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CURRENT POSITIONS

Sub-editor, Inside Housing

Dates: September 2018-

Subbing pages in InDesign for magazines and supplements about the social housing industry. Main sub of bi-annual prestige magazine *The Developer*. Online subbing of articles for the magazine's web site in the Affino CMS. Some feature-writing

Editor, GeoConnexion International

Dates: December 2012-

Monthly editing of a magazine about geospatial technologies and information. Responsible for commissioning features from writers around the world, sourcing images, page-planning, writing copy, subbing, proofing, managing designers remotely and correcting layouts in PageTrak

Sub-editor, RCN Publishing

Dates: August 2007-

Remote monthly editing of papers for healthcare journals, including checking and formatting references, tables, statistics, and figures in Microsoft Office. Some in-house layout and subbing work in QuarkXPress, InDesign and Photoshop

Publisher, The Medium is Not Enough

Dates: June 2005-

Publisher of an award-winning media blog. Involves writing daily news and features using WordPress, search engine optimisation, and promotion using TweetDeck, Facebook and Instagram. Some PHP, HTML and CSS development

Sub-editor, Newtrade Publishing

Dates: October 2003-

In-house and remote laying out, subbing, PDF-ing and uploading pages of weekly, biweekly and monthly titles for the retail and wholesale trades using Creative Cloud. Chief sub-editor of *Better Wholesaling* between October 2011 and July 2018

PREVIOUS POSITIONS

Sub-editor, Chartered Institute of Environmental Health

Dates: November 2011-November 2018

Monthly in-house subbing of magazine *Environmental Health News* using InDesign. Proofing of the institute's annual financial reports and books *The Stuff of Life* and *Putting Wrong Things Right*

Production editor, Transport Times

Dates: April 2007-June 2017

In-house page-planning, laying out, subbing, PDF-ing, preflighting and uploading of a 40+ page monthly magazine, its supplements and event brochures. Image sourcing from libraries and external contributors. Initially involved Creative Suite 2 for Windows before later migration to Creative Cloud for Mac



Technical editor, Flame Tree Publishing

Dates: January-March 2015

Providing social media technical expertise for the book *Social Media Marketing Basics* to ensure it was accurate, current and covered best social practice. Wrote the foreword

Chief sub-editor, Company and Shareholder

Dates: September 2003-March 2004

Remote subbing and proofing of Word and PDF documents using an online production system for a monthly magazine about corporate social responsibility

Web editor, Infoconomy.com

Dates: October 2000-March 2003

Editing the online presence of IT and finance magazines *The Infoconomist* and *Information Age*. Some TcI/Tk, HTML and CSS development. Developed and coded an email newsletter to advertise new features of the site and magazines. Daily use of the ArsDigita CMS. Some French and German translation work for a daily summary of European papers. Later retained as freelance consultant to write for the magazines, edit newsletters and magazines, and add features to the CMS

Editor, MA

Dates: July 1996-November 1998

Budgeting, managing staff and freelances, commissioning writers, writing, subbing, page-planning and some QuarkXPress layout work for the UK's top geospatial information magazine. Won the runner-up award in the 1998 AGI Journalist of the Year competition. Managed the launch of the magazine's first web site. Rebranded and redesigned the magazine

OTHER POSITIONS

August-Oct 2009: Technology and gadget editor, *Crew* magazine

April-September 2006:

Blogger, TV Scoop

July 2000-Oct 2000:

Relaunch editor, Dreamwatch

January 1999-July 2000:

Technology editor, *Televisual*

July 1995-Feb 1997: Web site assistant/

Mac operator, Cambridge Newspapers

July 1996: QuarkXPress instructor,

Cambridge DataFlow

May 1995: PageMaker operator, UCLES

Feb 1995-Aug 1996:

Proofreader, Chadwyck-Healey **Jan 1995:** Editorial assistant,

Hobsons Publishing

July 1994-July 1995:

Editorial assistant, Quarterly Journal of Experimental Psychology

OTHER CLIENTS

AB Communications, Citywire, The Engineer, Incisive Media, The Inkyard, The Law Society Gazette, MoneyWeek, Redwood Publishing, Travel Weekly, Tesco Food

TRAINING

London College of Print

Subbing

Chapterhouse

Proofreading (certificate of competence) Copy-editing (certificate of competence)

PMA Training

Advanced subbing Commissioning Improving your publication Management for beginners