

# Kimberly Patch

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I'm a user interface expert, software developer, writer, editor, and musician. I make software easy to use and information easy to understand.

## EXPERIENCE:

Lead Researcher

**Rutherford Living History** program, Duke University's DeWitt Wallace Center for Media and Democracy, October 2014 to present

Interactive transcripts shareable at the quote level: [livinghistory.sanford.duke.edu/our-research](http://livinghistory.sanford.duke.edu/our-research)

Technical Editor

**PBS FRONTLINE's Putin Files** project

Interactive transcripts of the 70 hours of source interviews for Putin's Revenge documentary shareable at the quote level: [www.pbs.org/wgbh/frontline/interview-collection/the-putin-files](http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/frontline/interview-collection/the-putin-files)

Invited Expert

**World Wide Web Consortium** (W3C) Accessibility Initiative, April 2009 to present

Co-facilitator, Mobile Accessibility Task Force; Editor, User Agent Accessibility Guidelines Working Group

Freelance Writer, Editor

January, 1991 to present

**Case Consortium @ Columbia, Columbia University**, case studies for journalism students;

**The Associated Press, Reuters** wire services; **Boston Globe, San Jose Mercury News** newspapers;

**Popular Mechanics, Technology Review, ComputerWorld, CIO, Datamation, Information Week,**

**InfoWorld, Network World, Dollars and Sense** magazines;

**Information Please Almanac; New Riders Publishing** division of **Prentice Hall**

Founder, President

**Redstart Systems** ([www.redstartsystems.com](http://www.redstartsystems.com)), August 2005 to December 2015

Lead development for Redstart Systems' speech interface software, patent holder

Editor, Co-founder

**Technology Research News**, weekly web publication (PageRank 8), April 1999 to August 2005

Senior Editor,

**PC Week**, national computer industry weekly, May 1993 to January 1995

Founded the Internet beat

Senior Editor, Senior Writer, Staff Writer,

**Digital Review**, national computer industry weekly, May 1988 to January 1991

Reporter,

**United Press International** (UPI) wire service, Washington, DC, June 1987 to January 1988

Wrote and edited newspaper and radio copy including Capitol's major demonstrations, Senate hearings, murder trials and city politics

## EDUCATION:

State University of New York at Albany

Bachelor of Arts, Cum Laude, May 1985; English major; minors in journalism and biology

## MUSIC:

Fiddle player for the Creek River String Band; violinist with the Boston Chamber Symphony