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# Stockton University Ranked in Top 15

Stockton University is in the <u>Top 15 public Regional Universities of the North</u>, ranked by U.S. News & World Report in its 2017 edition of "America's Best Colleges," released on Sept. 13.

Stockton was ranked at #14 in northern public regional universities and ranked overall at #51 out of 137 public and private northern universities by U.S. News & World Report, one of the nation's top sources of information on higher education.

Stockton is ranked with universities offering both undergraduate and master's programs in the northern region of the United States. The University offers a total of 14 master's and doctoral programs.

The annual report considers factors such as graduation and retention rates,

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## **Stockton University Receives Best Practices in Leadership Award**

Stockton University and President Harvey Kesselman were honored with a <u>Best Practices in Leadership award</u> from the Commerce and Industry Association of New Jersey (CIANJ) and its partner, COMMERCE Magazine this week.

As part of the salute to leadership, COMMERCE Magazine Editor Miles Epstein asked business executives to share thoughts on the subject for the magazine's annual Best Practices Guide. This year's edition featured advice from 100 chief executive offcers, managing partners and business owners.

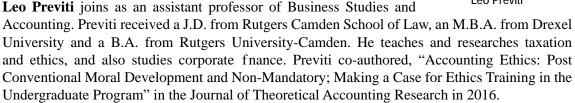
Stockton was recognized for its practices of seeking input from stakeholders, collaboration and open communications. Susan Davenport, executive vice president and chief of staff, accepted the award on Kesselman's behalf.

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#### **School of Business Welcomes New Faculty Members**

**W. Clifton Baldwin** joins as a visiting assistant professor of Computer Science and Information Systems. Baldwin teaches database systems, systems engineering, web development and e-commerce. He received a Ph.D. from Stevens Institute of Technology, an M.S. from Johns Hopkins University and a B.A. from the University of Rutgers. Baldwin co-authored, "Revisiting 'The meaning of Of' As a Theory for Collaborative System of Systems" in 2015.

Carla Cabarle joins as an assistant professor of Business Studies and Accounting. She received an M.B.A from Colorado State University and a B.S. from Georgian Court University. Cabarle teaches taxation, fnancial management and accounting. Her research focus includes taxation, controllership and managerial accounting. Cabarle published "Preparing Students for a Career in Controllership," in Academy of Business Research Conference Proceedings in 2014.



**Michael Seda** joins as an assistant professor of Business Studies and Accounting. Seda teaches fnancial accounting, managerial accounting, intermediate accounting and taxation. Seda received a D.B.A. from Argosy University in Sarasota, Fla. and a Ph.D. from New York University. He also earned an M.B.A. and a B.S. from St. Johns University in Jamaica, N.Y. He published "A Review



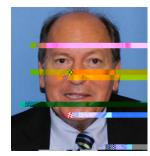




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of Forensic Accounting and Financial Fraud Investigations (FAI/FFI): Educational Models and Related Professional Certifications" in the American Accounting Association Conference Proceedings in 2015. Seda also wrote "Practitioners and Educators Views on Forensic Accounting Education," which will be published in the Accounting Research Journal.

**Jinghua** (Carolyn) Wang joins as an assistant professor of Business Studies and Finance. Wang received a Ph.D. from the Illinois Institute of Technology, an M.A. from the London Metropolitan University and a B.S. from the University of Heilongjiang in Harbin, China. She teaches and researchs corporate, investment and international finance. Wang wrote "Why do we go to the International Bond Markets?" which is under review with the World Finance and Banking Symposium Journal and the Midwest Finance Conference Journal.

#### **Save the Dates**

Tuesday, Sept. 20: Stockton Golf Classic Wednesday, Sept. 21: Constitution Day 2016 Friday, Sept. 23: Presidential Inauguration

### **Reminder: Register for Parking Permit**

All vehicles must have a parking permit to park on the main Galloway campus. Register for your free Stockton Parking Permit now at stockton.edu/parking.

#### **Send Us Your News!**

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