

JOLEEN DEATHERAGE

Writer and Editor

Bio

Based in Los Angeles, I have a background as a professional copywriter and proofreader, publicist and photographer, communication training developer, nonfiction ghostwriter, script writer, entertainment paralegal, and project director for nonprofit organizations.

I have provided services to a wide range of clients, including international firms such as Hachette Première, and U.S. businesses like Seven-Star, Inc., Puravida Surf Clothing, Living Designs Landscape Architects, and The Gorfaine/Schwartz Agency.

My writing and photography has been published or is forthcoming in over 12 magazines, newspapers, and books, including the Los Angeles Times, Harcourt Textbooks, Black Business News, Examiner.com, and the Philanthropy Journal.

Consulting & Public Speaking

Panelist

IWOSC Magazine Editors Summit 2009

Coach/Mentor

Social Innovation Fast Pitch Program 2009

Public Relations

Los Angeles Social Venture Partners 2009

Presenter

The Board Leaders Institute 2010 - The Riordan Volunteer Leadership Development Program

Training session: "Promote Your Value Proposition - Building Your Agency's Brand, Reputation and Visibility"

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Experience

Freelance Writer and Editor

Self-employed

Grant Writer and Senior Project Director

Shoestring Creative Group, The Nonprofit's Agency

Publicist

Filmmakers | Production Companies

Nonprofit Organizations

Nonfiction Authors

Marketing Director and Senior Copywriter

LA Communication Training & Speakers Bureau

Writer and Photographer

Belle Studios, Inc.

Entertainment Paralegal and Contract Administrator

Beverly Hills Producers Group

Film Producer

Greenline Productions

Executive Assistant, Business and Legal Affairs

Interscope Records

Education

BA in English

California State University, Dominguez Hills

Continuing Education in Writing and Producing

UCLA

Continuing Education in Grant Writing and Public Relations

Center for Nonprofit Management

Member

IWOSC - Independent Writers of Southern California

PRSA - Public Relations Society of America

CAN - California Association of Nonprofits

IDA - International Documentary Association