

Steve Walton

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Biography

Professor Walton joined Goizueta Business School in the Fall of 1996. After receiving his PhD in 1993 from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Steve served on the faculties of North Carolina A&T State University and Baylor University. Steve's efforts in the classroom have been highlighted by 11 teaching awards, including The Emory Williams Distinguished Teaching Award, a university-wide honor, and the Adler Prize for Excellence in Teaching. Before coming to Emory, Steve also worked for IBM. Steve's current interests include strategic execution, operational decision making and the impact of leadership on operations outcomes. Steve has published in Journal of Operations Management, European Journal of Operational Research, International Journal of Operations and Production Management, International Journal of Purchasing and Materials Management and the Proceedings of the Decision Sciences Institute. Professor Walton also serves as a reviewer for Decision Sciences, Journal of Operations Management, the Journal of Supply Chain Management and Organization Science. Steve's consulting clients include Sony, First Data, UPS, The Home Depot, Delta Air Lines, Usher's New Look Foundation, SunTrust, Panasonic, McKesson Information Solutions, The Arthur M. Blank Family Office, Siemens Medical Systems, Synovus and others.

Industry Expertise

Business Services, Research, Corporate Training

Areas of Expertise

Strategic Execution, Strategic Decision Making, Operational Excellence, Environmental Management, Supply Chain Management, Applications of Qualitative Research Methods

Education

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
PhD Operations Management

Clemson University
MA Industrial Management

Clemson University
BS Industrial Management

Accomplishments

The Emory Williams Distinguished Teaching Award
Awarded by Emory University

Adler Prize for Excellence in Teaching
Awarded by the Goizueta Business School, Emory University

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