April, 1974

CONSULTANT
BOOZE, ALLEN & HAMILTON, INC.
NEW YORK, NEW YORK

Position with a firm providing management consulting services to many types of industries. Responsibilities included designing a manpower planning and scheduling system for an independent telephone company, developing a scrap reduction program for a manufacturer of oil filters and a manufacturer of silverware, designing a maintenance system for a newspaper, distribution analysis for a manufacturer of oil and air filters and several cost reduction and productivity improvement surveys.

March, 1971 - December, 1972

DOCTORAL STUDENT
GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY
ATLANTA, GEORGIA

Enrolled in Doctor of Business Administration, DBA, Program with majors in Finance and Management. Part time teaching included Calculus and Statistics.

May, 1970 - March, 1971

INVENTORY MANAGER
LARKIN COILS, INC.
ATLANTA, GEORGIA

Position reporting to Engineering Vice President responsible for stockroom and receiving operations. Reported to by the stockroom supervisor with a staff of four stock clerks. Overall responsibilities included providing liaison between Production and Purchasing so that delivery commitments might be met with special attention given to high dollar volume inventory items and general inventory management, including taking of physical inventory. Specific projects included co-designing of a new production scheduling system, identification and removal of dead items from inventory while reducing the number of stockouts, and freeing up invested capital from inventory. The position requires assimilation of data from Purchasing, Production, Data Processing, and Marketing so that realistic future inventory commitments could be generated.

November, 1968 - April, 1970

INDUSTRIAL ENGINEER
COMMERCIAL COMMUNICATIONS
SCIENTIFIC ATLANTA, INC.
DORAVILLE, GEORGIA

Responsibilities included all phases of Industrial Engineering for an assembly operation employing twenty-five people. Specific duties include designing an inventory control system, scheduling work through the production facility, designing an information reporting system, simplifying and improving an order processing system, providing liaison to the parent operation for production and inventory purposes, coordinating the move of an assembly operation from the parent plant to a remote facility, evaluating the pricing structure on standard products, and Critical Path analysis.

August, 1967 - October, 1968

UNITED STATES ARMY
FORT KNOX, KENTUCKY

The assignment consisted of a Scientific and Engineering, S&E, position at the United States Army Armor and Engineer Board at Fort Knox, Kentucky. The Armor and Engineer Board is responsible for testing and evaluating new equipment for acceptance into the Army's inventory. Duties of the position required the writing of test plans and reports for the experimental equipment.

April, 1966 - October, 1966

JUNIOR INDUSTRIAL ENGINEER
AMARLITE DIVISION
ANACONDA ALUMINUM COMPANY
ATLANTA, GEORGIA

Responsibilities included all phases of Industrial Engineering for the Melt Cast, Extrude, and Buffing operations for an aluminum extrusion and fabricating operation. Specific areas of responsibility involved time study, plant layout, cost estimation, and a special plant wide project in scrap reduction.

September, 1965 - March, 1966

INSTRUCTOR
SOUTHERN TECHNICAL INSTITUTE
MARIETTA, GEORGIA

Part time Instructor of courses in College Algebra, Plane Geometry, and Human Relations.

PUBLICATIONS

Contributing Author: 1991 Professional Engineering Licensing Examination in Industrial Engineering

PAPERS PRESENTED

Capital Budgeting: A Risk Adjusted Approach for Developing Countries

Allied Southern Business Association

November, 1990

With Farhad F. Ghannadian

The Myths and Realities of Corporate International Diversification: An Empirical Study

International Trade and Finance Association

January, 1992

With Farhad F. Ghannadian

Dichotomous Variables in Multivariate Regression Analysis

Presented to faculty seminar series

November, 1997

Buydown and Early Payoff of Amortized Loans: Spreadsheet Models

Presented at the Mountain Plains Management Conference

Denver, Colorado

October, 1998

Also published in the refereed proceedings of this conference

With Dr. Nancy Jay

A Multidimensional Gordon Model with Spreadsheet Applications

Mountain Plains Management Conference

Published in the proceedings of this conference

1999

Monte Carlo Simulation of a Multidimensional Gordon Model with Spreadsheet Applications

Presented at the Mountain Plains Management Conference

Cedar City, Utah

October, 2000

Also: Under consideration for The Journal in electronic format

An Empirical Exploration of Consumer Demand for International E-Commerce

With Dr. Tie-liu Yu and Dr. Mei Miranda Zhang

Presented by Dr. Yu at the American Society for Competitiveness

Atlanta, Georgia

October, 2001

A Statistical Analysis of Demand for E-Healthcare Services

With Dr. Tie-liu Yu, Dr. Mei Miranda Zhang, and Dr. James Connell

Presented by Dr. Yu at the 4th annual meeting of the Society for Business, Industry and Economics

Gulf Shores, Alabama

April, 2002

An Overlooked Point in Teaching Forecasting
Presented at the mountain Plains Management Conference
Moscow, Idaho
October, 2003

International Diversification: A Cross-Sectional Discriminant Analysis
With Dr. Farhad F. Ghannadian
Presented by Dr. Ghannadian
American Academy of Accounting and Finance
New Orleans, Louisiana
December, 2003

A Model to Illustrate Sensitivity Analysis in Linear Programming
Presented at the Mountain Plains Management Conference
Cedar City, Utah
October, 2005

REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES

A Problem Solving Model and Some Implications for the Classroom
The Institute of Management Science
Southeast Chapter
September, 1983
With Aprile Holland

Herding Cats to Water; Benchmarking the use of computers in Business Education
Accepted by the Journal of Education for Business in March, 2001
With Dr. Linda Brennan

An Empirical Exploration of Demographic Factors that Influence Consumer Demand for International E-Commerce
With Dr. Tie-liu Yu and Dr. Mei Miranda Zhang
Global Business and Economic Review
December, 2001

A Statistical Analysis of Demand for E-Healthcare Services
With Dr. Tie-liu Yu, Dr. Mei Miranda Zhang, and Dr. James Connell
Journal of Business, Industry and Economics
November, 2002

International Diversification: Do Investors need to Venture Abroad?
With Dr. Farhad F. Ghannadian
The Credit and Financial Management Review
First Quarter, 2004

Global Trends and Debt Relief for Asia, Latin America, and Africa: A Multiple Discriminant Analysis
With Dr. Farhad F. Ghannadian
Accepted for Publication
International Business & Economics Research Journal

TEXTBOOK REVIEWS

Essentials of Managerial Finance

Pringle, John J. and Harris, Robert S.
Scott, Foresman & Company
1984

Essentials of Finance

Weston, J. Fred and Brigham, Eugene F.
Dryden Press
1984

Essentials of Managerial Finance

Weston, J. Fred and Brigham, Eugene F.
Dryden Press
1987

Operations Management

Reid
John Wiley and Sons
2003
Reviewer of Chapter 4, Supply Chain Management and Chapter 25, Scheduling

Operations Management

Heizer, Jay and Render, Barry
Pearson – Prentice Hall
2006

CONSULTING CLIENTS

Steven W. Gardner, Attorney at Law
Krause and Hiron, Attorneys at Law
Miller, Ray, Houser, & Stewart, LLP

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Georgia Society of Professional Engineers
National Society of Professional Engineers

Listed in United Who's Who