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### **Professional Education**

- Gemological Institute of America - Gemologist 1989, #291-9109
- American Gem Society - affiliate #20633, yearly testing and renewal
- Palm Beach Atlantic College  
Bachelor of Science, Management of Human Resources - 1996
- Florida State University, undergraduate studies in psychology and communications 1976-1977
- College International de Cannes  
French Language Studies, 1977
- International Society of Appraisers, Courses #101, #102, #103.  
Ethics and Professional Practices, 1983  
Terminology, Identification, Authentication, and Research  
Methodology, 1983  
Federal Tax Functions, responsibilities, liabilities and report writing,  
1983
- Florida Real estate license, inactive status

### **WORK EXPERIENCES**

Twenty five years of retail jewelry sales and estate jewelry sales. Appraisals for insurance, fair market value and liquidation. Disposal of estates, including jewelry (modern and period pieces), silver, china, glass, paintings and prints, rugs, designer clothing and accessories, furs, and furniture (modern and period pieces).

Jewelry buyer and consultant for retail operations, including estate jewelry, loose and mounted stones in diamond and color, gold and silver jewelry, and raw materials.

Purchasing agent for giftware materials in silver, china, glass, and objects of art in modern and period craft.

- Expert witness
- Licensed Appraiser
- Appraisals in all areas of fine jewelry, watches, silver jewelry, period and designer jewelry, for estates, corporations, individuals, banks, trusts and insurance companies, both nationally and internationally.
- Volunteer and consultant for local and national charitable organizations, in estate organization, fair market value, and disposal.