



Steve Posner

Steve Posner designed and teaches the special Advanced Writing for International Relations and Global Economics course at the University of Southern California's College of Letters, Arts & Sciences.

In addition to teaching Advanced Writing for Arts & Humanities and Advanced Writing for Pre-Law, he has also taught specialized writing courses for both business and engineering and was the creator and founding editor of *Insight Business*, the Marshall School of Business online journal at www.usc.edu/org/InsightBusiness.

Mr. Posner's continued interest in distance learning is evidenced by his integration of online interactive video teaching conferences with students in his advanced writing courses, and his research under two Teaching for Technology: Continuity in Crisis grants from USC's Center for Scholarly Technology.

Specialties

Steve Posner is the publisher and senior editor of *iAmericanSpirit*, www.iamericanspirit.com, a nonpartisan educational current events magazine that has been distributed to high social studies classrooms nationwide for more than twenty-five years. His partnerships with the *Los Angeles Times*, the Soros Foundation, Colgate-Palmolive in Hungary, Coca-Cola in Romania, and the United States Peace Corps expanded his company's reach into the emerging economies of Asia and Eastern Europe. He was the creator and publisher of *Hi-Tech Living*, a groundbreaking English language supplement featured in the *China Daily* and distributed in universities and executive offices throughout the PRC: <http://chinaschoolmedia.com>. Mr. Posner spent a year in Shanghai where he served as an educational consultant for Century Headstart Educational and Cultural Enterprises, a Chinese company specializing in English language education.

Mr. Posner is a public speaker who hosted a weekly San Diego radio talk-show and appeared as a guest on more than sixty others, including a featured segment on NBC's Today Show and Harvard University's "Speaking Freely" at WHRB Radio: <http://www.speakingfreelywithdennis.com/09/archive/32.php>.

He maintains an ongoing interest in teaching communication skills that will enable USC graduates to more effectively promote innovative ideas that can positively affect the lives of millions around the world.

Visit his website at www.steveposner.com.

Publications

Steve Posner is the author of several books, including *Israel Undercover: Secret Warfare and Hidden Diplomacy* in the Middle East, published by Syracuse University Press: <http://search.barnesandnoble.com/Israel-Undercover/Steve-Posner/e/9780815602200>.

His newspaper commentaries have appeared in *The Washington Post*, *Boston Globe*, *International Herald Tribune*, and *Arizona Republic*, among others. He is a regular contributor to *The Huffington Post*: www.huffingtonpost.com/steve-posner.

His most recent book is *Spiritual Delights and Delusions*, published by John Wiley & Sons, which explores aspects of mystical Hinduism, Buddhism, Judaism, and Christianity that have particular relevance for popular self-help approaches to psychological well being. The book features praise by Warren Bennis, the Founding Chairman of the University of Southern California's Leadership Institute, Distinguished Professor of Business Administration at USC's Marshall School of Business, and co-instructor of USC's special course, The Art and Adventure of Leadership, taught with former USC President Steven Sample. Dr. Bennis wrote: "A book that I've been waiting for that obliterates the oxymoron, Spiritual Realism, and converts it into wisdom that will help everyone find their path." More on the book at: <http://search.barnesandnoble.com/Spiritual-Delights-and-Delusions/Steve-Posner/e/9780471698258>.

Mr. Posner is currently working on a compilation of inspirational stories for a book on the evangelical preacher, Rev. Billy Graham.

Speaking Engagements

To schedule Mr. Posner as a speaker at your event, contact Carol Fass Publicity & Public Relations at www.fasspr.com/contact.html.

Education

Steve Posner holds a Masters in Professional Writing from USC and an Ed.M. from Harvard University.

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