Patrick Rhys Atack

About me

I'm a journalist and editor with 10 years experience in global multimedia newsrooms. I'm a web and social native with the editorial eye to spot stories and develop treatments. I have a passion for digital storytelling, which has taken me from TV stations and video/online desks to leading multimedia teams to tell complex stories to local and global audiences.

Experience

Transport editor - GlobalData June 2023 - present

Editor of three b2b sites covering technology in the Railway, Airport and Shipping sectors. I lead news and features coverage. I work with senior management and external sources to develop coverage of fast-moving sectors and represent the sites at global events. I moderate at conferences and online discussions.

Day editor - CGTN Europe February 2022- December 2022

News desk and assignment editor across platforms for the European bureau of a global TV and digital newsroom. I managed 25 European correspondents, intake from the Ukraine war, and coordinated coverage for 3 daily shows.

Producer - CGTN Europe October 2019 - December 2022

I developed the Global Business Daily newsletter, from idea to product, and trained colleagues on its workflow. I sourced, wrote and produced online stories, and television packages and live segments for 3 daily TV shows.

Freelance - Evening Standard Aug 2019 - December 2019

On the video desk, sourcing and producing video, editing original video features and joint-bylined print articles.

Reporter then Deputy Editor – The PIE News Aug 1 2017 - May 31 2019

Managed all online output and a team of five reporters and global freelance network.

Production journalist - Euronews April 2016 – June 2017

Education

MA International Journalism (Merit) – City University London 2015-16

Skills

Writing and editing

Team management and development

Data visualisation, infographics, and picture and video editing