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Jane became the Manager of Community Partnerships at The Hamilton Spectator in October 2005, after being at the Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board for almost nine years in the role of Public Relations Officer. Prior to that role, she worked in various communication roles at Westinghouse Canada and taught at Sheridan College. In her current role at the Spectator, she connects the paper's organizational goals with the community's needs and plans programs and partnerships to further mutual goals, working with more than 100 local organizations each year.

A graduate of the Post-graduate Public Relations Certificate program at Humber College and holding a Bachelor of Arts in Sociology from the University of Guelph, Jane is the recipient of the several awards, and has twice won the Bill Cockman Distinguished Service Award from the Hamilton member society of the Canadian Public Relations Society. In 2014, she was one of five professionals inducted into the College of Fellows for the Canadian Public Relations Society, and named the Diamond Jubilee Mentor of the Year for CPRS.