

May Spotlight Member Sheryl Boardman

Our May Spotlight Member is not only the latest recipient of the Rod Cardinale, Jr. President's Award, she is currently our Vice President of Marketing, and one of our very own vendors who works for Compex. That would be none other than Sheryl Boardman!

Before joining Compex, one of the largest litigation and discovery support services in the nation, Sheryl was a workers compensation claims adjuster. Prior to that, she worked at four (4) different insurance companies. Unfortunately, they all ended up going out of business, but right before the last layoff, Sheryl was approached by a nurse case management company asking her if she would be interested in joining their company doing sales. Sheryl decided to make the decision to step out of her comfort zone and try something different. She was nervous about leaving a company with an extremely busy desk to give sales a chance. Even though she would have to find her own work and meet new people, she had nothing to lose since her job was ending. She started her journey at Concentra but left after four (4) years to join Compex. Fast forward 11 years and this girl has not looked back.

Sheryl was convinced she could use her knowledge of workers compensation in another field and when she joined Compex, she found that she was exposed to both workers compensation and liability firms. She found it interesting learning the differences between the two (2) systems. She used her desire to provide for her family and giving it her all to whatever she does to keep her motivated.

Sheryl's favorite part about her job is the flexibility it provides her which allowed her to attend her children's sports practices/events and whatever else was needed when they were little. Working at home allowed her the freedom to take care of her family and after they went to bed, she could go back to her computer and finish her work. Today, Sheryl is typically in the office one or two (2) days a week with the rest of her time spent meeting clients, educating new clients about the website and services provided visiting existing clients to make sure their services were still meeting their expectations.

Sheryl was invited, or rather convinced, to join our association by one of her most favorite clients...our very own President Elise Dresser, CCLS. Elise encouraged Sheryl to ask Compex to be one of the sponsors for an annual conference. She also encouraged Sheryl to attend the dinner meetings. Even though Sheryl joined only knowing Elise, she soon found that she was making some very good friends and was picking up additional business along the way. With that said, I encourage you to reach out to Sheryl the next time you are in the market for legal support services.

Santa Clara County Legal Professional Association is also very proud that Sheryl stepped out of her comfort zone, once again, by penning her first article for LSI's magazine called "The Legal Secretary". Please look for her article in the May magazine and when you get a chance, give her a big "thumbs up" on a job well done.

Congratulations, Sheryl, for being chosen as our May Spotlight Member!