

# **Brett Kraabel**

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## Skills

### Editing, writing

- 15 years' experience editing scientific articles
- Writer and editor for American Physical Society, CNRS, Addison-Wesley, and others
- Authored over 20 articles in scientific peer-reviewed journals
- Created content for university physics textbooks
- Created content for science textbooks for grades 6–8 and 9–12

### Technology

- **Information Technology:** Created editing software for TeX (C++, Java, Python)
- Applied Physics: Expert in physics recognized by the French Ministry of Research and Technology
- Applied Optics: Expert in ultrafast amplified laser systems and associated nonlinear optical systems

Profess	sional Experience		
2008–	Physical Sciences Communication	FRANCE	
Position:	Founder and Senior Science Editor and Writer		
<b>Function:</b>	Responsible for scientific writing, editing, and translation services.		
Result:	Contributed content to physics textbooks such as Essential University Physics (published by Pearson Higher		
2006–2008	Education); contributed articles to CNRS International Magazine, editor for American Ph  Xenocs	FRANCE	
Position:	Application Engineer for x-ray optics and generators	THITCE	
Function:	Responsible for sales, communications, and business development in North America.		
Result:	Increased sales in North America by 100%, initiated new product development program with General		
	Electric, launched distributor partnership with Micro Photonics in USA.		
2003–2005	Laboratoire de Physique et du Rayonnement de la Lumière	FRANCE	
Position:	Chargé de Mission		
Function:	Responsible for business development, communications, and marketing in North America.		
Result:	Negotiated order from U.S. Army and obtained technical collaboration agreements with General Dynamic		
	Sikorsky, and Northrop Grumman corporations.		
2000–2002	Viewgate Networks, Inc.	UK	
Position:	Software Engineer		
Function:	Manage SNMP subagent project (C++), oversee three engineers, manage project man-hou		
D 14	code generator for software testing using UNIX shell scripts and XML fault-logging syste		
Result:	Delivered SNMP subagent project ahead of schedule, increased test coverage by over 50%	0.	
1997–2000	Los Alamos National Laboratory	USA	
Position:	Research Scientist		
Function:	Lead dynamic holography research project, manage four contributing scientists, prepare re		
	proposals for funding agencies, design and implement ultrafast optical experiments, publis	sh results in peer-	
Dogult .	reviewed journals, present results at scientific conferences.		
Result:	Obtained the highest holographic temporal diffraction efficiency ever.		

Educatio	n .	
2004–2005 Specialization:	M.B.A. from Grenoble Graduate School of Business Technology Management (first in class)	FRANCE
1989–1995	Ph.D. in Physics from University of California, Santa Barbara	USA
Specialization:	Experimental condensed matter physics and applied nonlinear optics	