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SUMMARY

- ▶ Nationally-syndicated newspaper columnist, "The Gear Junkie." Writer for top daily newspapers and consumer magazines (*New York Times*, *Popular Science* magazine, *Los Angeles Times*, etc.). Prominent blogger.
- ▶ Professional experience includes a web site upstart (TheGearJunkie.com), a magazine upstart (*Vertical Jones* magazine) and four years in a Senior Editor position at *Presentations* magazine, a 75,000-circ. business/technology magazine. Write nationally-syndicated newspaper column ("The Gear Junkie," weekly since 2002).
- ▶ Extensive writing work since 1997. Specialize in travel, fitness, sports, outdoors, business and technology. Write for publications including *New York Times*, *Popular Science* magazine, *Muscle&Fitness* magazine, *Los Angeles Times*, *Boston Globe*, *Minneapolis Star Tribune*, *Chicago Tribune*, *Chicago Sun-Times*, and *Travel+Leisure* magazine.
- ▶ Photography for *New York Times*, *Associated Press*, *Boston Globe*, *Chicago Tribune*, *Minneapolis Star Tribune*, *Chicago Sun-Times*, *Adventure Sports* magazine.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Syndicated Columnist | "The Gear Junkie" (2002 – present)

- Nationally-syndicated Gear Junkie column on outdoors/fitness runs weekly in several major daily newspapers.
- Syndicate newspapers include *Seattle Post-Intelligencer*, *LA Weekly*, *St. Paul Pioneer Press*, *Albuquerque Journal*, *Greensboro News-Record*, *Spokane Spokesman*, *Redding Searchlight Record*, *Billings Gazette* and *Reno Gazette-Journal*.
- Total weekly newspaper circulation: 2 million+

Editor & Publisher | TheGearJunkie.com LLC (2006 – present)

- Created online publication on gear, adventure travel and the outdoors.
- Launched web site in 2006 with hundreds of pages of content, including video gear reviews, travel stories, slide shows, message boards, and a blog.
- Daily blog at <http://thegearjunkie.com/dailydose>

Senior Editor | *Presentations* magazine, Minneapolis, Minn. (2001 – 2005)

- Staff writer and editor for monthly, 75,000-circ. business magazine published by VNU Business Media.
- Responsible for 10 major feature stories each year, including four cover stories; contributed to magazine's news section and weekly e-newsletter; extensive editing of contributing writers' work.
- Wrote prominent monthly column on presentations industry. Established "*Presentations Lab*" for in-house product testing.

Editor | *Vertical Jones* magazine, Minneapolis, Minn. (1997 – 2001)

- Created and launched consumer sports magazine. Established editorial staff and base of contributing writers.
- Partnered with Chicago-based publishing company for advertising sales, printing and distribution.
- Wrote editor's intro column, feature stories, news, product reviews and travel features for each issue.
- Designed magazine layout (QuarkXPress). Developed VerticalJones.com (served as Webmaster).

EDUCATION

University of Minnesota
B.A. Journalism (1999)

Honors include membership in Phi Beta Kappa and Kappa Tau Alpha national honor societies.