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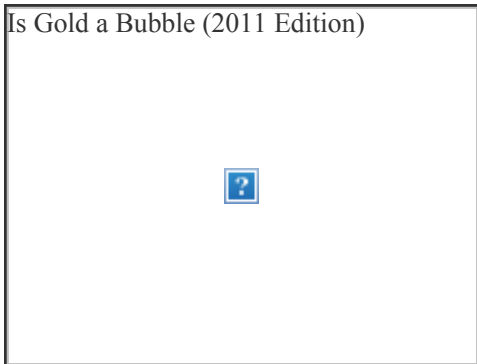
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More on the Gold Bubble...

Here is another interesting article entitled "**Is Gold a Bubble**" written by Bill Conerly:

Brief history of gold price: Gold had sold for \$35 an ounce, then shot up to \$675 during the last bubble, peaking in January 1980. (I'm using monthly averages throughout this article.) That's cool, buying at \$25 and selling at \$675. However, as gold was shooting up, plenty of new "investors" were buying, and there were plenty of people who got in on the boom at above \$600.

Is Gold a Bubble (2011 Edition)



Within two and a half years, gold had lost half its value. It finally hit its trough in 1999, 19 years after the peak, at \$257 an ounce. That would have been a good time to buy, but who would have thought? Gold had slumped for nearly two decades. It appeared to be a stupid time to buy.

For the complete story: [Is Gold](#)

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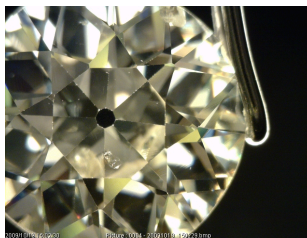
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Qualifications of a Good Diamond Appraiser

***Appraisal appointments
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are available at all
four locations***

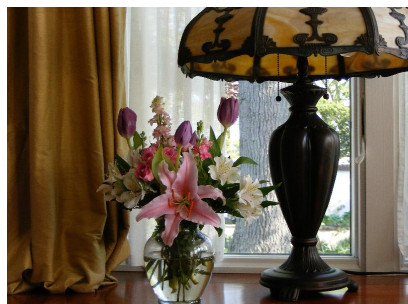
Diamonds and other precious stones are held in high value, both sentimentally and financially. When it comes to buying a diamond, people want a fair price and to know that the stone is of the promised value. The same goes for selling a diamond. Diamond appraisers rate and value these stones --- but they do not sell them. Successful diamond appraisers possess a number of skills and meet a variety of qualifications.



Read more: [Qualification of a Good Diamond Appraiser](#)

BNI Spotlight

Connecticut Jewelry Appraisers is a member of the River Delta chapter of Business Networking International. BNI, a business referral organization, provides an environment in which business owners can develop personal and professional relationships with dozens of other business people. This month's featured networker is Sharon Washburn of South Cove Interiors, LLC.



South Cove Interiors provides general interior decorating services, and specializes in Real Estate Home Staging, Interior Redesign and Senior Moves. Sharon has set herself apart from other Home Stagers in the area by receiving certification as a Senior Life Transition Professional. A move or change in surroundings is often stressful, but families know they

can rely on Sharon's compassion and competence to guide them through these difficult times. Since Dec. 2008, South Cove Interiors is Sharon's dream realized for a life that is centered on creativity and service.

In keeping with CT Jewelry Appraisers' commitment to "value your treasures", Sharon offers the following advice for homeowners.

Home Staging: Your home is your most valuable possession and the reasonable cost of staging adds significant value to homes at every price point. There are different levels of staging, from initial consult to hands on decluttering and arranging. Let South Cove Interiors stage your home and make the first impression last - prompting a quick and lucrative sale. Don't "try" to sell it, make the investment and get it sold!

Interior Redesign: Less IS More! The most common decorating 'mistake' homeowners make is to have too much stuff. Treat yourself to a one-day makeover with South Cove Interiors. By "shopping" in your home, Sharon will find new and creative ways to showcase your treasures. Inevitably, you'll say "I wish I'd done this years ago! "I never would have thought of that", "It looks so much better!" "I can see my things!"

Senior Moves: Time with loved ones is the greatest treasure! Don't give up your time to the stress and hard work involved with downsizing, moving in with your children or to long term care. Free your time by calling

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