



# **MBT Consulting, Inc.**

**Certified Public Accountants**

**Forensic Accounting • Litigation Support**

**Compliance Monitoring • Client Advisory Services**

**WILLIAM B. PACE, CPA**

## **SUMMARY**

Mr. Pace has over 23 years of experience in accounting and auditing. His experience includes job cost accounting, corporate financial statement audit and tax return preparation and forensic auditing. His transportation related experience includes operational and contract audits of toll operations, construction engineering and inspection programs, project change order processes, roadway design, defective material manufacturing, and engineering consulting services. Since 2000, he has performed over 35 construction claim forensic audits of general contractors, subcontractors, and material suppliers. He has prepared and/or analyzed damages for lost profits, acceleration, contract termination, and the impacts of delay, extra work and inefficiencies. He has testified as an accounting expert on construction claim issues at settlement meetings, mediations, dispute review board hearings and in trial.

## **PROFESSIONAL HISTORY**

### **Consultant/Shareholder**

MBT Consulting, Inc.  
Certified Public Accountants  
Tallahassee, Florida  
2006 - Present

### **State of Florida, Office of the Auditor General**

Tallahassee, Florida  
1988-1990

### **Managing Consultant**

Quantum Consulting Group LLP  
Certified Public Accountants  
Tallahassee, Florida  
2000-2005

### **Coulter Electronics, Inc.**

Hialeah, Florida  
1986-1988

### **Preister and Company, CPAs**

Tallahassee, Florida  
1985-1986

### **Performance and Contract Audit**

Florida Department of Transportation  
Office of Inspector General  
Tallahassee, Florida  
1990-2000

## **EDUCATION**

Bachelor of Science – Accounting  
**Florida State University – 1986**

**CERTIFICATIONS**

Certified Public Accountant – 1987  
State of Florida

**PUBLICATIONS**

“What Attorneys Should Know About Florida’s DRB Process”, *Lawyer Magazine*, March 2006, published by the Hillsborough County Bar Association (Co-author)

**SEMINARS PRESENTED**

“The Ins and Outs of Construction Claims”, US DOT, Office of Inspector General, 2001 (Co-presenter)

“Audit Practices: Detecting Fraud in Claims and Change Orders”, National Fraud Awareness Conference, 2008 (Co-presenter)

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA)

Florida Institute of Certified Public Accountants (FICPA)

**CONTINUING EDUCATION  
(Last three years)**

Forensic Accounting: Fraudulent Reporting and Concealed Assets – AICPA – 2005

Construction Contractors Advanced Issues – AICPA – 2005

Advanced Forensic Techniques for Accountants – AICPA – 2006

Tricks, Traps and Ploys Used in Construction Scheduling – Lorman – 2006

Claims Avoidance – Florida Department of Transportation - 2006

Understanding Business Valuation – AICPA – 2006

Florida Department of Transportation / Florida Transportation Builders Association, Construction Conference - 2006-2008

Florida Department of Transportation Design Conference – 2007

Dispute Resolution Board Administration & Practices Workshop – The Dispute Resolution Board Foundation - 2007

The Auditor’s New Role in Forensic Accounting – FICPA - 2007

The Legal, Ethical, Practical Considerations for an Accountant When They Discover Fraud – FIPCA - 2007

Construction Industry Conference - FICPA – 2006, 2007