

Career History

Joan Klatil Creamer



Stan Parker -
Chief of
Production
Cadillac

*Joan Klatil Creamer was born in Cleveland Ohio. Graduated from Brooklyn High School and attended Cleveland Institute of Art receiving a BFA in Industrial Design. After graduating from CIA in 1966 she was hired by **General Motors** as their first woman passenger-car designer working in the Exterior design/styling department at the Tech Center in Warren MI. Spent 3 1/2 years in GM's Production Cadillac studio and Advanced Buick and a short time in Oldsmobile Production Interior.*



*Recruited from General Motors by **General Electric** (still only woman designer in company) to provide design direction and guidance in Major Appliance, Consumer Electronic and Wiring Devices in RI. Hired away by **Gorham, a Division of Textron** for design, then Product Manager of their Gift and Collectible division. Hired away by **Burnes of Boston**, Photo frames, Design Director*



*Established **Joan Creamer Design** to provide a full service Product design and development resource to the consumer gift, crystal industry, collectible, tabletop, stationary arts market .
1987 to present*