

## Christopher James Kerr

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### Profile

A versatile writer with over seven years experience working in technology and video games. Has spent the last half-decade penning news, features, interviews, and analysis for Gamasutra, a leading website focused on the art and business of game development. Freelance work includes weekly contributions to premier UK technology magazine, Stuff, and bylines in other digital and print publications such as Wireframe, Alphr, and International Business Times.

### Experience

#### Gamasutra - UK Reporter // August 2015 - Present

The sole UK reporter for Gamasutra. Tasked with finding, tracking, reporting, and following up on industry news, pitching and conducting interviews with game developers that offer clear insights and takeaways useful for others in the profession, producing original journalism in the form of editorial roundtables and opinion pieces, and overseeing social media channels.

#### AO Life - Technology Content Editor // March 2015 - June 2015

In-house content editor charged with overseeing the freelance pool, writing regular features, planning events, and working in tandem with the company's PR and design teams to improve the reach and tone of the site. Despite enjoying the role, ultimately chose to depart after just over three months to jump back into the games industry.

#### PocketGamer.biz - Staff Writer // June 2013 - November 2014

Full-time staff writer at the UK's leading mobile games business focused website. Writing news quickly, accurately, and in keeping with the site's professional tone; covering European events, such as Gamelab in Barcelona and Nordic Game in Malmo; conducting high-profile interviews, both by phone and in person; and producing original, informative, and insightful B2B content while adhering to multiple deadlines.

### Education

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| 2011 - 2014 | Edge Hill University<br>BA Honours English (Upper second-class)                                     |
| 2007 - 2009 | Runshaw College<br>A-Levels: English Language, Sociology, Psychology                                |
| 2002 - 2007 | Brownedge St. Mary's Roman Catholic High School<br>10 GCSEs, including Maths, Science, and English. |

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