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Former Positions: Director of KM/Greenberg & Traurig, Miami 2002-2003; Director of Research/Greenberg & Traurig, Miami 1994-2002; Research and Libraries Consultant, Tampa, 1993-1994; Director of Information Services/Holland & Knight, Tampa, 1990-1993; Director of Information Services/Liddell Sapp, Houston, 1998-1990; Assistant Law Librarian/Bracewell & Patterson, Houston, 1983-1988; Associate Law Librarian/Vinson & Elkins, Houston, 1979-1983; Law Librarian/Kemp Smith, El Paso, 1978-1979.

Education: Florida International University Doctoral Program, Adult Education, University of Texas at Austin M.L.S., University of Texas at Austin, B.A. in English, Universidad Tecnológico de Monterrey/Mexico.

Activities: Houston Area Law Librarians Chapter President 1986-87; Program Chair AALL International SIS 1986-87; Editor of Questions and Answers, LAW LIBRARY JOURNAL, 1988090; Westlaw Advisory Board for Private Law Libraries 1991-1993; Member of the Users Group for the Copyright Clearance Center, 1993-95; Westlaw Faculty for Information Innovators Institution, 1996-2000; West Editorial Board for Practice Innovations 1999 to present; Adjunct Professor Graduate School of Library Science, University of Texas, 2000-02; AALL Nomination Committee 2002-04; Westlaw Advisory Board for Private law Firms, 2001-06; Local Arrangements AALL San Antonio, 2005; AMPC AALL St. Louis, 2006

Publications: "An Annotated Bibliography of Texas Legal Materials," LAW LIBRARY JOURNAL, 1981; Various articles in HALL NEWSLETTER, 1984-91; Various articles in LEGAL INFORMATION ALERT, 1992-07; "Do You Photocopy? Fair Use Doctrine," ABA LAW PRACTICE MANAGEMENT, 1993; "Information Brokering in the Law Firm," LAW OFFICE ECONOMICS & MANAGEMENT, 1993; "Resources Can Yield Revenues," THE NATIONAL LAW JOURNAL, 1993; Various articles in TREND IN LAW LIBRARY MANAGEMENT AND TECHNOLOGY, 1994; Various articles in PRACTICE INNOVATIONS, 1999-07.

Statement: PLL members are standing in a place in history where they can not just promote, but initiate dramatic changes in the world of legal information. In these tight budgetary times, it is our charge to initiate open communication with vendors addressing, pricing, bundling, contracts, content and more. It is time to take an aggressive posture in what products are created, how they are used, how they are priced, how they are maintained, and how they are marketed to our users. We have a voice.