Susan M. Goldberg

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Education

Experience

Narrator

- Learning Ally, volunteer on casting roster, March 2023−present;
 → recorded "The Devil's Arithmetic", YA historical fiction.
- Rosters: Simon and Schuster, Deyan Audio, and Ahab Talent.
- Trained with Paul Liberti, Elise Arsenault, and Debra Sperling.
- Reader for op-eds and poetry for local NPR station.

Moderator

- Moderator of filmmaker Q & A sessions, Beloit International Film Festival.
- Emcee, Illinois Bar Foundation Fellows Awards Breakfast, Chicago
- Announcer for music concerts at Mendelssohn Performing Arts Center.
- Moderator of Continuing Education Program panel discussions, Illinois State Bar Association (ISBA).
- Presided as Chair over group meetings of ISBA Committees and Section Councils.

Performer

- New American Theatre, Rockford, IL, "A Christmas Carol" (Mrs. Cratchitt).
- Highland College Summer Theatre, "South Pacific" (Nellie Forbush).
- Pecatonica Playhouse Theatre, "Jake's Women" (Ethel), "Yes Virginia, There is a Santa Claus" (Evie O'Hanlan), "A Christmas Story" (Miss Shields).
- Rock Valley College Studio Theatre, "End of the World" (Audrey Wood).
- Winneshiek Playhouse, "The Sound of Music" (Elsa), "Love in E-Flat" (Amy).
- Germania Club Dinner Theatre, "Last of the Red Hot Lovers" (Elaine).
- Member of choral ensembles: Camerata Emanon, Rock Valley Master Chorale, Bradley University Chorale, and chorales in Chicago and Rennes, France.

Freelance writer

- Lexis/Nexis, 2007-present.
- → Independent research, development, and writing for "Lawyers.com" on-line consumer feature articles, analysis of new and revised case law and statutes in employment law issues in several states.
- Illinois State Bar Association, 2007-2022.
- → Authored summaries of all published court decisions in Illinois state and federal courts for daily case updates. Authored "From the Chair" columns for newsletters and article in Illinois Bar Journal.
- Freelance creative writer
- → Poetry, essays, short stories, flash fiction; published in Rockford Review and The Lawyer. Active in two creative writing groups and Rockford Writers Guild.

J.D. University of Illinois College of Law

B.S., M.B.A. Bradley University Business Management

Rotary Scholar

Home Studio

Sennheiser 416 mic Volt 1 interface Audacity

Skills

Extemporaneous speaking

Strategic development of delivery of message through many years of work as trial attorney

Assessing audience reaction

Adapting tone and delivery

Fluent in French

Accents

French, German, Irish, Eastern European, Southern American, Midwest Rural