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RHONDA POLLERO aka KELSEY ROBERTS

After selling her first romantic suspense, ***LEGAL TENDER***, in 1993, she has since penned more than 30 novels; won numerous awards and nominations; landed on bestseller lists including *USA Today* , Waldenbooks, Bookscan and the Ingram's' Top 50 List. She has received numerous awards and her work has been excerpted in *Cosmopolitan Magazine*. She writes for Harlequin, Ballantine, Kensington and Simon and Schuster.

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In June, 1995, writing as Kelsey Roberts, she developed the wildly popular **Rose Tattoo** series for Harlequin Intrigue ™. These novels "offer the best of her unique ability to seamlessly blend romance and mystery." *Romantic Times* goes on to say that "Roberts is a master of the romantic suspense genre." *Affair de Coeur* says that her "humor and dialogue sparkle."

In 2000, she developed a second series for Harlequin Intrigue™, **The Landry Brothers**. This 7 book series has received both critical acclaim and established her as one of Intrigue's top-selling authors. In addition to writing for Harlequin, 2005 saw the release of her first title from Ballantine, **KILLER CHRISTMAS**. In 2006, she completed her **Landry Brothers** series with **THE LAST LANDRY.** Her contribution to the **MIAMI CONFIDENTIAL** series for Intrigue™, **ABSOLUTE PROPOSAL**, was also released in 2006.

March, 2007 will saw the hardcover launch her humorous mystery series with the release of **KNOCK OFF**. Followed in 2008 by **KNOCK'EM DEAD**. The F.A.T. (Finley Anderson Tanner) Mysteries has already garnered praise from industry forces such as Janet Evanovich and Tess Gerritsen. **KNOCK OFF** earned a starred review from Kirkus as well as a recommendation from Booklist. The third book in the series, **FAT CHANCE**, won numerous awards and accolades and the next release will be **SLIGHTLY IRREGULAR** from Simon and Schuster in 2012, followed by **BARGAIN HUNTING** in October, 2012..

Pollero is a sought-after lecturer and workshop presenter as well as a much requested media guest. She has been featured in *COSMOPOLITIAN Magazine*, *The New York Times* and *The Washington Post*, among others and makes frequent appearances on both radio and television. She founded The Writers Workshop at Anne Arundel College in Maryland and was the lead instructor in the areas of craft and genre writing courses for three years.

She is considered an expert in why women read and write crime fiction as well as an excellent authority on plotting and structuring the novel.

Pollero is a member of The Author's Guild, Mystery Writers of America, Florida Mystery Writers, International Thriller Writers, Romance Writers of America, and Florida Romance Writers, Inc.

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