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WORK EXPERIENCE

Council Auditor's Office, City of Jacksonville
January 7, 2008 - Present

POSITIONS HELD

Principal Auditor- May 2017 - Present
Auditor III- October 2013 – May 2017
Auditor II- January 2011 – October 2013
Auditor I- January 2008 – January 2011

COUNCIL AUDITOR'S OFFICE EXPERIENCE

Audit

I have been on the audit team for my 18+ years in the office. During my first few years, I participated as a team member and then quickly began to lead audits and attestations from there. Around 2-3 years into my time in the office I began to lead audits and did that until I began to manage audits starting around 2016. In May 2017 I began managing the audit team, which includes 10 employees. During my time in the office, I have led and/or managed 75+ audits and attestations of all areas of the consolidated government.

Our office has passed each triennial peer review required by the Government Auditing Standards that we follow, with each under my time managing the audit team not containing any management letter comments.

Budget Review

As with all staff members in the office, each summer I have helped review the Mayor's Proposed Budget. Since the summer of 2017, I have managed the review of the General Government Budget.

Other Projects/Office Functions

During my time in the Council Auditor's Office, I have been fortunate to work on numerous different projects that have helped deepen my understanding of the City of Jacksonville. Just a few examples of the different projects that I have worked on or managed include our Special Report on Shands Jacksonville, Lot J Legislation, stadium development deal, calculations related to the proposed performance unit plan (PUPs) at JEA, quarterly summaries, and the review of several different pension reform bills.

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PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Association of Local Government Auditors

Served on the Peer Review Committee since May 2022

Became Region II Coordinator October 2025

Participated as a Team Member or Lead on 9 different Peer Reviews

Institute of Internal Auditors

Florida Government Finance Officers Association

CREDENTIALS/EDUCATION

Certified Public Accountant - November 2010

Certified Internal Auditor – January 2016

Certified Government Auditing Professional – January 2017

University of North Florida, Jacksonville, FL

Master of Business Administration, August 2011

Flagler College, St. Augustine, FL

Bachelor of Arts – Major Accounting, Minor Business and Economics, December 2007