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He has served in numerous postings for The Times, including Berlin bureau chief, bureau chief for Central Europe and the Balkans, based in Prague, and chief diplomatic correspondent, based in Washington. From 1991 to 1995, he was posted in Moscow, after being Bangkok bureau chief and Southeast Asia correspondent from 1988 to 1991.

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From 1975 to 1983, Mr. Erlanger was a Teaching Fellow at Harvard University, first in the College and then at Harvard's Kennedy School of Government.

He received ASNE's 2001 Jesse Laventhol prize for deadline reporting for his work in the former Yugoslavia. He won the German Marshall Fund's Peter Weitz Prize in 2000 for excellence and originality in reporting and analyzing European and transatlantic affairs and the Robert Livingston Award for international reporting in 1981 for a series of articles about Eastern Europe. He shared in a Pulitzer Prize for Explanatory Reporting for a series on Al Qaeda and global terrorism in 2002 and for International Reporting on Russia in 2017.

Mr. Erlanger received an A.B. degree, magna cum laude, Phi Beta Kappa, from Harvard College in 1974 and studied Russian at St. Antony's College, Oxford.