

# ELISA HATEGAN

WRITER • JOURNALIST • SPEAKER • SOCIAL MEDIA STRATEGIST

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As a professional ghostwriter and editor, I am here to assist you with any writing, editorial, research or marketing projects. As a social media consultant, I have guided businesses, non-profits and artists in setting up, managing and maximizing their online presence.

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## SOCIAL MEDIA REACH

(As of Spring 2018)

WORDPRESS 14.5K Subscribers  
Daily Hits 75-100+  
TWITTER 14,200 Followers  
FACEBOOK 1500 Page Fans  
INSTAGRAM 10.5K Followers

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## BIOGRAPHY

ELISA HATEGAN is a Jewish-Canadian author, public speaker, journalist and Regional Coordinator for Central Canada and the United States for [Against Violent Extremism \(AVE\)](#), a global network of former extremists and survivors of extremist violence working in partnership with [ISDGlobal](#), a London, England NGO and think tank creating operational responses to violent extremism and radicalization.

Elisa also serves as Executive Director of the Changemaker Project, a non-profit charitable organization, and is a renowned public speaker, educator and subject matter expert on radicalization, extremist political movements and terrorist recruitment tactics. She has been interviewed by CBC, CTV, CityTV, BBC, Global TV, Toronto Sun, Toronto Star, Globe & Mail, Metro News, Macleans, National Post, Newsweek Magazine, Now Magazine, Vision TV, Ottawa Citizen, Canadian Jewish News and international media. She has been featured in numerous press features and appeared as a keynote speaker for Toronto City Hall, LGBT, Jewish and community groups, high schools and universities across North America.

Elisa was the inspiration behind the 1998 Canadian Broadcasting Corporation film *White Lies*, which starred Sarah Polley and reached millions of viewers. Her story has since been published in the memoir *Race Traitor: The True Story of Canadian Intelligence's Greatest Cover-Up*. She has written for the Canadian Jewish News and NOW Magazine, and her poetry and fiction have appeared in premier Canadian literary journals that include *The Fiddlehead*, *Grain Magazine*, and *Contemporary Verse 2*. Elisa has won several grants and awards from Toronto Arts Council, Ontario Arts Council, and Canada Council for the Arts.

For over a decade, Elisa has contributed articles, multimedia essays, photographs and research to various print and digital media. In 2007 she created a popular LGBT Writers group that now has 200+ members. A University of Ottawa graduate with a double major in Criminology and Psychology, Elisa is currently pursuing an MFA in Creative Writing at the University of British Columbia. As a creative writing facilitator, she has provided art workshops to teenagers and female prison inmates and is dedicated to promoting artistic expression in the community, particularly among low-income women and at-risk youth.

She currently lives in the Toronto area.

