

Gloria Borders to Head PDI/Dreamworks

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Patti Burke transitions to consulting role for the company

January 10, 2006 -- DreamWorks Animation announced today that Gloria Borders has joined the company as Head of PDI/DreamWorks, the studio's Redwood City campus. Borders is taking over for Patti Burke, who is transitioning into a senior consultant role at the company. Borders will oversee all production and operations at PDI/DreamWorks.

"Gloria is the perfect person to take on the challenge of heading PDI/DreamWorks," said Ann Daly, chief operating officer of DreamWorks Animation. "She's an entertainment industry standout with more than 20 years of experience and I am confident that she will be a tremendous asset in the growth of our company."

Borders comes to DreamWorks Animation from Revolution Studios, where she served as Head of Post Production since 2000. Prior to that, she spent several years at Skywalker Sound, where she held the position of Vice President and General Manager. While at Skywalker, she won an Academy Award in sound effects editing for her work on "Terminator 2," and received an Academy Award nomination for her work as Supervising Sound Editor on "Forrest Gump."

"It's an incredible opportunity to join this company in any capacity, but it's particularly exciting to take on a position of this importance," Borders said. "DreamWorks Animation is committed to a strong production schedule without compromising the high quality of its product, and I'm looking forward to my role in executing that strategy."

Borders' hiring was prompted by Patti Burke's decision to step down as Head of PDI/DreamWorks. Burke will be assuming a more flexible consulting role that will allow her to spend more time with her family. In her new position, Burke will work on select, high-priority projects for the company.

"Patti has done a remarkable job as Head of PDI/DreamWorks," Ms. Daly said. "I know she will continue to be influential to the company as she shifts her attention to other key initiatives."

"I'm so grateful that I will be able to spend more time at home without having to cut my ties to this great studio," said Burke. "The fact that I'm able to make this kind of transition is a testament to this company's dedication to its people, and I'm so proud to be a part of that."

About DWA

DreamWorks Animation is principally devoted to developing and producing computer generated, or CG, animated feature films. With world-class creative talent, a strong and experienced management team and advanced CG filmmaking technology and techniques, DreamWorks Animation makes high quality CG animated films meant for a broad movie-going audience. The Company has theatrically released a total of nine animated feature films, including Antz, Shrek, Shrek 2, Shark Tale and Madagascar. DreamWorks Animation's newest release, Wallace & Gromit: The Curse of the Were-Rabbit, opened in theaters October 7, 2005.