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## SUMMARY.

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Patrick Lawrence is an author and columnist. He has published five books and currently produces two columns of opinion, primarily on foreign affairs and the media. He served as a correspondent abroad for many years and is also an essayist, editor, and critic. He has taught at universities in the U.S. and abroad and co-authored a journalism textbook.

Lawrence was a correspondent and subsequently a columnist overseas for more than twenty years, chiefly for the *International Herald Tribune* and *The New Yorker*. He has won two Overseas Press Club Awards as well as other honors and prizes. His reportage, commentary, essays, criticism, and reviews have appeared in *The New York Times*, *Business Week*, *TIME*, *The Washington Quarterly*, *World Policy Journal*, *The Globalist*, *The Nation*, and numerous other publications.

Lawrence edited the *Herald Tribune's* Asian edition before returning to the United States, in 2010. He is now working on his sixth book. *Time No Longer: Americans After the American Century*, his most recent book, was published by Yale University Press in 2013.

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## BOOKS.

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Yale University Press  
302 Temple Street  
New Haven, Conn. 06511

*Time No Longer:  
Americans After the American Century*  
May 2013

**A *Globalist* Top 10 Book of 2013,**  
No. 4. [www.theglobalist.com](http://www.theglobalist.com)

**Los Angeles Book Festival, 2014,  
Best Nonfiction of 2013, Honorable Mention.**

**Translation:** Russian, May 2016.

Pantheon Books  
1745 Broadway  
New York, N. Y. 10019

*Somebody Else's Century:  
East and West in a Post-Western World*  
September 2010

**Translation:** Korean.

Pantheon Books / Vintage  
1745 Broadway  
New York, N. Y. 10019

*Japan: A Reinterpretation*  
April 1997 / September 1998

**Overseas Press Club Award,**  
Best book on foreign affairs

April 1998

***The New York Times,***  
Notable Book of 1997

December 1997

**Kiriyama Pacific Rim  
Book Prize**

November 1997

**Translations:** Japanese, Korean, Arabic.

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## **BOOKS (con'd.)**

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Doubleday Anchor Books  
666 Fifth Avenue  
New York, N. Y. 10103

*Nippon Challenge*  
May 1992

**Translation:** Japanese.

## **EMPLOYMENT.**

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*The Nation.*  
520 Eighth Avenue  
New York, NY 100018

Columnist, foreign affairs,  
Contributing writer,  
September 2016 to date. .

*Salon.*  
131 West 31<sup>st</sup> Street  
New York, NY 10001

Columnist, foreign affairs,  
May 2013 to September 2016.

*The Fiscal Times.*  
47<sup>th</sup> floor  
712 Fifth Avenue  
New York 10019

Columnist, foreign affairs,  
March 2011 to date.

*The Globalist.*  
Suite 605  
1100 17<sup>th</sup> Street NW  
Washington, D. C. 20036

Asia editor,  
February 2003 to date.

**Westfield State University.**  
77 Western Avenue  
Westfield, Mass. 01086

Visiting scholar,  
2011–2012 academic year

Visiting lecturer,  
Dept. of Communication  
Spring 2011

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## **EMPLOYMENT (cont'd.)**

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**The University of Hong Kong.**  
Journalism & Media Studies Centre  
Eliot Hall  
Pok Fu Lam Road  
HONG KONG

Honorary lecturer,  
Graduate program,  
Autumn 2008—Spring 2010

Research Associate,  
Sept. 2009—June 2011

*Case Studies in Global Journalism*  
Co-author and deputy editor

Published Autumn 2012,  
Hongkong.

