

# PADDY KEMPSHALL

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## PROFILE

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A highly experienced and creative writer and Editor with a proven track record of creating innovative and engaging material for both books and magazines. Calm under pressure with a meticulous eye for detail, and a broad knowledge of the entire production process.

## KEY SKILLS

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- Excellent sub-editing
- Exceptional DTP skills (CS3 + Quark XPress)
- Creative and imaginative writing skills
- Efficient time management and multi-tasking
- Experienced Production Editor
- Commissioning and negotiation
- In-depth knowledge of licensed children's brands
- Extensive illustrator contacts
- Team leadership and management

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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- **Freelance Editor and Writer** May 10 –  
**IPC Media, Sky, GE Fabbri, Eaglemoss, BBC Worldwide, CBeebies, Harper Collins**  
Writing and editing material for books, magazines, partworks and television.
- **BBC Worldwide** Mar 01 – Mar 10  
**Editor; Pre-school Children's Magazines**  
*CBeebies Weekly, Bob the Builder, Tweenies and Teletubbies.*
- **BBC Worldwide** Jul 98 – Mar 01  
**Sub-Editor; Pre-school Children's Magazines**
- **Emap Metro** May 1998  
**Editorial Assistant; FHM**
- **Egmont Fleetway Ltd** Feb 97 – May 98  
**Editorial Assistant**  
*Disney & Me, Winnie the Pooh*

## **PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

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### **PTC Editorial Diploma**

Feb 08 – Nov 09

A diverse course, providing Editors with a thorough understanding of the financial and publishing demands of their roles. Graduates have the skills to motivate and inspire teams and bring flair and vision to their own role.

## **PROFESSIONAL AWARDS**

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- **Nominated BSME Youth and Children's Editor of the Year**  
*(CBeebies Weekly) 2008*
- **Winner BBC Worldwide Reader Interactivity Award**  
*(CBeebies Weekly) 2008*

## **ADDITIONAL PUBLISHED WORK**

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- **TV scripts; *Kerwhizz* series 2, *Gigglebiz* series 2**  
*CBeebies Channel (Transmission tbc 2011)*
- **Books; *Tweenies 'Milo's Magic Spell'*** 2001 – 2002  
*Ace Lightning Annual, Walking with Beasts Annual*  
BBC Worldwide

## **TRAINING AND EDUCATION**

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- BBC Drama Script Editing
- BBC Staff Management and Appraisal
- BBC Ethics and Fair-Trading
- BBC Media Law; Libel and Copyright
  
- MA Classics,  
King's College London
- BA (Hons.) Latin with English,  
King's College London (First class)