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A results-oriented, veteran researcher/writer/editor with a deep and broad understanding of the global energy sector. Expertise in managing and monitoring teams to consistently deliver useable information to clients. Extensive experience covering petrochemicals, transportation fuels, power generation and carbon emissions issues.

EXPERIENCE

Carbon Energy Research, New York, NY

2008 – Present

Principal

- Research, write and edit spot news stories providing content for both technical/general audiences for various publications
- Find and interview energy professionals and climate experts to produce balanced, accurate, actionable reports
- Prepare papers for policymakers at the federal, state and local levels
- Provide commodity market reports answering questions regarding projected supply/demand balances, prices, etc.
- Compose papers for corporate clients and institutions such as the Paris-based International Energy Agency, Singapore's Economic Development Bureau as well as various energy-oriented publications.
- Authored a book entitled "*Gas Infrastructure in Europe*" and collaborated on other books covering topics such as ethanol and biodiesel as well as carbon capture and storage. Contributed articles on nuclear power plants and the Nuclear Regulatory Commission for *Inside the NRC* and Platt's flagship nuclear publication *Nucleonics Week*.
- Hired and managed temporary marketing teams for clients, played a key leadership role in the execution of product launches and campaigns to raise awareness of various carbon capture and storage and energy technologies.
- Wrote detailed research papers on the European Union Emissions Trading System, the U.S. biomass market, concentrated photovoltaics, distributed generation issues as well as various energy storage options. Developed an understanding of the electronic vehicles market and lithium carbonate production processes.

Hart Energy Publishing LP – McLean, VA

Senior Editor

2002–2008

- Launched, wrote and edited fossil fuel oriented newsletters such as *Gasification News*, *LNG Wire*, *Midstream Sector Update*. Covered climate change issues in all publications.
- Kept subscribers up to date with pertinent legislative and regulatory news at state and federal levels.
- Associated duties included story budgeting, managing staff reporters and securing pieces from freelance contributors.
- Wrote crude, products and petrochemical market reports for the company's entire suite of transportation fuel newsletters.

Chemical Week Associates – Houston, TX

Gulf Coast Senior Editor

2000-2001

- Produced daily and weekly petrochemical industry spot news as well as weekly reports covering U.S. energy market movements and trends.

Reuters – Singapore

Correspondent

1997-2000

- Covered real time general news and daily reports for the Asian energy and shipping industries as well as produced general interest enterprise stories.
- Secured exclusive interviews with various top-level executives and international notables.

Asian Petrochemical Data, Ltd. – Hong Kong

Principal

1995-1997

- Managed a multi-industry reporting, research and editing company.
- Clients included: *Chemical Week*, *Reed Business Publishing*, *Japan Chemical Daily*, etc.

Independent Chemical Information Service (Reed Business Information)

Houston, Texas and Hong Kong

Deputy Regional Manager - Asia

1992-1995

- Wrote petrochemical market reports and oversaw the work of staff reporters.
- Trained new correspondents to report on U.S. and Asian commodity markets and managed news flow. Produced ancillary products to maximize revenue and introduce the company to the Asian chemical industry.

Chemical Bank - New York, NY

Traders' Assistant - Interest Rate Swaps Desk, Derivative Products Group

1990-1992

- Traded \$1 billion/day of treasury bonds on the repurchase/resale agreement (repo) market that resulted in a bottom line increase of \$2 million per year to the Interest Rate Swaps Group.
- Calculated the daily euro-dollar profit and loss for both the interest rate swaps trading group, the commodity swaps trading group and the options arbitrage group.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Financial Writers Association of New York - Member

New York Press Club - Member

National Press Club, Washington, DC – Past Member

Foreign Correspondents' Association, Singapore – Past Treasurer and Correspondent Member

Foreign Correspondents' Club, Hong Kong – Past Correspondent Member

National Association of Securities Dealers (Series 7), United States – Former Registered Representative

EDUCATION

Pace University, New York, NY - Course work included Financial and Managerial Accounting, Business Law

Columbia University's Graduate School of Journalism, New York, NY – Attended continuing education courses in investigative journalism techniques, financial reporting methods and data scraping.