

HISTORY of ACCOUNTING

2000

thru
Dialing...

today


The 2000s saw the growth of the internet, which allowed faster communication among people around the world. Accounting scandals rocked the early 2000s, most notably, the Enron scandal. With their trustworthiness being greatly challenged, the accounting profession took significant action.

2001


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[Enron, the once global energy trading giant, files for protection under Chapter 11 bankruptcy proceedings](#)



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When Things Went Crazy!


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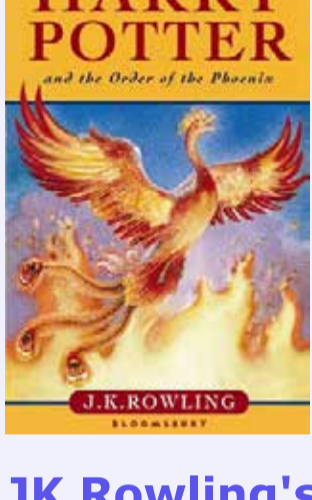


[The Microsoft Xbox 360 revolutionizes online gaming with the advent of Xbox Live in 2002.](#)

In The News - 2003



[Sharon L. Allen becomes chairman of Deloitte and the first woman to rise to that level at a large accounting firm](#)



[JK Rowling's fifth Harry Potter book "Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix" is released](#)

2004	Email	Finance	Global	Shop	Social	Web
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The AICPA launches 360 Degrees of Financial Literacy



Helping Americans understand their personal finances through every stage of life.



Facebook is launched in a Harvard dorm room



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In Other News



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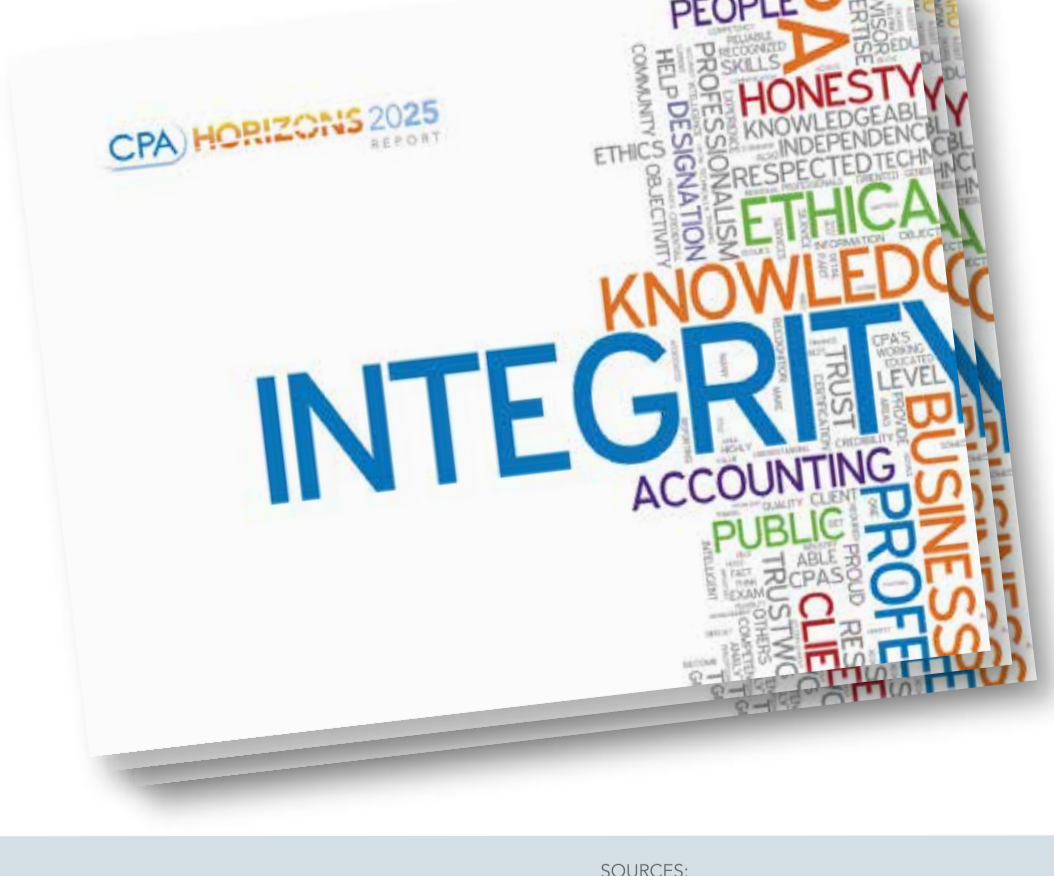
Apple launches the iPhone, which completely revolutionizes the smart phone industry

The official website of 2011

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The Horizons 2025 Report outlines opportunities and challenges for the accounting profession



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