

## SLWG Member Spotlight: *We're pleased to present...*

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**ERIN HIBBARD** joined SLWG in 2005 at the urging of a family member who shall remain nameless. She has assisted with book sales at some major SLWG events and manned a table at the annual SLWG book fair, hosted by Barnes & Noble. For the past year, ERIN has been the newsletter editor for *Here's News!*, St. Louis Writers Guild's electronic newsletter. Her job is to promote news about SLWG, the accomplishments of its members, and the upcoming events of the entire literary community to more than 1000 recipients--and to issue the newsletter 2-3 times a month! In her day job, ERIN works as a Public Relations Research Specialist for v-Fluence Interactive Public Relations, Inc., a public affairs and issues management firm that helps clients nationwide take advantage of the Internet and manage online risks. She is responsible for their Internet mapping and market research efforts. In addition to her volunteer services for SLWG, ERIN has also supported Habitat for Humanity and the Susan G Komen Foundation for Breast Cancer. She is currently working with Stray Rescue of St. Louis. She graduated from Webster University in 2006 with degree in Communications (Journalism emphasis). Her hobbies include enjoying music and reading, but lately she spends most of her free time planning her wedding for October 2008!