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EDUCATION

Columbia University Central State University New York, NY Edmond, OK MS Journalism BA Journalism

1989 1986

PROFESSIONAL

Founder & Owner, Wildcat Productions, 2014 – Present, Singapore. Created international content production company to produce web sites, videos, podcasts, and various types of print publications for clients in Asia, Europe and the United States.

Senior Sub-Editor, Reuters News 2011 – 2014 Singapore. Team member on Asia Companies News Desk responsible for ensuring Reuters' corporate news file has global relevance. Global coordination of text, video, graphics and pictures working in major profit center for global news and financial data organization.

Senior Editor, CAI Business Indepth, 2009 – 2010, Hong Kong SAR China. Edit daily news stories for a start-up electronic financial news service focused on Greater China and serving clients worldwide. (Company closed by owners.)

Editor, Business Asia, *International Herald Tribune*, 2002 – 2008, Hong Kong SAR, China. Responsible for overall management and editing of daily newspaper section of international business and finance news covering Asia and appearing in a 250,000-plus circulation international newspaper owned by the *New York Times*.

Managing Editor, *IQ Magazine*, 2001–2002, Paris, France. International quarterly business and management review published by INSEAD graduate school of business and management. Duties included complete editorial and production management, reporting to dean of school as publisher.

Freelance Correspondent & Editor, Hong Kong SAR China. Publications/websites/broadcast outlets include: Globalpost.com, CNBC on behalf of BridgeNews; SCMP.com, BridgeNews, Asiaweek Magazine, AmCham Magazine, The Journal Record, Sporting Goods Intelligence Asia.

Staff Reporter & Columnist, *The Journal Record*, 1985–1997, Oklahoma City, OK. Responsible for coverage of federal, state and local courts, municipal government, commercial real estate, financial markets coverage of local companies, city, state and regional economic development efforts, professional sports development and special coverage of \$1 billion in public works projects.

Executive Producer, "April 19th, 1995-The Final Report." Official multimedia (CD-ROM) version of Oklahoma City Government's Report on the Bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building, 1995–1996. Conceived and produced by Driskill. Project involved leading team of private investors, city officials (elected office holders and professional staff), programmers, legal staff, all forms of media and media licensing. End users include FBI, CIA, FEMA, Dept. of Justice, State Dept., international law enforcement and rescue organizations.

Guest Host, *Open Mike Live* Radio Talk Show, 1996–1997, Oklahoma City, OK. KTOK Radio News/Talk 1000. On-air guest-host and producer of a nightly, three-hour talk show covering politics, press and current events.

Founding Editor, Vice President (International Operations) Indepth Data Inc., 1991–1993, Oklahoma City, OK. Indepth Data was an Internet-based financial news service covering the corporate fixed income market. Established joint venture for database development in Bangalore, India. Created, staffed and managed 50-person news service with bureaus in New York City and Washington, D.C. Company was sold to Dow Jones.

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Press Secretary, U.S. Representative Glenn English, 1986–1987, Washington D.C. Responsible for all areas of public relations and press activities for three-term U.S. congressman. Duties included press and communications activities for a House subcommittee on freedom of information and justice issues. Special areas of responsibility included government information, privacy, technology and justice.

ACADEMIC

Adjunct Faculty/Visiting Lecturer, Baptist University, Hong Kong, 2008-2009. Taught international news reporting and editing to multicultural class.

Adjunct Faculty/Visiting Lecturer, Hong Kong University, Hong Kong, 1999-2006. Taught advanced reporting and writing to multi-cultural class.

Adjunct Faculty/Lecturer, American University, Paris, France, 2003. Taught journalism practice and ethics to a multi-cultural class.

Adjunct Faculty/Lecturer, Oklahoma City University, Oklahoma City, OK. 1991. Taught entry-level classes in journalism practice and ethics.

CONSULTING

International Advisor, The Khmer Journalists Association, 1994, Phnom Penh, Cambodia. Seconded by the Asia Foundation as principal liaison between the government, the foundation and the Khmer Journalists Association.

International Communications Consultant, The International Water Resource Institute, 1989 – 1990, Colombo, Sri Lanka. Responsible for communications activities of a World Bank-funded NGO. Duties included writing and editing scientific papers and proceedings, books, monthly/quarterly magazines and newsletters reaching a global audience of scientists, policymakers and government officials involved in global water and food security issues.

FREELANCE

USA: American Banker/Bond Buyer; American City Business Journals; Associated Press; Daily Oklahoman; Dallas Times Herald; Journal Record; KTOK Radio; KFOR TV; National Law Journal; United Press International (UN Bureau). **Asia:** AmCham Magazine; Asiaweek Magazine; CNBC (BridgeNews); IIMI (World Bank); South China Morning Post.

Europe: European Business Forum; International Herald Tribune.

AWARDS

John J. McCloy International Fellowship awarded by the American Council on Germany and the Columbia University Graduate School of Journalism. 1989.

Associated Press/Carl Rogan Memorial First Place Award for Investigative Reporting series on illegal toxic waste disposal at U.S. federal facilities. 1988.

Associated Press/Carl Rogan Memorial Second Place Award for Business and Financial Writing on 1987 crash of U.S. stock market. 1988.

Outstanding Graduate in Journalism, Society of Professional Journalists and Central State University, Edmond, Oklahoma USA. 1986.

TRAVEL

Australia, Belgium, Cambodia, Canada, China, El Salvador, France, Germany, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Nepal, Netherlands, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Taiwan, Thailand, United Kingdom, United States.

SPECIAL SKILLS

Online content development (podcasts & video); Layout & Design (print and online); Photography; Teaching at the university/executive level; International relations-negotiations; Media relations & licensing.

MEMBERSHIPS

Foreign Correspondents Club, Hong Kong, President 2004-2005, First Vice President, 2003-2004, Governor 2006-2007; Association de la Presse Anglo-Americaine de Paris; Committee to Protect Journalists; Columbia University Alumni Association (Hong Kong and Paris). American Chamber of Commerce (Singapore) 2015.

LANGUAGES

English mother tongue; Intermediate French.

PERSONAL

U.S. citizen/passport holder. 53 years old. Married to French national. One child.