



SHARANJIT LEYL

INTERNATIONAL BROADCAST JOURNALIST

*A Singaporean Presenter of
Global News Who Brings a Truly
International Perspective to
Conferences and Events.*

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her profile

Sharanjit is an **experienced broadcaster** with **more than 20 years of experience** covering international business, finance and politics. She has anchored Asia Business Report and Newsday from the BBC's Singapore studio for sixteen years. Sharanjit has also anchored several **BBC World News programmes in London**, filed reports for radio on the BBC World Service and written for BBC news online.

She has reported for domestic BBC programmes such as Breakfast, the One and Six 'clock news and regularly anchors live on location for on breaking stories in the region.

A **Singaporean native**, she has presented and produced documentaries on BBC World News including the hour long 'Singapore at 50' and 'Secrets of Singapore', which featured interviews from **former leaders and pioneers** who helped make it one of the 20th century's economic success stories.



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Noteworthy interviews, many of which she also arranged and produced, include the **Prime Ministers** of Canada, New Zealand, Australia, Thailand, Pakistan, Malaysia, Singapore, the Presidents of the Philippines, East Timor, **the World Bank** and the **IMF**, and **Chief Executives** and chairpersons from various Fortune 500 companies ranging from Microsoft to Walmart.

Sharanjit is now such a familiar face for viewers in Asia that she is regularly invited to **moderate high level debates** for the **United Nations**, the World Bank, the IMF, the ADB and other NGOs. She's been **nominated twice** in the best presenter category at the Asian TV Awards and was highly commended as best presenter. An episode of Newsday she presented went on to **win Best News Programme in 2017**.



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key facts

Currently ...

- **BBC World News** presenter, reporter and producer
- **Author** of several well respected books
- professional **master of ceremonies, moderator** and **event host**.

Formerly ...

- **Bloomberg TV** from March 2000 in Tokyo
- Joined **Bridge Information Systems** financial news service 1999.
- Began her journalist career with the **Canadian Broadcasting Corporation** in 1997 where she she reported for the award-winning show, "The Pacific Rim Report"
- **Degree in Journalism and English Literature** from The University of Maryland College Park (Washington DC) and then got her **Masters degree in English Literature** from the University of British Columbia

Flies from **Singapore**

Manages programmes for audiences around the world, at conferences, client forums, awards and company special occasions.



Sample engagement:

Conference Chairman. From large, international regional affairs to industry forums.

Session Moderator. Engaged to conduct in-depth moderation of key issues from a panel of speakers.

Awards Host: Welcoming and hosting the evening to ensure the events smooth running, and adding a certain style and professionalism.

Company Event Host / Special Guest: Providing a special dynamic to a company's anniversary event or special announcement dinner or reception

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