**Hong Kong University Press.**  
14/F Hing Wai Centre  
Aberdeen,  
HONG KONG

Consulting editor,  
Spring 2010—Spring 2012

*International Herald Tribune.*  
6 bis rue des Gravieres  
92521 Neuilly-sur-Seine  
FRANCE

East Asia correspondent,  
January 2006—June 2008

News editor for Asia,  
July 2004—January 2006

Opinion page commentator,  
June 1991—June 2004

Tokyo bureau chief,  
March 1988—May 1991

Hong Kong bureau chief,  
April 1986—March 1988

**Bloomberg News.**  
499 Park Avenue  
New York, N. Y. 10022

Columnist, Asia/global affairs,  
Dec. 2000—January 2003

TV commentator,  
May 2001—January 2003

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## EMPLOYMENT (cont'd.)

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***Business Week.***

1221 Avenue of the Americas  
New York, N. Y. 10020

Foreign affairs commentator,  
2008—January 2010

Editor, foreign desk,  
June 1997—Dec. 2000

***The New Yorker.***

4 Times Square  
New York, N. Y. 10036

Tokyo correspondent,  
Sept. 1989—Oct. 1992

***The Christian Science Monitor.***

1 Norway Street  
Boston, Mass. 02115

NE Asia correspondent,  
June 1985—April 1987

***Newsweek.***

444 Madison Avenue  
New York, N.Y. 10022

Asian economics editor,  
April 1984—June 1985

**1985 Overseas Press Club Award,**  
Best foreign economic reporting

April 1986

***Far Eastern Economic Review.***

G.P.O. Box 160  
HONG KONG

Industry correspondent,  
Sept. 1983—March 1984

Deputy political editor,  
March 1983—Sept. 1983

Bureau chief, Singapore,  
Dec. 1981—March 1983

Economics correspondent,  
March 1981—Dec. 1981

***The New York Times.***

229 West 43<sup>rd</sup> Street  
New York, N.Y. 10036

Financial staff editor,  
Dec. 1979—March 1981

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## **EMPLOYMENT (cont'd.)**

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***The Economist.***  
25 St. James's Street  
London, SW1A 1HG

Special correspondent,  
New York bureau  
Dec. 1979—March 1981

***Financial Times.***  
1, Southwark Bridge  
SE1 9HL

Editorial consultant,  
June 1979—Dec. 1979 London,

***Business Week.***  
1221 Avenue of the Americas  
New York, N.Y. 10020

Copy desk editor,  
Foreign staff editor  
April 1976—June 1979

***Daily News.***  
220 East 42<sup>nd</sup> Street  
New York, N.Y. 10021

Editorial Assistant,  
Assistant makeup editor,  
Nov. 1973—July 1975

## **ADDITIONAL PUBLICATIONS.**

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***World Policy Journal*** (foreign affairs analysis)

***National Geographic*** (reportage)

***Business Week*** (commentary, book reviews, letters from abroad)

***Times Literary Supplement*** (letters from abroad)

***The New York Times*** (opinion page commentary)

***The New York Times Book Review*** (reviews)

***Travel Holiday*** (travel writing)

***Discovery*** (travel writing)

***Intellectual Capital*** (online commentary, interactive)

***The American Spectator*** (commentary)

***Index on Censorship*** (commentary)

***CounterPunch*** (essay, commentary)

## **RELATED EXPERIENCE.**

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### **R. C. T.**

(the Danish human rights agency)  
Borgergade 13  
Copenhagen DK 10-14  
DENMARK

Media consultant,  
June 2008 to date

### **Asian Human Rights Commission.**

998 Canton Road  
HONG KONG

Senior rapporteur,  
South Asia  
Sept. 2006—June 2008

### *Conversations in a Failing State: Sri Lankan Encounters*

Published Spring 2008:  
Hong Kong, Bangalore, Colombo.

