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EDUCATION

Masters in Library and Information Studies. 1990
University of California, Berkeley
BA Sociology. 1981
Lewis and Clark College, Portland, Oregon
Graduate credits toward a Masters in Management. 1993 - 1995
Atkinson Graduate School of Management, Willamette University, Salem,
Oregon

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

JT Research LLC, Portland, Oregon
President 5/97 – present.

Emporia State University - Graduate School of Library and Information Studies
Portland, Oregon campus
Adjunct Professor - 09/02 – present

Willamette Management Associates, Portland, Oregon
Director, Research and Library Services 5/95-5/97

Willamette University, Salem, Oregon
Management/Business Economics Librarian (1/91-5/95)

Rosen, Wachtell & Gilbert, Attorneys at Law, San Francisco, California
Assistant Law Librarian (5/88 - 9/90)

LANGUAGES

Fluent in Spanish; conversant in French; learning Arabic.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Board Member, REACH Community Development, Portland, OR. 2005-present

<i>Successful Entrepreneur</i>	<p>Jan identified a niche market of business valuers, and was the first company to provide such a service to this group. Services include industry overviews, company and merger and acquisitions searches, statistics and empirical studies. Revenues have increased steadily since 1997.</p> <p>She has also repackaged dozens of her industry overviews and sells them through a third party distributor on the Internet.</p>
<i>Valuable Instructor</i>	<p>Every two years Jan teaches a graduate course, "Advanced Business Research and Repackaging," to library science students. The class is popular with students because of the curriculum Jan designed which places students with business professionals in the field to complete "real life" research projects.</p>
<i>Quick Learner</i>	<p>Jan quickly picked up finance and accounting principals in order to perform research for 25 analysts in offices across the country. Jan also wrote successful proposals for an environmental engineering firm; quickly distilling technical concepts into a business case.</p>
<i>Effective Public Speaker</i>	<p>A frequent speaker at the annual meetings of information professionals, public accountants and business appraisers, Jan has addressed groups of over 800 people. She was the only librarian selected by faculty to travel and speak to a private university in Aomori, Japan, and also received a grant to teach Internet research skills to journalists in Argentina.</p>
<i>Active Author</i>	<p>For the library/information world, Jan has written three books and dozens of journal articles. She submits articles regularly to <i>EContent</i> and <i>Searcher</i> magazines. She has received two awards for her contributions to the <i>AIPP Connections</i> publication.</p>