

I am an Indianapolis-based writer with 17 years of professional writing experience. My background covers everything from lifestyle reporter to sports writer and editorial director of two business-to-business magazines. A majority of my clients work with me on an assignment basis, trusting my research skills to handle the more difficult editorial projects on their plates.

During my editor stints, I collected a list of gripes about free-lancers' attitudes that snaked down the block. So when I chose independent journalism, I vowed to provide on-time copy, responsible sources, fact-checking, solid customer service ethics that reflect positively on a publication, and — above all — a *magazine* writing style.

In other words, I treat writing as a business, complete with polished customer service skills that reflect well on your publication.

So tag me as that reliable writer who comes through with copy you don't have to rewrite at 2 a.m. — after all, I know the editor's world and frustrations well. And thanks to my organizational skills, to date I've never missed an editorial deadline.