



M.J. Kabaci, Ph.D.

Candidate for President-Elect – three-year position

Current Position

Instructor, Family Financial Planning in the Department of Health and Human Development, Montana State University

Statement of Goals for Office

I joined ACCI as a graduate student several years and fondly recall being welcomed by the members to share my research. Since then, I have had the opportunity to work with professionals and students who are united in their work regarding family and consumer economics. I look forward to working with our members and partners to identify opportunities for active participation in our organization and increased offerings of professional development. I will continue to work with our board of directors and executive director to grow and promote ACCI through membership, scholarship, and advancement of our vision and goals. I am proud to be a member of the American Council on Consumer Interests and I'm honored to serve as president-elect.

Academic Background

- Ph.D. Consumer Economics, University of Georgia, 2012
- Teacher Certification, University of Georgia, 2007
- M.A. Mass Communications, Texas Tech University, 1988
- B.A. Advertising and Public Relations, Texas Tech University, 1981

ACCI Activities

- Board of Directors
- 2014 Conference Chair (Milwaukee)
- Proceedings Editor for 2012 - 2013

Other Professional Activities and Honors

- Georgia Consortium for Personal Financial Literacy
- 2016 Georgia Money Smart Week – College and University Committee

Kappa Alpha Theta – UGA Chapter – House Corporation Board Secretary

Memberships

ACCI; AFCPE