

Lauren Welch

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Bio/Profile:

Lauren is a licensed CPA and CVA who focuses her professional time on taxation services, bookkeeping, estate and gift taxes, and business valuations. Lauren graduated from Midwestern State University in December 2005. She received a Bachelor of Business Administration, with a focus in Accounting. While at Midwestern State University, Lauren was on the Dean's list. She went to work full-time for Freemon, Shapard & Story, the longest continually licensed CPA firm in the state of Texas, in February 2006. In September 2008, Lauren passed the CPA exam and she passed the CVA exam in August 2010.

Lauren has provided a wide-variety of tax services for clients while at Freemon, Shapard & Story. Her tax specialties include individual and business taxation, oil and gas taxation, estate and gift taxes, bookkeeping, franchise taxes, and she has been involved in estate planning. In the early part of her career she was also involved in several audits. She has performed several valuation engagements, both calculation reports and conclusion of value reports. Some of the companies she has valued include investment companies, real estate holding companies, fabricated metal companies, propane dealers, and airplane parts manufacturers. Lauren is a member of the Texas State Board of Public Accountancy, the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, the Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants, and the National Association of Certified Valuation Analysts.

Lauren is a life-long resident of Wichita Falls, TX. She has been married since 1998 and has two boys. She enjoys spending time with her family, playing sports, running, and attending church. She is a member of Faith Baptist Church and is involved at her kids schools.

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