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Book Publishing Experience

Freelance Editor | Multiple Clients

1989-present

Collaborate with best-selling authors, successful professionals, and emerging writers to polish their nonfiction and fiction manuscripts and proposals. My services include developmental editing, line editing, copyediting, proofreading, ghostwriting, and research.

Recent project: *The Jagged Edge of Reconciliation: A Cautionary Tale* (developmental and line editing on a 135,000-word oral history on the pursuit of racial justice in America, written by a U.N. human rights worker; author now seeking publisher)

Published books:

- *When Are We Going to Teach Health?* by Duncan Van Dusen (Lioncrest Publishing, 2020; winner, honorable mention, 2020 Foreword Indie Book Awards, Education category)
- *Animalkind* by Ingrid Newkirk and Gene Stone (Simon & Schuster, 2020)
- *72 Reasons to Be Vegan* by Gene Stone and Kathy Freston (Workman, 2020)
- *Eat for the Planet Cookbook* by Nil Zacharias and Gene Stone (Harry N. Abrams, 2020)
- *The Crossings* by J.E. Kross and D.J. Milne (Rowe Publishing, 2018)
- *Mercy for Animals: One Man's Quest to Inspire Compassion and Improve the Lives of Farm Animals* by Nathan Runkle and Gene Stone (Avery, 2017)
- *The Trump Survival Guide* by Gene Stone, et al. (Dey Street, 2017; *Los Angeles Times* bestseller)
- *How Not to Die* by Michael Greger, M.D., ghostwritten by Gene Stone (Flatiron Books, 2015; *New York Times* bestseller)
- *Becoming an Earthly Angel: Stepping into Your Divinity* by Molly Friedenfeld (Violet Wisdom Press, 2015)
- *Dearest Ones at Home: Clara Taylor's Letters from Russia, 1917-1919* by Katrina Maloney and Patricia M. Maloney (SheWrites Press, 2014)
- *Equitable Solutions for Retaining a Robust STEM Workforce: Beyond Best Practices*, by Donna Joyce Dean and Janet Bandows Koster (Elsevier, 2014)
- *The Awareness* by Gene Stone and Jon Doyle (The Stone Press, 2014)
- *Finding the Next Steve Jobs* by Nolan Bushnell (NetMinds, 2013)
- *The Book of Simple Human Truths* by Molly Friedenfeld (SheWrites Press, 2013)
- *Hudson Run* by J.E. Kross (Amazon Digital/Create Space, 2012)
- *Forks Over Knives: The Plant-Based Way to Health* by Gene Stone et al. (The Experiment, 2011; *New York Times* bestseller)
- *Start Something That Matters* by Blake Mycoskie (Spiegel & Grau, 2011; *New York Times* bestseller)
- *The Secrets of People Who Never Get Sick* by Gene Stone (Workman, 2010)
- *Vision in Action: 8 Steps for Turning Your Dreams into Reality* by Laura Finestone

- (Outskirts Press, 2010)
- *The Engine 2 Diet* by Rip Esseltyn, ghostwritten by Gene Stone (Grand Central, 2009; *New York Times* bestseller)
 - *Gators, Gourdeheads, and Pufflings: A Biologist Slogs, Climbs, and Wings Her Way to Save Wildlife* by Susan Jewell (Infinity, 2008)
 - *On Being Fearless: In Love, Work, and Life* by Arianna Huffington (Little, Brown, 2006)
 - *Duck!: The Dick Cheney Survival Bible* by Gene Stone (Villard, 2006)
 - *Don't Let Anyone Take Your Joy Away: An Inside Look at Negro League Baseball and Its Legacy* by Stanley Glenn (iUniverse, 2006)
 - *The Watch* by Gene Stone (Harry N. Abrams, 2006)
 - *The Bush Survival Bible* by Gene Stone (Random House, 2004; *New York Times* bestseller)
 - *The Likeability Factor: How to Boost Your L-Factor and Achieve Your Life's Dreams* by Tim Sanders, ghostwritten by Gene Stone (Crown, 2005)
 - *Rich in America: Secrets to Creating and Preserving Wealth* by U.S. Trust, ghostwritten by Gene Stone (John Wiley, 2004)
 - *Love Is the Killer App: How to Win Business and Influence Friends* by Tim Sanders, ghostwritten by Gene Stone (Crown, 2003; *New York Times* bestseller)
 - *Ultra-Prevention: The Six-Week Plan That Will Make You Healthy for Life* by Mark Hyman, M.D. and Mark Liponis, M.D., ghostwritten by Gene Stone (Atria Books, 2003; *New York Times* bestseller)
 - *Kindred Spirits: How the Remarkable Bond Between Humans and Animals Can Change the Way We Live* by Allen M. Schoen, ghostwritten by Gene Stone (Broadway Books, 2001)
 - *The Halo Effect: How Volunteering Can Lead to a More Fulfilling Life and a Better Career* by John Reynolds, ghostwritten by Gene Stone (Golden Books, 1999)
 - *I've Been Rich, I've Been Poor, Rich Is Better* by Judith Resnick, ghostwritten by Gene Stone (Golden Books, 1998)
 - *Dr. Fulford's Touch of Life* by C. Fulford, ghostwritten by Gene Stone (Pocket Books, 1996)
 - *The Way Things Really Aren't: Rush Limbaugh's Reign of Error* by FAIR (The New Press, 1995)
 - *Street Smart Career Guide* by Laura Pedersen (Crown, 1993)
 - *More Future Stuff* by Malcolm Abrams (Penguin, 1991)
 - *Play Money: My Brief But Brilliant Career on Wall Street* by Laura Pedersen with F. Peter Modell (Crown, 1991)
 - *Walking Medicine* by Gary Yanker (McGraw-Hill, 1990)

Additional Experience

Freelance Copyeditor/Proofreader | Multiple Clients

1984-2006

Read and corrected pages for journal and book publishers including St. Martin's Press (11 years), Prentice Hall, Golden Books, Taylor & Francis, and others. Works included nonfiction and fiction titles on a myriad of topics. Also proofread copy for countless catalogue publishers and corporations.

Advertising Copywriter | Prentice-Hall, Inc.

1983-1985

Wrote, edited, and designed advertising copy for trade and reference books. Media included magazine ads, catalogues, fliers, book jackets, etc. Supervised production of sales catalogue.

Editorial Assistant | Prentice-Hall, Inc.

1982-1983

Provided administrative assistance to acquisitions editor for English grammar and literature textbooks. Wrote correspondence, coordinated contracts, and acted as liaison with authors and other departments.