



# James Weikert

## CONTACT

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## SKILLS

- Writing in a wide range of styles
- Collating, condensing and organizing information
- Detail-oriented
- English language
- Swedish language

## LANGUAGES

**English:** First language

**Swedish:**  C2  
Proficient

## EDUCATION

**Bachelor's degree:** Publishing with English Literature (Department of Information Science and Literature), 2000 – 2003

**Loughborough University** – United Kingdom

## CERTIFICATIONS

- Swedish as a Second Language 3 (university-level) – Grade A
- Certificate in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages ("CELTA") – Grade B

## SUMMARY

I have a passion for language, literature and culture. These interests have led me to work in libraries, teach English, write a newspaper column, organize events and write for the worldbuilding team at a Massively Multiplayer Online Game. I am detail-oriented and gain great satisfaction from collating information piece-by-piece. Swedish is both my second language and favorite hobby.

## EXPERIENCE

**Game Content Writer** 10/2015 - Current  
**Mindark** - Gothenburg, Sweden

- Compiling world-building resources for developers by combining research with creative writing
- Writing game missions together with level design
- Writing blogs and marketing texts for the web
- Developing and presenting the creative vision together with the Game Director

**Course Administrator** 10/2012 - 05/2015  
**Ruskin College** - Oxford, United Kingdom

- Carrying out administrative duties on behalf of students and teachers prior to course start dates
- Making accommodation and travel arrangements for teachers and students
- Preparing student computer access and assessing student eligibility
- Organizing teaching materials for teachers

**English Teacher (Summer School)** 07/2012 - 08/2012  
**Oxford School of English** - Oxford, United Kingdom

- Teaching English as a foreign language

**Columnist** 09/2011 - 05/2014  
**Strömstads Tidning (Strömstad Times)** - Strömstad, Sweden

- Writing an amusing newspaper column in clear, simple English
- Published in print and online

**Events Co-ordinator (Part-Time)** 09/2009 - 06/2010  
**The Cross Kings Pub** - London, United Kingdom

- Organizing music events every weekend, including 'open-mics' and gigs
- Organizing schedule as well as working closely with the artists

**Library Assistant** 09/2007 - 11/2010  
**Kings College of London University** - London, United Kingdom

**Temporary Library and Admin roles** 10/2005 - 09/2007  
**Various Job Agencies** - London and Oxford, United Kingdom