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**Career Spa - Expanding to Texas**  
**Opens newest location in Houston**

**Atlanta, GA** - Career Spa, LLC, Atlanta-based outplacement services firm serving some of Atlanta's and the country's most recognized companies, today announced the opening of its Houston, Texas practice. The practice will provide career transition solutions to companies in Houston, TX, as well as clients nationwide. Susan Kent was strategic in launching Career Spa in Atlanta in 2009, and is now responsible for the Career Spa Houston, TX office.

Tom Darrow, Founder and Principal of Career Spa, said, "Susan will establish an in-market presence for our firm in Houston. She will be responsible for business development and project management working with clients and candidates in Texas, just as she did so successfully in Atlanta. Susan brings an extensive background in corporate human resources, career transition services and most importantly, talent acquisition expertise. Susan's high integrity, commitment to the highest ethics, and strong client service focus are a great match with our core values. "

Before helping to launch Career Spa in 2009, Susan gained thirty years experience in Human Resources within the energy industry at Southern Company, Georgia Power Company, and most recently at Mirant, a global competitive energy provider. She has led two recruiting functions in these corporate environments and has experienced the challenges of human resources during times of growth and times of downsizing. Susan was also a Principal Consultant in Organizational Effectiveness & Staffing at Southern Company, designing and implementing efficient and compliant transition processes during times of staff reduction. She has designed and delivered severance packages to employees during multiple downsizing programs. Susan received her Bachelor of Business Administration in Management from Georgia State University in Atlanta, Georgia.

**About Career Spa:**

Career Spa is an innovative professional services firm with a passion for serving others. We deliver comprehensive transition and executive coaching services that provide the tools, resources, support and accountability for our clients to be successful. Since launching in 2009, we have successfully advanced the careers of our clients by helping them Sharpen their skills, Polish their brands and Amaze their current or future employer. [www.careerspa.net](http://www.careerspa.net)

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