

## 2007 DirectWomen Institute Honoree

# Lisa A. Hook

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*“Female attorneys are perfectly suited by training to be board members, but must be open to adventure. As Eleanor Roosevelt said, ‘If you are interested, you never have to look for new interests. They come to you. When you are genuinely interested in one thing, it will always lead to something else.’”*

— Lisa A. Hook

**L**isa A. Hook currently serves on the Boards of Directors of Reed Elsevier Group plc, Reed Elsevier NV and Reed Elsevier PLC, and is active as a director of The Ocean Foundation. In the past, she has served on the Board of Covad Communications Group, Inc., Time WarnerTelecomInc., National Geographic Ventures and K-12, Inc., and on the Board of Trustees of the National Public Radio Foundation. Ms. Hook currently

serves as President and Chief Executive Officer of SunRocket, Inc., a provider of residential voice services. Until December 2004, she served as President of AOL Broadband, Premium and Developer Services. Previously, she was a partner at Brera Capital Partners LLC, a New York based leveraged buyout fund. Earlier in her career, Ms. Hook was Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer at Time Warner Telecom. She served as

a senior advisor to the chairman of the Federal Communications Commission during the Reagan Administration, and, prior to that, was general counsel of Viacom Cable. She started her career at Hogan Hartson LLP.

Ms. Hook holds a B.A. from Duke University and a J.D. from Dickinson School of Law.