



### **Mr Edward Luce**

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Mr Edward Luce was the *Financial Times* bureau chief from 2006 until December 2010 and is now on temporary leave from the paper to write a book about America's growing crisis of competitiveness (Atlantic Grove, 2012). Prior to that he was the South Asia bureau chief for the FT in New Delhi between 2001 and 2006. His book, *In Spite of the Gods: The Rise of Modern India* (Doubleday, 2006), remains a big seller.

Mr Luce was also speechwriter to Mr Lawrence Summers, then the U.S. Treasury Secretary, between December 1999 and January 2001. He has also been capital markets editor of the *FT* in London, the *FT's* Philippines correspondent, and before joining the *FT* was *The Guardian's* Geneva correspondent. Mr Luce received his undergraduate degree in politics and economics from Oxford University and completed a postgraduate degree in newspaper journalism at City University, London.