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For fifteen years, Anne has worked as an author, editor, book doctor, mentor and creative writing tutor. She currently works for the Open University, Cambridge University and Edinburgh City Council and edits the online magazine Lothian Life.

Published in a number of anthologies and online, Anne's first full-length book, a travel memoir titled *A Blonde Bengali Wife* (2010) was based on her experiences in Bangladesh.

The unpublished manuscript of *The Almost Truth*, her debut novel (Legend Press, 2024) was the winner of the Irish Novel Fair (2021), and a short story adaptation of it is included in an Edinburgh Charity anthology, *The People's City*.

Anne has been shortlisted for the Primadonna Prize, and longlisted for the Lucy Cavendish, MsLexia and Blue Pencil Awards. She is passionate about diverse and inclusive voices in her own writing and believes that every writer's voice can and should be heard.

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