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JOURNALISM PROFILE

Internationally published multiplatform journalist and blogger with extensive world news, science and travel writing and photography experience for print and digital media, including The New York Times, Time.com and Discover Magazine. Highly adept reporting and writing on assignment in Asia, Europe and Africa. Repeatedly hired on long-term contract to edit national magazines.

WRITING EXPERIENCE

MAJOR NEWSPAPERS & MAGAZINES

- Science:** Frequent contributor to New York Times' Science Times section (2006–present) and news contributor to Discover magazine (2006-present). Have covered reef fish trade, antiquities, ancient royal Hanoi, medical entomology, public health, human evolution, primate society, Hurricane Katrina and archaeology. Articles picked up by major dailies, including International Herald Tribune, Sydney Morning Herald and San Francisco Chronicle.
- Travel:** Have reported and written from such locales as Egypt, Vietnam, Thailand, Borneo, Poland and Turkey.

TRADE & SPECIALTY PUBLICATIONS

- Science:** Contribute international features, reviews and Q&As to bimonthly magazine Archeology (2003-present). Subjects include Native American scholars, the politics of Polish identity and 16th century alchemy.
- Publishing Industry:** Covered Freedom of Information Act, No Child Left Behind, censorship, privacy, content management, industry “movers and shakers” and breaking news as contract reporter for Library Journal and School Library Journal (2006-2008). Reported and wrote monthly features and profiles covering best-selling authors for publishing industry trade magazine RT Book Reviews (1998-1999).
- Travel & Art:** Write service pieces on international travel for Business Traveler magazine (2007-present). Wrote news feature on British Museum discovery of Hadrian statue origin for ARTnews.

WEB SITES

- News:** Contributed science feature to Time.com on Indonesian “Hobbit” human species (2009) and features on post-9/11 immigration crackdowns and teen homelessness/prostitution for Gotham Gazette.com (2001).
- Topical Features:** Wrote essays on advertising, televangelism, and media for The Morning News.org (2006) and New York Review of Magazines (2001).

EDITING EXPERIENCE

- Copy Editing:** Copy edited world, national, science and entertainment news for Time Magazine / Time.com. Hired on contract to copy edit for Cosmopolitan, Discover, In Touch Weekly and other magazines (2003–present). Wrote cover lines, headlines and photo captions for Archeology (2003-2006).
- Assignment and Story Editing:** Acted as staff features and reviews editor for Archaeology Magazine (2003-2006) and contract senior editor for bimonthly business/lifestyle magazine The Africa Bazaar (2009).
- Art:** Copy edited and fact checked on location at Miami's Art Basel for The Art Newspaper (2008).
- U.S. Politics:** Edited coverage of 2008 election, President Obama Inauguration and Person of the Year. Special projects include Time “bookazine” about Sen. Edward Kennedy and Time Style & Design.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Adjunct Instructor, Basic Reporting:** Hunter College, City University of New York (2010). Taught journalism essentials (research, interviewing, fact-checking and writing) to undergraduates in Department of Film and Media Studies.

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PHOTOGRAPHY EXPERIENCE

- Features:** Photographed international travel, culture, events and nature for magazines and news services.
- Commercial:** Conducted portrait photo shoots for nonprofit and for-profit corporations.

FULL-TIME POSITIONS & CONTRACT ASSIGNMENTS

Freelance writer	Based in New York; travel internationally	2001-present
Contributing Editor	Archaeology	2006-present
Senior Editor (on contract)	The Africa Bazaar	2009
Copy Editor (on contract)	Time Magazine	2008-2009
Online/Print Reporter	Library Journal.com	2007-2009
Reporter	School Library Journal	2006
Associate Editor / Reviews Editor	Archaeology	2003-2006
Writer / Editor	Romantic Times	1998-1999
Editorial Assistant	Scholastic Inc.	1995

EDUCATION & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Master of Science, Magazine Journalism
Columbia University, New York, NY, 2001

Bachelor of Arts, Creative Writing and Photography
Sarah Lawrence College, Bronxville, NY, 1998

Professional Development Courses: Master Class in Travel Essay Writing, Mediabistro, 2006; Seminar, Developing a Nonfiction Book Proposal, Columbia University Graduate School of Journalism, 2007

SKILLS

Computer/Software: Mac and PC; InDesign, InCopy, Quark, Adobe Creative Suite, Microsoft Office

Online: File Transfer Protocol (FTP) sites, various CMS, SlideShowPro Director, WordPress

Social Media: Facebook, Twitter, IM, Skype

Photography: Digital SLR camera, 35mm SLR camera, various image scanners; fully skilled developing and printing film in darkrooms

Style Guides: Associated Press, New York Times, Chicago Manual of Style, Time

Language: Knowledge of French; travel, transport and etiquette abilities in Mandarin, Turkish, Arabic, Polish and Spanish

AFFILIATIONS & AWARDS

Member, Society of Professional Journalists, 2006-present

Volunteer conversational partner, International Center, 2009-present

Recipient, Daniel Cohen Memorial Award for excellence in photojournalism, 2001

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