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Whereas Gwinn served as a reference librarian at the Library of Congress; Gwinn previously worked at the Council on the Library and Information Resources (CLIR) and the Research Library Group (RLG); as the associate director and program coordinator in RLG, she founded the RLG Preservation Program;

Whereas Gwinn served as the assistant director for library collections management at the Smithsonian Institution Libraries and became the director of the Smithsonian Libraries from 1997-2020; at the Smithsonian, Gwinn led the Smithsonian Libraries to expand its outreach services and engagement with its rare book and digital collections; under Gwinn's leadership, the Smithsonian Libraries to become a leading partner in creating the Biodiversity Heritage Library, a global consortium of natural history and botanical libraries focused on digitizing and providing access to works from their collections; Gwinn served as chair of the Biodiversity Heritage Library Members Council from 2011-2017;