



# Lee-ann Suddick

SCREENWRITER / AUTHOR

## Profile

Passionate and driven Screenwriter / Self-published Author. Adept in all aspects of script and story development, screenplay structure, character creation, and the intricacies of story formation. Self-motivated and committed to striving for innovation, originality, and awe-inspiring stories.

## Employment History

### Screenwriter, Sydney, Australia

MARCH 2020 — PRESENT

- Near completion of writing my feature screenplay 'The Butterfly Monarch'.
- Continually working on perfecting my skills and talent the more I learn.
- My niece and I would like to direct a feature screenplay in the future.

### Screenwriter, Sydney, Australia

JANUARY 2021 — FEBRUARY 2021

- Worked conscientiously to research script-writing, and wrote my first short screenplay 'Blueprint' in less than a day.
- It ignited a passion in me to perfect scriptwriting in my unique 'raw' style of writing.
- Continuously edited and perfected the final draft.
- Collaborated with other creative professionals to achieve vision goals.
- Networked diligently to gain a more in-depth understanding of the industry.
- 'Blueprint' is currently with a South African Producer / Director under consideration for Theatre production.

### Podcast Partnership, BlogTalkRadio, Virgin Islands, USA

DECEMBER 2020 — JANUARY 2021

- I was honored to partner with Etienne A. Gibbs for fortnightly podcasts.
- With his expertise as a social worker/youth counselor, and my history of childhood trauma, and ongoing healing of this, our aim is to be a Voice for the Children.
- We are creating various webinars.

### Author, Sydney, Australia

SEPTEMBER 2020 — OCTOBER 2020

- Completed and self-published my second novel [Dancing with the Devil - Breaking chains of childhood sexual abuse](#).
- This novel is based on my own story of trauma from the age of 4, survival, and a spiritual journey towards recovery.

### Author, Sydney, Australia

AUGUST 2020 — SEPTEMBER 2020

- Completed and self-published my first novel [When Angels Cry - The Forgotten Children](#).
- The idea for this novel came to me when I dreamt about the murdered children and felt compelled to tell their stories.
- I wrote tirelessly, and completed writing in 2 weeks.
- I have adapted this novel into a Feature screenplay

### Mental Health Blogger, Byron Bay, Australia

## Details

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## Skills

Multitasking Skills

Customer Service Skills

Leadership Skills

Excellent Communication Skills

Creative Problem Solving Skills

Creativity and Innovation

Fiction and Non-fiction Writing

Character Development

Screenwriting Software

Collaboration Skills

## Languages

English

Afrikaans

## Links

[One Voice](#)

[LinkedIn](#)

[IMDbPro](#)

MAY 2020 – MARCH 2021

- Started my online blog [One Voice](#).
- Through my passion for 'raw' and 'real' writing, I use my pain to help others.
- Share my experience of childhood sexual abuse, challenges faced into adulthood, and ongoing recovery.
- Encourage others to never give up on their dreams, to live with purpose, and to reach for the impossible.

### **Property Manager / Housekeeping, Lady Burrell, Sydney, Australia**

MAY 2018 – MAY 2020

- Worked for a Titled Family as the property manager of the Heritage Estate.
- Assistant housekeeper, which included all general duties, as well as all deep cleaning when Family was in the UK for 6 to 9 months of the year.
- Managing, cleaning, and running the luxury Airbnb with back-to-back bookings.
- Assisting with all charity events, filming, and international photo shoots.

### **Medical PA / Customer Service & Claims Representative, Various Corporate Companies, South Africa, London, Australia**

DECEMBER 1990 – MARCH 2019

I worked in various different roles in the corporate world, such as typist, PA to CEO's, PA to Medical Directors, Customer Service Agent, Customer Service and Claims Representative.

### **Au Pair, Private Family, New York City**

DECEMBER 1991 – DECEMBER 1992

Was responsible for caring for 3 children aged 7, 4, and 18 months.

## **Education**

### **Business Diploma, Sight & Sound Business College, Kwa-Zulu Natal, South Africa**

DECEMBER 1990 – APRIL 1991

### **High School Diploma, Amanzimtoti High School, Kwa-Zulu Natal, South Africa**

SEPTEMBER 1986 – DECEMBER 1990

## **References**

References available upon request

## **Internships**

### **Co-Author, League of Poets**

NOVEMBER 2020 – DECEMBER 2020

- Co-author of the World's Biggest Anthology of Contemporary Poets 2020