

## **CV: Georgina Torbet**

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Freelance science writer located in Berlin, Germany. Specializes in space and emerging technologies.

### ***Freelance Writing Experience***

**Digital Trends.** Contributing Writer, Oct 2018 – present:

- Writes highly shared and widely read news stories and features with a focus on space and astronomy, including popular articles on Mars and Moon exploration viewed over 500,000 times.
- Also achieves high engagement, with articles acquiring up to 350,000 engaged minutes.
- Covered the IFA 2019 tech conference including interviewing sources, attending press briefings, and reporting breaking news from the event.

**Engadget.** Contributing Writer, Jun 2019 – Jan 2020:

- Covered a broad range of topics from business to gaming to AI and emerging technology.
- Singled out for coverage of NASA topics, with popular space articles shared more than 10,000 times.

**MakeUseOf.** Staff Writer, Mar 2019 – present:

- Writes accessible articles on technology topics, particularly focused on security and privacy.
- Generates high engaged time averaging over 1 minute per article.
- Raised awareness of niche security issues like DataSpill, Spearphone, and media file jacking.

**VPNProof.** Staff Writer, Aug 2019 – present:

- Writes articles on privacy topics including VPN reviews and advice on maintaining anonymity online.

**Universal Owl.** Contributing Writer, Jan 2020 – present:

- Writes accessible articles on psychology and education topics for a general audience.

**Content Viking.** Content Writer, Nov 2015 – May 2019:

- Wrote corporate blog posts on topics including healthcare, psychology, and technology.

**11 Academia Networks.** Contributing Writer, Jan 2015 – Jan 2019:

- Wrote advice for students and academics, including several of the site's most popular articles.

**Sélection Prestige.** Copywriter, Oct 2015 – Dec 2017:

- Wrote blog posts and copy about cocktails. Promoted to UK Country Manager in Aug 2017.

### ***Skills***

- ♦ **Web development**, including knowledge of HTML, CSS, Javascript, and jQuery
- ♦ Experienced with **WordPress**, Magento, Trello, Asana, and other CMSes
- ♦ **English** native speaker, **German** good working knowledge (B1/B2 level)

### ***Education***

<b>PhD</b> Psychology	2011 – 2014	<i>Berlin School of Mind &amp; Brain</i>
<b>MSc</b> Cognitive Neuroscience	2009 – 2011	<i>University College London / Birkbeck</i>
<b>MSc</b> Philosophy of Mental Disorder	2007 – 2008	<i>King's College London</i>
<b>BA</b> Philosophy	2003 – 2006	<i>University of Southampton</i>