

Robert Gwyn Winfield

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British

Married



Personal Skills

- Interpersonal skills, used to leading a team of diverse skill/experience levels.
- Extremely competent interviewer, interlocutor and devil's advocate
- Fast report/copy writer, able to write in various styles.
- Perceptive thinker, able to make cognitive leaps and link to related, but distant, examples.
- Fast learner, used to working in a scientific environment and specialist knowledge far above my own.

Career Summary

2021 – Current: Director, Winfield CBRN Ltd, Winchester, UK. Leading a small consultancy focussed on CBRN matters. This has included agency mapping, key individuals and literature searches for a range of CBRN organisations. Ongoing UK, European and international bids.

2006 – Current: Editorial Director, Falcon Communications, Winchester, UK. Produced world's leading magazine on defence against chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear and high yield explosive devices. Created specialist workshops, conferences and meetings for governmental, NGO and commercial entities. Devised and created world's leading directory for whole range of CBRNE devices (medical countermeasures, detection, protection etc). Interviewed hundreds of senior leaders and niche subject matter experts. Attended and analysed hundreds of exercises and demonstrations throughout the world. Set up consultancy business that worked on wide range of projects, from risk management through to explosive detection standards, including

with The Critical Mass/Culmen on the 5th International CBRN Safety and Security Conference (Iraq).

2003 – 2006 – Publisher. Surrey House Corporate Communications. Esher, UK. Ran a specialist team of editors, designers and sales staff on a range of defence related topics. Started new magazines, conference and consultancy business. Radio, TV, broadsheet and specialist media reporting from various theatres.

2001 – 2003 – Publisher. Kensington Publications Limited, London. Ran a large team of editors, designers and sales staff on a wide range of defence and CIS issues. Radio, broadsheet and specialist media reporting from various theatres.

1998 – 2001 – Publisher. SMG Publications Limited. London. Ran a large team of editors, designers and sales staff on a wide range of governmental (health, finance, education) and defence issues.

1996 – 2001 – Various. SHS Publications Limited. London. Trained as a sales exec on wide variety of products. Writer and columnist on other titles. Assistant Publisher on Parliamentary magazine.

Education

1995 – 1996 MA in English Literature, Liverpool University

1992 – 1995 BA in English Literature, Loughborough University

1990 – 1992 A Levels in English, History and Geology, Neath Tertiary College

1985 - 1990 GCSE's, Dwr-y-Felin Comprehensive. Neath.

Other information:

- EC Joint Research Centre CBRN Expert.
- Presented to Nato, Singapore Civil Defence Force, DoD, American Association of Forensic Scientists, Interpol, Joint CBRN Commanders and Commandants Course and other conferences around the world
- Co-authored a book, *Axis of Evil*, Pen and Sword.
- Contributor on *Chemical Warfare Agents: Chemistry, Pharmacology, Toxicology, and Therapeutics*, third edition