

List of Tim Locke's books and projects

Books published (with publication dates)

2011 *Slow Sussex and South Downs National Park* (Bradt). Entirely new approach to sustainable travel and local distinctiveness.

2011 *Bus Pass Britain* (Bradt). Contribution on bus route from Hereford to Llandrindod Wells.

2011 *Make the Most of Britain* (Rough Guides). Article on the London to Brighton Veteran Car Run.

2010 *Where to Go When in Britain and Ireland* Dorling Kindersley. Features and listings.

2010 *Britain Revealed* (AA). Update of illustrated book on Britain.

2009 *1001 Escapes to Make Before you Die* (Octopus/Cassell). Pieces on cross-country skiing in Austria, walking in the Dolomites and kayaking in the Loire gorge.

2007/8 *AA 50 Walks series* Revising titles on Dorset and Sussex.

2007/8 *Impressions of the South Downs*. Caption writing for an AA pictorial book on Sussex's South Downs and coast.

2010/11, 2007/8 *AA Leisure Guide to the South Downs and Coast*. A new guide to the area from Winchester to Hastings, and inland too - with a refreshingly new slant on the best of the region. Also published as a Mini Guide of the same title.

2006 *Learning from Buildings: The Victorians* (Watts). Text and photographs for a children's guide to buildings in Britain and their importance in social history - aimed at Key Stage 2 (8-11s).

2006 *Kings and Queens* (David and Charles). Timelines and features for a lavishly illustrated, racy history of British monarchs.

2006-12 and annually 1992-2004 *Walkabout Britain* (published as *British Isles* from 2006). Writing walks and drawing colour maps for Allan and Bertram, a commercial calendar publisher. Also Panorama (nature/wildlife) and On the Wing (aerial views) captions.

2005 *Buying a Property in Turkey* (Cadogan Guides/Sunday Times). Sections on Profiles of the Regions, Living in Turkey, Travel, and Reference.

2005, 2002, 2000, 1998, 1996, 1994 *AA Essential Explorers Guide to Britain*. Writing and travel. England, Wales, Travel Facts and Directory sections. Rewriting/updating keyed directly into Quark XPress files for 2005.

2002-5 *Independent Traveller's Britain and Ireland* Writing introductory sections and chapters on Getting to Britain, Travel Basics Birmingham, Stoke, Stratford-upon-Avon and Cornwall, plus the introduction. For the 2003 edition I rewrote/reworked numerous other sections of the book; for the 2004 edition I compiled a CD ROM to accompany the book and featuring web links, highlights and extra information. For the 2005 edition I reorganised the text, wrote extended sections on certain areas (such as the Lake District) and updated the CD ROM.

2005 *Pub Walks and Cycle Rides: South Downs and South Coast* (AA). Researching and writing eight family cycle rides in West and East Sussex, researching pubs and taking photographs.

2009, 2006, 2004 *Dog Friendly Pubs, Hotels and B&Bs* (Good Guides/Ebury). Writing on rights of access to the countryside for dog-owners and their dogs, including the 2004 Right to Roam legislation.

2004 and annually from 1993 *Good Britain Guide* (Ebury Press), originally published as the *Good Weekend Guide*. Annual updates to best-selling guidebook to Britain's tourist attractions. Chapters on walking in each county in Britain. Reviewing text on places to see. Compiling lists of recommended days out.

2003 *Britain* (WH Smith/Thomas Cook). Writing all the sections on England: shortlisting selected places to visit, restaurants, accommodation and two-page features on each region. Photo lists and sourcing photos.

2003 *The Victorians*, for the *Life in Britain* series (Franklin Watts). Key stage 2 (age 8-11). Research and writing, book synopsis, photo list.

2003 *The Romans*, for the *Life in Britain* series (Franklin Watts). Key stage 2 (age 8-11). Research and writing, book synopsis, photo list.

2003, 2000 *Which? Guide to Pub Walks*. Researching, writing and mapping a guide to 52 walks with pubs en route, in south-east England.

