LEA GALANTER
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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Proven editor and writer with more than 30 years of experience, including magazine, technical, legal, academic, website, marketing, and fiction and nonfiction editing. Can perform all levels of editing, from developmental to line editing, bringing order and clarity to text. Am deeply familiar with major style guides and can edit in American and British English.

Technical writing experience includes user documentation, user interface text, style guides, and glossaries. Nontechnical writing experience includes articles, marketing material, web content, screenplays, stage plays, and poetry.

STYLE GUIDES

Apple Publications Style Guide
Associated Press Stylebook
Bluebook
Chicago Manual of Style
Editing Canadian English
IBM Style Guide
Microsoft Manual of Style for Technical Publications (MSTP)
Oxford Style Manual
Read Me First! A Style Guide for the Computer Industry (Sun Microsystems)
Scientific Style and Format: The CBE Manual for Authors, Editors, and Publishers
Words into Type

CORPORATE EXPERIENCE SUMMARY

FTI Consulting: Senior Technical Editor, Lead Technical Editor & Writer
Microsoft Corporation: Encarta Encyclopedia Editor, Technical Editor, E-Learning Editor
Legato Systems: Technical Editor
Point.com: Chief Copy Editor
Richards & Kinerk: Legal Documents Manager
PayPhone Magazine: Managing Editor
Ultra Magazine: Copy Editor

FREELANCE EDITING SUMMARY

Books

Naked in Public, Staci Sprout (memoir), Recontext Media

So You Want to Make Video Games, Hardy LeBel (self-published)

Noble or Not, Debra Borchert (historical fiction)

The Roman Empire from Severus to Constantine (2nd edition), Pat Southern, Routledge Publishing

Your Education Master's Companion, Jim McGrath and Anthony Cole, Routledge Publishing

Your Teacher Training Companion (2nd edition), Jim McGrath and Anthony Cole, Routledge Publishing
Take Control of Getting Started with Dreamweaver, Arnie Keller, TidBITS Publishing
Take Control of Digital TV, Clark Humphrey, TidBITS Publishing
Tony's: The Cookbook (recipe editor), George Fuermann, Shearer Publishing

Articles and Short Stories

"My Sons Will Eat Today," Debra Borchert (historical fiction), self-published
"The Long Burn," Tim Kasen, in *The Wisconsin Review*
"Self-Censorship and Science: A geographical review of media coverage of climate tipping points," Liisa Antilla, in *Public Understanding of Science*

Journals

History of Education Quarterly, copy editor for the journal, which is published through the University of Washington College of Education.

Misc.

Master's and PhD theses
Professional resumes
Web content and web pages
Software user manuals
Marketing material
E-learning content

EDUCATION

State University of New York, College at Fredonia, B.A. History
University of Houston, Post-baccalaureate work in Journalism
Cardiff University, Wales, M.A. Early Celtic Studies

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

American Copy Editors Society
Association of Writers and Writing Programs
Editorial Freelancers Association
Freelancers Union
National Association of Independent Writers and Editors
Northwest Independent Editors Guild