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## BILINGUAL MULTIMEDIA JOURNALIST AND CONSULTANT

Print, broadcast and online, in the newsroom and in the field, in French and in English  
Freelance consultant: publishing, editing, translation, training

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

SEPTEMBER 2010 – JUNE 2012 [BBC WORLD SERVICE](http://www.bbc.com) *Kinshasa*

### DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO CORRESPONDENT

- Reporting in English and in French, newsgathering trips around the country
- Radio (Q&As, actuality recording, studio work, editing and transmission)
- Multimedia: light video (shooting, editing and transmitting), web writing and photography
- Co-ordination with other BBC World Service languages

FEBRUARY 2009 - AUGUST 2010 EUROPEAN MEDIA OUTLETS *Kinshasa*

### FREELANCE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO CORRESPONDENT

- General news reporting (*Aftenposten*, *RFI English*, *Independent Newspapers South Africa*...)
- Business reporting (Reuters, *Marchés Tropicaux et méditerranéens*...)

SINCE MARCH 2007 [WORLD COALITION.ORG](http://www.worldcoalition.org) *Paris*

### WEB EDITOR

- Editing the World Coalition Against the Death Penalty's internet publications ([website](http://www.worldcoalition.org), extranet, social networks)
- Writing, production and translation of multimedia content

SEPTEMBER 2005 - AUGUST 2010 IPJ, BRITISH COUNCIL, JHR/UN *Paris, Kinshasa*

### JOURNALISM TRAINER

- Training of Congolese journalists on court reporting with Journalists for Human Rights and the United Nations in 2010
- Training of Congolese journalists on reporting skills with the British Council in 2009
- Training of beginner and advanced journalists at Institut Pratique de Journalisme (Paris) between 2005-2009

SEPTEMBER 2002 – JANUARY 2009 EUROPEAN MEDIA OUTLETS *Paris, Dublin*

### BILINGUAL FREELANCE JOURNALIST

- Web writer and editor for France24.com
- Freelance business correspondent (*Sunday Business Post*, *Irish Farmers' Journal*, *Challenges*...)
- Edimétiers (trade magazines publishing): reporter and sub-editor, then assistant editor of a magazine for small business owners; founder and editor of a print and online magazine for apprentices

## WORK PLACEMENTS

- Reporter and sub-editor, *Irish Farmers' Journal*, Dublin (Jul.-Nov. 2001) and *Irish Times*, Dublin (Dec. 2001-Jan. 2002)
- Iconographer, Magnum Photos, Paris (Sept.-Oct. 2000)
- Local reporter, *La Marne*, Meaux (Jul. 1996)
- Introduction to journalism, *Okapi*, Paris (Nov. 1995)
- Student jobs: supermarket, pub and factory work, Paris and Dublin (1999, 2000)

## EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

2002-2004	INSTITUT PRATIQUE DE JOURNALISME	<i>Paris</i>	<b>PART-TIME JOURNALISM DIPLOMA</b>
1998-2002	SCIENCES-PO	<i>Paris</i>	<b>MA IN POLITICAL SCIENCE, MAJOR IN MEDIA STUDIES</b>
1999-2000	DUBLIN CITY UNIVERSITY	<i>Dublin</i>	<b>ERASMUS YEAR FOLLOWING THE BA IN JOURNALISM</b>
1997-1998	LYCÉE CLAUDE-MONET	<i>Paris</i>	<b>HYPOKHÂGNE (INTERMEDIATE YEAR, ARTS &amp; HISTORY)</b>

## OTHER SKILLS

- IT: on PC and Mac computers, Word, Excel, Internet (various CMSs, Dreamweaver, basic knowledge of HTML/CSS, PHP/MySQL), Powerpoint, major desktop publishing packages, Photoshop, Hermes
- Light video: shooting and digital editing. Laptop PC, SLR digital camera and HD camcorder available.
- Full driving licence, First aid diploma, BBC Hostile Environment Training
- Other languages: notions of German and Spanish

## INTERESTS AND HOBBIES

Hiking, swimming, skiing, photography (digital and darkroom processing, visits of photographic exhibitions), gastronomy