2008, 2002, 2001 Mintel International. Researching and writing market intelligence reports on *Holiday Centres*, *In-flight Entertainment* (2002) and on *Singles on Holiday* (2001). Co-writing reports on *Overland Expeditions* (2001), *Special Interest Holidays*

(2002), *Adventure Travel* (2001), *European Rail Travel* (2008) and *Planning, Buying & Financing Holidays* (2001).

2001 Travel and Tourism Intelligence (TTI, now part of Mintel International). Writing a market intelligence report on *All-inclusive Holidays*.

2001 *Walks Through Britain's History* (AA). Researching and writing walks in Sussex and Kent on historical themes: Charles Darwin, neolithic flint mines, Roman villas, the social history of cycling, and Saxon settlements.

2001, 1999, 1997, 1995 *AA Essential Explorers Guide to Boston and New England*. Writing travel, travel facts, accommodation and restaurants sections, based on a ten-week fact-finding trip in 1993; winter trips (including winter sports) in 1998 and 2000.

1997-2000 Writing highlights sections for Reader's Digest Condensed Books *Exploring the British Isles* series, with titles on Yorkshire, Cornwall, the Scottish Highlands, the Lake District, the Peak District, Wales, East Anglia, the Cotswolds and London. Outdoor pursuits, museums, houses, gardens, castles, archaeological sites, events etc.

2000, 1999 HF Holidays. Writing copy for brochures advertising walking and special activities holidays in Britain.

2000, 1995 *Good Walks Guide*, published by Which? Books/Penguin. Full-colour, loose-leaf ring binder format. Revamped version of earlier Which? walks guides, plus new walks, photos, captions for photos, introduction, panel features. Republished in bound A4 format, 2000.

2000, 1995, 1993 *AA Essential Explorers Guide to Thailand*. Comprehensive coverage of northern and central Thailand and Travel Facts; extensive travel, hotels, sights, restaurants, features.

1998 *Reader's Digest Walks and Scenic Tours*. Walks and drives in various parts of Britain.

1993-7 *Reader's Digest Condensed Books*. Travel Tips sections on visiting the Amazon, the Himalayas, the marine world, Canada, Australia, China, Southern Africa. Pacific islands, the Oregon Trail, East Africa, Britain's coast, Madagascar, India, Pole to Pole, Europe's mountains, Borneo and astronomical sites of the world.

1995 *Which? Great Days Out*. Features on the North York Moors, Yorkshire Dales and London.

1994 *Which? Guide to Weekend Breaks*. Car tours in the Lake District.

1994 *Reader's Digest Illustrated Guide to Britain's Coast*. Writing text for part of the Welsh coast (from Pembrokeshire to north of Aberystwyth).

1993 *AA Essential Explorers Guide to Germany*. Writing and researching chapter on Munich and the Alps; travel in the region, write-ups of places, walks and sights.

1991 *Which? Guide to Yorkshire and the Peak District*. Writing and researching chapters on the Peak District, Yorkshire Dales and North York Moors, and walking in the region.

1990 *Which? Guide to the West Country*. Researching and writing a touring guide: chapters on Exmoor, Dartmoor, Cornwall, Somerset and walking in the region; checking copy and maps.

1990 *Holiday Which? Town and Country Walks Guide*. 182 walks in Britain, including country rambles and explorations of cathedral cities and historic towns. Writing, researching and mapping.

1990, 1987 *Holiday Which? Guide to Weekend Breaks*. Hotels and walks sections.

1988 *Holiday Which? Guide to the Lake District*. Writing and researching a new guide to the Lakes. Local history, hotels, restaurants, walks, drawing maps, checking touring maps.

1988 *Annual Obituary* (St James Press). Twelve obituaries on artists, writers and others.

1987 *Holiday Which? Good Walks Guide*. Writing, researching and mapping 212 of the best country walks in Britain.

1984 *Three Walks in East Kent*. Self-published walks leaflets, which successfully sold its print run of 1,000.

