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## **EDUCATION**

M.S., Speech Communication, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale

B.A., Communication, Mississippi State University

## **EXPERIENCE**

Co-writer with Joanne King Herring, *Diplomacy & Diamonds: My Wars from the Ballroom to the Battlefield, The Real-Life Texas Socialite Behind Charlie Wilson's War* (to be published October 2011 by Hachette's Center Street)

Freelance Writer & Editor, print and web, marketer/public relations professional

*Southern Living*, Associate Livings Editor

*Progressive Farmer*, Associate Features Editor

University of Alabama at Birmingham, Office of University Relations, Senior Writer

Southern Institute, Birmingham, AL, Public Speaking Instructor

Ghostwriter, *Family Secrets*, publisher Woman's Missionary Union, Birmingham, AL

Mississippi State University, University Relations & College of Veterinary Medicine, Information Editor/Producer

*Daily Times Leader*, West Point, MS, Wire/News Editor

Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL, Teacher, Interpersonal Communication and Honors

## **HONORS**

National Magazine Award nomination, American Society of Magazine Editors

National Federation of Press Women, Communications Contest, first place and others

Alabama Media Professionals Communications Contest, multiple awards, multiple years

The American Values Community Action Network, multiple times

The Videographer Award of Distinction

American Agriculture Editors Association, Writer of the Year, multiple times, multiple years

Oscar in Agriculture, multiple times, multiple years

Excellence in Health Reporting, Baptist Montclair Medical Center, multiple awards, multiple years