



Research Mission:

Kelce College of Business faculty members conduct and publish high-quality research that contributes primarily to the practice and teaching of their respective disciplines and furthers the mission of Pittsburg State University.

Guiding Values:

1. We conduct research and scholarly activities in support of our teaching and public service responsibilities. The creation and dissemination of new knowledge defines us as a public university.
2. We honor and adhere to the concept of academic freedom and do not place limits or restrictions on the scope of scientific inquiry.
3. We conduct scholarship with respect for individuals, groups, and organizations by following the accepted practices of protecting the rights and privacy of human subjects.
4. We pursue financial integrity and maintain ethical standards in the conduct of our sponsored research and scholarship activities.
5. We seek to share and disseminate our scholarship through academically and professionally peer reviewed avenues including journals, books, and conferences.
6. We value the integrity and accountability of rigorous and thorough peer review and avoid disseminating our research through predatory journals and exploitative publishers.
7. We measure the quality of our scholarship through its impact on the practice and instruction of our disciplines as well as its influence on other scholars.

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