1981 *The Drinker's Guide to Walking*. While a student, I helped shortlist the 100 walks for this Britain-wide guide, and checked some of the walks.

Articles published (with publication dates)

2011 *E Life*. South Downs National Park.

2011 *Mid Sussex* Contribution to district council brochure on visiting Mid Sussex.

2011 *Mid Sussex District Council*. Promotion on Great Gardens of Mid Sussex (press release).

2009 *National Express Connect Magazine*.

2008 *Weekends Away* (Millennium Hotels magazine). Bavaria, Birmingham and New York.

2007 *Voyager* (BMI inflight magazine). Feature on David Hockney and Saltaire (West Yorkshire).

2007 *Weekends Away* (Millennium Hotels magazine). Article on weekend breaks in Cardiff, Plymouth and the Slough/Reading area.

2007 *Writer's Market UK*. Feature on travel writing as a career or side line.

2007 Created and researched three innovative Heritage Trails for Tourism South-East in conjunction with English Heritage, the National Trust and the Historic Houses Association, at Lullingstone Roman Villa, Petworth House and Parham House. A pilot project to evaluate the feasibility of devising similar trails elsewhere.

2005 *Great Ideas* (Visit Britain). Complete brochure, with 12 ideas for an autumn break or day out.

2005 *Hotline* (Virgin Trains magazine). Feature on Bournemouth, New Forest and area.

2005 *Hotline* (Virgin Trains magazine). Feature on the Great Indoors in Glasgow: attractions, plus where to stay, eat and drink.

2004 *Hotline* (Virgin Trains magazine). Feature on the revival of Coventry through the Phoenix Initiative.

2004 *Hotline* (Virgin Trains magazine). Feature on Glasgow's relaunch as "Scotland with Style".

2003 *Weekends Away*. Features on New York, Bavaria and Birmingham.

1994 *Homes and Gardens* magazine. Article about walking and staying in North Yorkshire.

1992-4 *Holiday Which?* Colour maps for an article on walks in the Lake District, Exmoor and the Welsh Marches.

1989 *Holiday Which?* Walking in the Scottish Highlands (part of an article on the region).

1989 *Sunday Correspondent*. Walking Weekends: a four-article series on long-distance paths.

1988 *The Rambler* (Ramblers' Association). Book reviews and article on planning a user-friendly walk.

1988 *Which? It's No Picnic* : article on roadside picnic facilities.

1987 *Holiday Which?* Section on walking in the Pyrenees as part of a longer article on the region.

1986 *Which? Your Rural Rights* : article on access to the countryside.

Editorial experience (with publication dates)

2008-2012 Rough Guides. Editor of *Norway* (2009), *Scandinavia* (2009; Norway chapters), *Devon and Cornwall* (2010), *Yucatan* (2011) and *Wales* (2012).

2010-2012 *Bradt Slow Guides*. Project managing, designing brief and editing *Slow North Yorkshire*, *Slow Norfolk and Suffolk*, *Slow Devon and Exmoor*, *Slow Cotswolds* (copy edit only), *Slow Dorset*, *Slow Northumbria and Durham* and *Slow Cornwall*.

2008 AA: planning contents for two potential titles at request of publisher (World Monuments and France by Rail).

2007-2009 Frommers Guides. Development editor for *Lisbon*, *Seville*, *Moscow* and *Cyprus With Your Family*, liaising with authors and preparing text, suitable for the US and UK markets, for the copy editing stage.

2004-7 Cadogan Guides. Update editor for *Malta*, *Gozo and Comino*, *Bologna and Emilia-Romagna*, *Scotland's Highlands and Islands*, *Andalucia*, *Dordogne and the Lot*, *Amsterdam*, *Northeast Italy* and *Sicily*. Checking maps, liaising with designers, managing editors, cartographers and authors/updaters. DTP using QuarkXPress. Copy editor for *Pick Your Brains About France* and *Pick Your Brains About Scotland*, two guides for children, and *Tall Tales and Tittle Tattle*, a book of travellers' anecdotes.

