

## **MARIANNE CURPHEY**

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### **SKILLS AND SERVICES**

Experienced freelance business and personal finance journalist, author, columnist and editor.

Skilled in copywriting, feature writing, editing, commissioning and project management.

Consultant on website content, website launches and redesign.

Delivers high quality copy to tight deadlines.

Available for one-off corporate projects or regular feature writing or editing.

Experienced in putting together content, commissioning and editing features and organising a team of sub editors, freelancers and page designers.

### **PREVIOUS PROJECTS**

Marianne currently contributes to major broadsheets including **The Daily Telegraph**, **The Sunday Telegraph**, **The Times**, **The Guardian** and **The Observer**.

\*Areas of expertise: family finance, investment, saving for children, school fees plans, life insurance and stakeholder pensions, SIPP's, drawdown and other aspects of pension provision.

\*Personal finance columnist for The Sunday Telegraph's *Motherhood and Money*

\*Banking and insurance columnist for Money Market UK

\*Markets and economics columnist for Panacea IFA

- Consultant editor and columnist for Guardian Unlimited, the website of The Guardian newspaper
- Deputy editor of Guardian Unlimited
- Executive Editor of Guardian Unlimited Money and SocietyGuardian.co.uk
- Author of E-cash, the complete guide to financial websites
- Launch editor of Guardian Unlimited Money, the personal finance website of the Guardian
- Deputy personal finance editor of Weekend Money, The Times
- Insurance correspondent, The Times

## **WORK HISTORY**

**2003 to Present** Freelance writer, consultant and columnist

**2000-2002** Deputy Editor of Guardian Unlimited

Executive Editor of SocietyGuardian.co.uk, the website for professionals working in the public services

**1999-2002** Executive editor, Guardian Unlimited Money, the Guardian's personal finance website

**1998-1999** City news Editor, the Guardian business desk

**1995-1998** Insurance Correspondent & Personal Finance Deputy Editor, The Times

**1993-1995** The Times - Home news, Travel and Business Reporter

**1992-1993** Freelance - Sunday Express, Sunday Telegraph, UK National News Agency

**1991-1992** Solo travel in Asia and Australasia - travel feature shortlisted for Sunday Telegraph award

**1987-1991** Freelance: Liverpool Post, Campaign, Health Service Journal.

Staff: Evening Sentinel, Stoke-on-Trent: assistant news editor, chief reporter for music pages, women's page feature writer.

## **EDUCATION**

· University of York: First Class Honours Degree in English

· City University, London: Post Graduate Diploma in Journalism