### *The Washington Quarterly.*

Center for Strategic & International Studies  
Suite 400  
1800 K Street NW  
Washington, D.C. 20006

Contributing correspondent,  
July 1997—June 2010

### **McKinsey & Company.**

55 East 52<sup>nd</sup> Street  
New York, N. Y. 10022

Contributing editor,  
January 2001—June 2004

### **Institute of Strategic & International Studies Malaysia.**

1, Pesiaran Sultan Salahuddin  
50778 Kuala Lumpur  
MALAYSIA

Visiting fellow,  
Spring 2002

### **Public Policy Institute of California.**

500 Washington Street  
San Francisco, California 94111

Visiting fellow,  
Spring 2000

### **Suffield Academy.**

Suffield, Conn. 06078

Writer in residence,  
Spring 1999

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## **RELATED EXPERIENCE (con'd.)**

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**Barclays de Zoete Wedd (Japan) Ltd.**

15 F, Urbannet Otemachi Building  
2-2-2 Otemachi  
Chiyoda-ku Tokyo 〒 100  
JAPAN

Consulting editor,  
Sept. 1990—May 1991

**Business International Asia/Pacific.**

77 Gloucester Road  
HONG KONG

Consulting editor,  
May 1985—July 1993

**Institut Britannique.**

rue de Constantine  
Paris 75007

Visiting lecturer,  
American literature  
Spring 1978

## **LECTURES & PRESENTATIONS (a partial list).**

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**Rossiya Segodnya International,**  
Moscow.

“Journalism’s New Era: Farewell to the  
Mainstream,” forum on alternative media,  
June 2016.

**Reinvent,**  
San Francisco

“Making American Foreign Reporting Great  
Again,” video-conferenced roundtable,  
April 2016.

**Hofstra University,**  
Garden City, N. Y.

“Civil War in Syria: Is There a Way Out?”  
International Scene Lecture Series,  
March 2016.

**RT,**  
Moscow

“Information, Messages, Politics:  
The Shape-Shifting Power of Today’s World,”  
international conference,  
December 2015.

**World Russia Forum**  
35<sup>th</sup> annual session.  
Washington

“The Ukrainian Crisis: Alternative  
Media, Alternative Narratives”  
April 2015



## **LECTURES & PRESENTATIONS (a partial list, con'd.)**

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**R. C. T. ,**  
Copenhagen

“Understanding International Media:  
How Media Cover Human Rights”  
August 2008

**World Policy Institute /  
New School University,**  
New York

“After the Washington Consensus,”  
April 2004

“Post-Crisis Asia and the Search  
for a New Economic Model,”  
March 2002

**O. E. C. D. / World Bank**  
Bombay, India

“Public Space and the Role  
of the State in 21<sup>st</sup> Century Asia,”  
November 2002

**Cambridge Forum /  
National Public Radio**  
Cambridge, Mass.

“Memory, History, and Experience:  
The Privatization of the Past,”  
April 1999

**U.S. Dept. of Commerce,**  
World Trade Week,  
Hershey, Pennsylvania

“What Do the Japanese Want:  
The Politics and Economics  
of Turmoil,”  
May 1999

**Japan Policy Research Institute**  
Chicago

“Democracy as It Is in Japan,”  
March 1999

**Economic Strategy Institute**  
Washington

“Why Japan’s ‘Lost Decade’  
Is Nothing Like Lost”  
March 1998

**The Japan Society,**  
New York

“From Meiji to Heisei:  
The Search for ‘Selfhood’ in Japan”  
May 1997

**Carnegie Council for Ethics  
in International Affairs,**  
New York

“The Individual in Modern Japan,”  
April 1997

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## **EDUCATION.**

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**Columbia University**  
New York, N.Y.

M. A. program,  
African history  
(all but thesis)  
1978

**Vanderbilt University**  
Nashville, Tenn.

B. A.,  
Literature  
1971

**Academy of American Poets prize,**  
Honorable mention, 1971.

**American University in Paris**

A. A.,  
French, 1970

**Suffield Academy**  
Suffield, Conn.

1968

## **PERSONAL DATA.**

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**Birth:** January 11, 1950, New York.

**Citizenship:** U.S. citizen.

**Languages:** French, working knowledge.