# Wendy Bingham

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### Profile

- ♦ High energy, self-starter, problem solver, strategic thinker, organizer
- ♦ Able to handle multiple projects, give attention to detail, and meet demanding deadlines
- ♦ Excellent communication, interpersonal, project, and time management skills
- ♦ Enjoys working directly with customers, clients, and colleagues
- ♦ Embraces technology to provide efficient and effective workplace solutions
- ✤ Thinks quantitatively about business and marketing issues, translating statistics into practical business applications

#### Work History:

VP Marketing & Technology – Academic Innovations: September 2001 – Present

Academic Innovations, Santa Barbara, CA, publisher of textbooks for secondary schools (www.academicinnovations.com)

- Develop and implement marketing plans to maximize the company's sales effectiveness
- Certified trainer for workshops and conferences since 2004
- Coordinate and occasionally staff exhibit booths at state and national education conventions
- Responsible for the various marketing efforts of the company (e.g., direct mail, blast faxes, email campaigns, and telemarketing)
- Help project teams reach business goals by mentoring and managing sales staff and consultants
- Follow up with key clients by phone, mail, fax, and e-mail
- Plan, develop, and use various databases and decision support systems to extract data for execution of marketing campaigns and sales analysis by the President
- Manage and coordinate the consultants responsible for the company's three web sites
- Make presentations at state and local workshops regarding the technology components of the company's curriculum
- Manage the workflow for the production of marketing materials

Marketing Coordinator - McGraw-Hill - EPD: February 2001 - September 2001

- Assisting the VP of Marketing & Sales
- Coordinating the sales events and promotions
- Development of the database
- Self-employed GoldMine Consultant: December 1997 January 2001

Services include:

- Company-wide sales and marketing evaluation
- GoldMine software customization & implementations
- Customized staff training on GoldMine
- Workshop leader for various computer training companies Certification includes,
  - GoldMine 5.0, 4.0 & 3.2

Goldmine Certified Trainer

- Goldmine Technician
- GoldSync Certified

Technical Support Associate - Academic Innovations: May 1996 - December 1997

- Customer training and support
- Marketing project management
- Marketing and sales assistant
- Certified Career Choices workshop leader
  - *Career Choices* is a nationally acclaimed interdisciplinary curriculum used in over 3,800 secondary schools.

#### **Education:**

## University of Southern California: May 1996

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Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, Entrepreneur Program

- Awarded "Order of Troy" at graduation for outstanding scholarship, service and leadership
- Recognized by the Entrepreneurial Program as one of the "Top 10 Business Plans" 1996
- Sigma Kappa Sorority President; 1993-94
- Senior Resident Advisor, Flour Tower, 1995-96; Supervised 9 advisors

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## **Computer Skills:**

- ♦ GoldMine
- ♦ ACT
- ♦ QuickBooks
- ♦ Microsoft Word
- ♦ Microsoft Excel
- $\diamond$  Zetafax
- ♦ Microsoft PowerPoint
  - ♦ NetObjects Fusion

♦ Microsoft Publisher

## **Professional Certificates & Seminars Attended:**

- ♦ CA Licensed Real Estate Salesperson Licensed in March 2004,
  - ♦ Certified Buyer Representative Designation October 2004
- ♦ Level 1, 2 and 3 of Net Objects Fusion 5.0 Arcadia, CA, October 2000
- Train the Trainer Certification: Goldmine Sales & Marketing Pacific Palisades, CA, August 2000
- ♦ GoldSync Certification: Goldmine 4.0 Los Angeles, CA, June 1999
- ♦ Train the Trainer Certification: Goldmine for Windows 95 3.2 Northridge, CA, February 1998
- ♦ Goldmine System Administrator Course Los Angeles, CA, February 1998
- ♦ Advanced Goldmine Class Anaheim, CA, January 1998
- ♦ Grantsmanship Training Program Grantsmanship Center, Los Angeles, CA, May 1997

- ♦ Zetafax
- ♦ ACCPAC
- $\diamond$  Adobe Photoshop
- ♦ Microsoft Project ♦ Visio
- ♦ Homesite