2004-2011 *The Good Pub Guide* Associate editor: editing and updating entries for the best-selling British guidebook.

2005 *AAA Guide to Europe* Updating/verifying sections on Britain.

1999-2010 *Independent Traveller's Europe* 1999, *Europe 2000*, *Europe 2001*, *Europe 2002*, *Europe 2003*, *Europe by Rail 2004*, *Europe by Rail 2005*, *Europe by Rail 2006*, *Europe by Rail 2007* and *Europe by Rail 2008* for Thomas Cook Publishing. A comprehensive guide to travelling Europe by rail. Project-managing, writing introductions, sprucing up text, organising the text into a network of rail routes through nearly every European country. Visits to Spain, France and Portugal in 2000; Austria,

Germany and Czech Republic in 2001. Managed the whole project (including commissioning) for 2003 edition. For 2004 I also compiled a CD ROM with additional information, web links and highlights. For 2008 I project-managed a Europe-wide team of local experts and travel writers to update and rewrite the book. Consultant for the 2011 edition.

2004-5 *AA Key Guide to Britain*. Compiling entries on 'seeing', 'doing', 'planning' and walks and tours in England and Wales. Involved a large amount of editing, rewriting and reorganising material to make it reader-friendly. Prepared report for the publisher. Update in 2005.

2003-4, Which? Books. Copy editor for *Be Your Own Financial Adviser*, *Downshifting* and the *Which? Guide to Buying Property Abroad*. Proof-reader for *Baby Products*.

2003 AA Essential Guides. Creating flat plans for guides to the Lake District, Stratford-upon-Avon, York and Cambridge. Providing additional input for flat plans for guides to the Cotswolds, Bath and Oxford.

2001 Ebury Press *From the Air* series: fact-checking, rewriting/copy editing and verifying photo locations for illustrated books on South-East England, Scotland, Yorkshire and the West Country.

1991-2001 *AA Essential Explorer Guides*. Updating, verifying, copy editing, preparing photo lists and flat plans, and proof reading. Worked on guides to Paris, Cyprus, California, New England, Mexico, Britain, Thailand and Germany.

1999 Pre-reviewer, writing critique for update of *Boston* and *New England* titles for APA Insight Guides.

1998 Consultant editor, *Reader's Digest Guide to Walks and Scenic Tours*. Selecting routes for 300 walks and 100 tours in Britain; planning the scope of the book and its research. Researching and writing 11 tours and 33 walks. Checking maps and proofs.

1997 Copy editor for Bridgewater Books on *The Rainstick Pack*. A pack with a real rainstick and a book explaining Chilean indigenous culture and the origins of the rainstick. Rewrote text to make it less academic in tone and more appealing to a wider audience.

1997 *AA Citypack to Bangkok*. Verifying a guide to the Thai capital.

1996 *AA Virtual London*. Copy editing and verifying a CD-ROM guide to London.

1994-6 Reader's Digest General Books. Assistant editor on the *Illustrated Guide to Britain's Coast*, *the Book of the Road* and *Know Your Rights*. Subbing, cutting and filling,

writing captions, checking proofs, writing new text, fielding editorial and research comments.

1996 *Holiday Which?* Verifying and rewriting another author's article on North Yorkshire.

1993 *Thomas Cook Guide to Munich and Bavaria*. Reorganising and partly rewriting another author's copy on Munich.

1988 Webster's (book packagers). Sub-editor on *The Economist Business Traveller's Guide to Southeast Asia* (republished as *Southeast Asia on Business*).

Consultancy

2008 *Blackpool*: report on illuminations and case studies of similar schemes elsewhere in the world.

2008 *Tourism South East* Pilot Heritage Trails for National Trust, English Heritage and Historic Houses Association properties in SE England (Petworth House, Lullingstone Roman Villa, Parham House).

2007 *Tourism South East* Visitor Payback Scheme analysis, Seven Sisters Country Park.