

Dear Ana Maria,

I wanted to commend Gloria Schramm for the resourceful and compassionate ways in which she has supported me and others like me in finding reemployment. Gloria had an immediate understanding of the challenges I'm dealing with as a recently downsized older marketing professional. Her suggestions have been appropriate to me and very helpful. In particular, she has identified training programs, opened doors, and connected me to relevant job and career transition opportunities, ones that I wouldn't have found on my own.

Gloria works closely with agencies and institutions to identify resources that enable individuals to update their skills and increase their attractiveness to potential employers. Thanks to Gloria and Hempstead Works, I was able to participate in Stony Brook's Center for Executive Training program in Project Management. In addition to preparing me to obtain the professional Project Management credential, this valuable program provided worthwhile learning and guidance overall in making mid-life career transitions and in risk and opportunity assessment.

Gloria has given Hempstead Works a very human and compassionate face and made me realize what a valuable resource the Town of Hempstead provides. I'm not yet reemployed, but as a result of Gloria's efforts am much more confident in pursuing my search.

Sincerely,
Pam F.