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Lindsay Johns is a writer and broadcaster. He has written commented on arts and travel pieces for *The Evening Standard*, *The Times*, *The Daily Mail*, *The Daily Telegraph* and *Prospect* magazine. He currently blogs on current affairs and culture for *The Daily Mail* online, which has enables him to reach a global audience.

Lindsay also presents on BBC 2's *Culture Show* and has been a guest on BBC 2's *Review Show*, a contributor to Radio 3's *Nightwaves*, Radio 4's *Front Row* and Radio 4's *Saturday Review*, a guest on Radio 4's travel show *Excess Baggage*, been interviewed on Radio 4's *Today* programme, BBC 2's *Newsnight*, BBC *World TV*, BBC *London TV* and radio, ITV's *London Tonight* and has presented a Channel 4 polemic against *bling* culture.

Lindsay read Modern Languages at Oxford and has been a volunteer mentor for 8 years with the flagship *Leaders of Tomorrow programme*. In that time he has had many great successes, including LOT alumni winning scholarships to some of the country's best private schools (Westminster and Winchester), students applying to Oxford and Cambridge and winning prestigious and highly competitive internships and apprenticeships.

Lindsay is also a volunteer for the Mayor of London's Classics initiative, in which he goes into schools across London giving talks on the joys of Latin and the classical world and is also a spokesperson for nationwide charity *Classics For All*.