

McDannold, Bruce

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Bruce,

I think I mentioned that Steve and I have a third, and currently, silent partner. Ms. Kate McGregor currently works for Mr. David Drury in the Florida Bureau of Voting Systems Certification. She is working on her exit strategy but has not disclosed her plans to either David or the management above him. She plans to take the conservative approach of remaining with Florida until we ink a contract that will give her a good block of billable hours and taking a graceful exit to the private sector.

Thus far in the consulting practice, in addition to investment, her involvement has included helping me decide upon and create the corporate structure, developing a marketing plan, and assembling proposals. I anticipate that she will probably come on board full time, sometime in February. We are planning for her to allow us to expand the practice in the areas of Best Practices, Security Procedures, Acceptance Testing, System Validation, and Disaster Recovery.

You had mentioned that you were losing a key employee that provides you with assistance in editing documents and reports. Kate is an excellent writer and editor. Originally, in the Florida office, I hired her as a writer and editor. She did an excellent job in that role and through it became familiar with all of our policies and issues. She later showed herself to be a very capable "special projects" person successfully completing very difficult and risky assignments. Her involvement in certifications included work in all three roles of a certification test team, director, driver, and recorder.

In case you have something that she can assist with or in case either Steve or I are unavailable when you hit a crunch, I have attached a copy of Kate's resume. It includes links to some of her writings. She can be reached on her personal cell phone at [REDACTED] or by e-mail mcgregor@paulcraft.net <<mailto:mcgregor@paulcraft.net>>.

Thanks

Paul

Kathleen A. (Kate) McGregor

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Experience

Voting System Analyst with the Florida Department of State, Division of Elections from December 2001 to present

Duties:

- Reviewing technical data packages of voting systems for compliance with the Florida Voting System Standards
- Conducting voting system certification testing
- Conducting system validation examinations of voting systems
- Consulting with counties in development of security procedures for their voting system
- Reviewing and approving county security procedures for compliance with the requirements of the Florida Election Code.
- Serving as Coordinator for Continuity of Operational Planning and Disaster Recovery for the Division of Elections

Recent Projects

- Project Manager, on the ground, assisting Miami-Dade County with the conduct of their municipal elections in the wake of Hurricane Wilma – November 2005
- Participant in the National Institute of Standards and Technology, “Threats to Voting Systems” Workshop October 2005.
<http://www.vote.nist.gov/threats>
- Analysis and report to the Florida Legislature on Overvotes and Undervotes during the 2004 election cycle – January 2005
http://election.dos.state.fl.us/reports/pdf/over_under_report_04.pdf
- Technical assistance, on the ground, assisting Charlotte, Desoto, and Hardee Counties conduct the September Primary Election in the wake of Hurricane Charley – August 2004
- Revision of Florida’s standards for Voting System Security Procedures to conform with the requirements of the Help America Vote Act.
<http://election.dos.state.fl.us/laws/adoptedrules/pdf/1s2015new.pdf>
- Panelist in the U.S. Election Assistance Commission workshop on Best Practices in Voting System Administration, Security and Provisional Voting – June 2004 <http://www.eac.gov/bp/acknowledgements.asp>
- Revision of Florida Voting Systems Standards - 2002 and 2005 editions.
<http://election.dos.state.fl.us/laws/adoptedrules/pdf/dsde101form.pdf>

Partner with Creative Computer Consultants in Tallahassee, Florida from March 1994 to December 2001

Duties – Consulting services for hospitality industry including:

- Operational and tax accounting.
- Financial planning services
- Staff recruitment
- Training
- Management advisory services

Legal Assistant with King and Spalding in Atlanta, Georgia from September 1986 to September 1989

Duties included:

- Incorporations of new businesses
- Preparation of Blue Sky filings for Securities Exchange Commission
- Legal Research
- Investigations in product liability cases
- Corporate mergers and acquisitions

Curator of Collections with the Georgia Department of Natural Resources from March 1984 to April 1986

Duties included:

- Managed state conservation laboratory
- Artifact conservation and registration
- Annual budget requests
- Design and fabrication of museum exhibits

Education

Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis, Missouri. BA Art History and Archaeology 1982