

# Saleema Mcquilliams

## External Auditor

Detail-oriented External Auditor with 2 years of experience in conducting comprehensive financial audits and reviewing internal control systems. Adept at identifying discrepancies and providing actionable insights to improve operational efficiency and ensure compliance with regulatory standards. Strong analytical and communication skills, with a proven track record of delivering high-quality reports and fostering positive relationships with clients.

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### Education

**Bachelor of Science in Accounting and Finance at Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI**

Sep 2016 - May 2021

Relevant Coursework: Financial Accounting, Managerial Accounting, Corporate Finance, Financial Management, Taxation, Auditing, Financial Analysis, Cost Accounting, Financial Markets and Institutions, and Investment Analysis.

### Links

[linkedin.com/in/saleemamcquilliams](https://www.linkedin.com/in/saleemamcquilliams)

### Skills

Data analysis

Risk assessment

Compliance testing

Financial reporting

Fraud detection

Internal controls evaluation

Audit software (e.g., ACL, IDEA)

## Employment History

### External Audit Manager at Deloitte & Touche LLP, MI

Mar 2023 - Present

- Led a team of 12 auditors in the successful completion of 30+ external audits for Fortune 500 clients, resulting in a 100% on-time completion rate and zero audit adjustments.
- Streamlined the audit process by implementing advanced data analytics tools, reducing the average audit time by 20% and increasing overall team efficiency.
- Identified and resolved complex accounting issues for clients, leading to \$5 million in cost savings and improved financial reporting accuracy.
- Developed and delivered comprehensive audit training programs for new hires, resulting in a 25% reduction in onboarding time and increased employee retention rates.

### External Auditor at PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, MI

Sep 2021 - Jan 2023

- Led a team of 7 auditors in the successful completion of the annual audit for a major automotive client with annual revenues exceeding \$3 billion, resulting in an unqualified audit opinion and timely submission of financial statements.
- Identified and addressed potential material misstatements in a large manufacturing company's financial statements, leading to adjustments totaling over \$10 million, which improved the accuracy of the client's reported financial position.
- Streamlined audit processes for a key retail client by implementing new data analytics techniques, reducing the time spent on testing by 20% and increasing overall efficiency of the audit engagement.
- Provided valuable insights and recommendations on internal control improvements for a healthcare client, resulting in the implementation of more robust risk management practices and a reduction in identified control deficiencies by 30%.

## Certificates

### Certified Internal Auditor (CIA)

Mar 2022

### Certified Information Systems Auditor (CISA)

May 2020