

## Who Were The Assassins of Gawker Media?

Gawker Media and Gizmodo could not have dragged any more hell and nightmares along with it as it falls into the abyss of retribution from Peter Thiel, Palmer Luckey, Matt Forney, Rick Santorum, Sean Parker, All Women, Gamers, XP Vehicles, Sandy Montenegro, Napster, Mitt Romney, The Pallin's, Vladimir Putin, France and over 1000 other entities that Nick Denton and his band of deviant schoolboys were hired to attempt to kill.

Gawker's Nick Denton, John Herrman, Adrian Covert and John Cook are publicly documented as having a life-time of surveillance contracted on them for their attacks and indiscretions.

It is rumored that either Peter Thiel, or another party, traded over a million dollars of patents and stock to a national private investigation service (possibly a company called Stratfor), to monitor Denton/Herrman/Covert/Cook forever to see if they hire rent boys, cheat on taxes, buy drugs, get paid under the table or do any illegal deed whatsoever. It is entirely legal to do that. It is entirely illegal for those Gawker boys to do those crimes, though.

In the Gawker bankruptcy, an entire list of the hired character assassins of the Gawker hatchet-job empire has been revealed in court records. Here are the people who are being banned from any future employment and who are now, individually, going to be sued for selling their souls as character assassins, shills, and company killers for pay, hired by corrupt politicians and dirty campaign financiers:

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|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. James King            | 22. Kelly Stout          | 43. Katharine Trendacosta |
| 2. Irin Carmon           | 23. Julianne E. Shepherd | 44. Brendan O'Connor      |
| 3. Gabrielle Darbyshire  | 24. Angelica Alzona      | 45. Michael Ballaban      |
| 4. Sam Faulkner Biddle   | 25. Andrew Collins       | 46. Joanna Rothkopf       |
| 5. John Cook             | 26. William Turton       | 47. Kate Dries            |
| 6. Joseph Keenan Trotter | 27. Patrick George       | 48. Hannah Keyser         |
| 7. Anna Merlan           | 28. Tim Marchman         | 49. Hamilton Nolan        |
| 8. Erin Ryan             | 29. Tom Scocca           | 50. Emma Carmichael       |
| 9. Ryan Goldberg         | 30. Robert Finger        | 51. Clover Hope           |
| 10. Ashley Feinberg      | 31. Tom Ley              | 52. Sophie Kleeman        |
| 11. Diana Moskovitz      | 32. Alan Henry           | 53. Stephen Totilo        |
| 12. Katherine Drummond   | 33. Andrew Magary        | 54. Georgia K. Faircloth  |
| 13. Barry Petchesky      | 34. Lacey Donohue        | 55. Matt Novak            |
| 14. Sam Woolley          | 35. Patrick Laffoon      | 56. Jennifer Ouellette    |
| 15. Kevin Draper         | 36. Jordan Sargent       | 57. Gregory Howard        |
| 16. Andrew Orin          | 37. William Haisley      | 58. Samer Kalaf           |
| 17. Gabrielle Bluestone  | 38. Mario Aguilar        | 59. Rich Juzwiak          |
| 18. Thorin Klosowski     | 39. Timothy Burke        | 60. Patrick Redford       |
| 19. Albert Burneko       | 40. Veronica de Souza    | 61. Madelcine Davies      |
| 20. Matt Hardigree       | 41. Eleanor Shechet      |                           |
| 21. James J. Cooke       | 42. Alexander Pareene    |                           |

media, and collaborative citizen journalists, have created an online digital file on each one of these little dickens with the idea of tracking their careers and social lives forever. Now they can see how they like it.



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### Education and Work

#### Employers



##### The Internet

"Hired Character-Assassin"

I get paid to say/write irresponsible things. It's the best alternative to an inconsequential life of leisure.



##### MOG with Daniel Lannon

Associate Music Editor · Berkeley, California

Still considered employable. Definitely a miracle. (CORRECTION: Was considered employable. Still a miracle, however.)



##### gizmodo

Reporter

it involves gadgets...i think.



##### Stash Your Trash Industries

Space Assassin

Fail.

#### College



##### University of California, Irvine

Class of 2007 · Literary Journalism · English



##### UWI

#### Arts and Entertainment

#### Music



##### Lil B 'THE BASEDGOD'

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#### Friends (255)

- Jake Ravani**  
UCSC
- Michael Heriford**  
Santa Clara
- Samuel Kenswil**  
CA College of the Arts
- Gian Altomari**
- Brian Lam**  
Gawker Media
- Jabez Ross**  
UC Riverside
- Deanna Beach**  
S.F. State
- Tessa Martinez**



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#### Space Assassin

San Francisco Bay Area | Online Media

Past: Reporter at Gizmodo, Editorial Assistant at Gizmodo.com, Staff Writer at Prefix Magazine  
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#### Campaign Organizer, Repair California

San Francisco Bay Area | Political Organization

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