# PhD PROGRAM IN RISK MANAGEMENT AND INSURANCE

Train for a research and teaching career through substantive and methodological coursework offered by thought leaders in the field. You will gain research experience by participating as coauthors on top-tier journal articles with one of the most productive faculties in the country.

#### Our program is an ideal destination for three reasons:

- Research Productivity. The Korean University Business School Worldwide Business Research Rankings placed the RMI program No. 1 in the U.S. in publishing in the *Journal of Risk and Insurance* from 2018 through 2020. In its most recent rankings (2019–2023), the University of Nebraska—Lincoln Global Research Rankings of Actuarial Science and Risk Management & Insurance has the RMI program No. 2 in the world in publishing in the *Journal of Risk and Insurance*.
- **Rankings.** Since the 1990s, we have consistently been ranked as one of the top three insurance programs in the country by *U.S. News & World Report*.
- **Student Focus.** Our PhD students work extensively with faculty and have success in publishing papers and presenting research across the world.

#### PROGRAM GRADUATES

Our students hold (or have held) appointments at research universities including:

- Auburn University
- Florida State University
- Pennsylvania State University
- Temple University
- University of Georgia
- University of Mississippi

#### FINANCIAL SUPPORT

All students receive a full tuition waiver and a stipend of at least \$25,000 a year.

#### TEST SCORE BENCHMARKS

Though we holistically consider all applications, our ideal candidate is in the 90th percentile (quantitative) and 80th percentile (verbal). We accept the GMAT and GRE.

#### LIVING IN ATHENS. GEORGIA

Athens, Georgia, was named one of America's prettiest towns by *Forbes*, one of the most underrated cities in America by *Conde Nast*, and one of America's best college towns by *GQ*. It's nicknamed "The Classic City" because of its architecture and its vibrant music, art, and food scenes. Athens is located just 60 miles northeast of Atlanta. It sits near the foot of Georgia's mountains and is only a few hours from the Atlantic coast.

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## TERRY COLLEGE OF BUSINESS GRADUATE FACULTY IN RISK MANAGEMENT AND INSURANCE:



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PhD: Georgia

Research Interests: Market Discipline, Earnings Management, Insurance Economics and Regulation, Mortality-Contingent Products and Issues

Former president of the American Risk and Insurance Association



#### **David Eckles**

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Research Interests: Insurer Accounting, Catastrophe, Enterprise Risk Management, Insurance Economics

Graduate coordinator of Risk and Insurance PhD program, editorial board of *Journal of Risk* and *Insurance*, former president of the Risk Theory Society



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Former president of the American Risk and Insurance Association and the Risk Theory Society



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