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INDUSTRIES

Not-For-Profit

SERVICES

Audit Services

MEMBERSHIPS AND AFFILIATIONS

- American Institute of Certified Public Accountants
- Forefront
- Illinois CPA Society

CERTIFICATIONS AND LICENSES

- Certified Public Accountant

EDUCATION

- B.S., Accountancy, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- M.S.A., Taxation, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Sarah Widlock started her career with ORBA in 2005. Sarah manages audits and reviews and performs compilations and quarterly accounting engagements for privately-held companies and not-for-profit organizations. In conjunction with the accounting and audit procedures, she also prepares various tax returns for these types of organizations. Sarah has experience analyzing financial statements, conducting tax research and planning for corporations and individuals, and providing training and support to closely-held businesses.

PROACTIVE

Sarah looks to build and maintain relationships with her clients. She works hard to understand what concerns they may have on an ongoing basis. She talks to her clients regularly, encouraging them to ask questions about their current accounting policies and operating procedures and makes recommendations on how to improve current practices. She believes regular communication and consistent accounting support are essential to her clients' success.

OUTSIDE OF THE OFFICE

Sarah spends the majority of her free time with her husband and children. She enjoys watching and cheering on the Chicago Bears and Blackhawks with her husband and attending story time, gymnastics and music classes with her children. Whenever her family can take some time away, they like to go camping and vacationing with friends.

BLOGS

- *Tainted Donor, Tainted Money? How To Handle Controversial Contributions*
- *Capacity Building: Focus on Your Strengths, not Your Weaknesses*
- *Accounting for Grants*
- *Liquidity and Availability of Resources Disclosures Under the New ASU 2016-14: Presentation of Financial Statements of Not-for-Profit Entities*
- *Net Asset Reporting Under the New ASU 2016-14: Presentation of Financial Statements for Not-for-Profit Entities*

NEWSLETTERS

- *Not-For-Profit Group Newsletter – Spring 2020*
- *Not-For-Profit Group Newsletter – Winter 2019*
- *Not-For-Profit Group Newsletter – Spring 2016*

SEMINARS & EVENTS

- *Making Sense of FASB's New Accounting Standard for Not-For-Profit Organizations*, Chicago, IL, May 24, 2017
- *Revenue Recognition Roundtable, ORBA*, Chicago, IL, February 10, 2016