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Qualifications Summary

Professional proofreader & editor
Master of Arts degree

Internationally published writer
ESL teaching degree

Award-winning journalist 25+ years
Former Wall Street Editor

Editorial Services

Editor, Proofreader, Owner, Over the Shoulder Editorial, Bellingham, WA	2015-current
Book Manager, "The Anonymous Source," A.C. Fuller, Booktrope. 352 pages.	2015
Editor, "Destroying America: The Real Issues that Politicians Avoid," Chris Florio. 268 pages.	2008
Editor for Internal Communications, CH Energy Group, Inc., Poughkeepsie, NY	2002-2004
Editor, "Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu-The Master Text," Gene "Aranha" Simco; 328 pages.	2001

Independent Media

Host, "The Whatcom Wordsmith" podcast , KMRE 102.3FM, Bellingham, WA	2016
Founder & Editor, The Transparency Report & Webcast	2010-current
Washington State Correspondent, Reporters Without Borders, Washington, DC	2010-current
Editor in Chief, Whatcom Watch, Bellingham, WA	2011-2015

Mainstream Media Editing & Reporting

Business Reporter, Poughkeepsie Journal (Gannett), Poughkeepsie, NY	2001-2004
Financial Reporter, CNN, NYC	2000-2001
Senior Reporter, The Bond Buyer, NYC	1999-2000
Staff Writer & Editor, The Associated Press, Albany, NY	1995-1996
Radio Reporter, WPTR, WGY-AM, WRWD, Albany & Highland, NY	1990-1995

Teaching Writing

Writing Coach, Over the Shoulder Proofreading & Editing, Bellingham, WA	2015
Senior Instructor, Journalism, Western Washington University, Bellingham, WA	2006-2014

Education

Master of Arts, Communication, Plattsburgh State University, Plattsburgh, NY	2006
Bachelor of Science, Broadcast Journalism, Ithaca College, Ithaca, NY	1991

Writing & Journalism Awards

First Place SPJ, Arts Reporting & Criticism, Nondaily, Whatcom Watch, "Take A Look At Iceland"	2013
Third place SPJ, Northwest Excellence, Whatcom Watch "To Tweet or Not to Tweet,"	2011
First Place Washington State Press Association, Whatcom Watch, Winter Olympics coverage	2010

Languages

TEFL (Teaching English as a Foreign Language), Montpellier, France	2014
English: native; French: B2-intermediate	

Computer

MS Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook, Publisher, PageMaker, Photoshop, Weebly website creation, InDesign, Mac & PC proficient