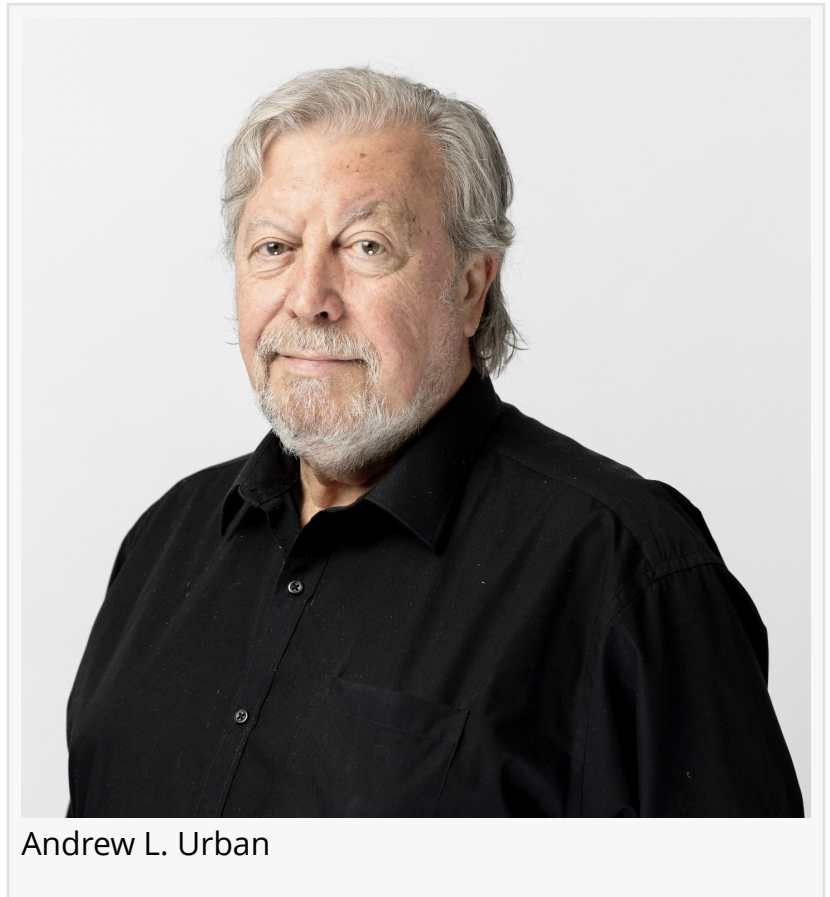


# New Book Exposes Flaws in the Conviction of Robert Xie for the Lin Family Murders

DEE WHY, NEW SOUTH WALES, AUSTRALIA, March 6, 2025 /EINPresswire.com/ -- [Andrew L. Urban](#), an acclaimed Australian journalist and author, is set to release a new book titled [Framed: How the Legal System Framed Robert Xie for the Lin Family Murders](#). The book examines the [controversial case of Robert Xie](#), who was convicted of the 2009 murders of five members of the Lin family in Sydney, Australia.

Urban, known for his extensive work on wrongful convictions, provides a detailed analysis of the legal proceedings surrounding Xie's case, including the four trials that ultimately led to his life sentence. The book explores the evidence presented during the trials, the role of forensic science, and the broader implications for the Australian legal system.



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## About the Book:

Framed delves into the complexities of the Robert Xie case, highlighting key aspects of the prosecution's arguments and the defense's counterpoints. The book discusses the reliance on circumstantial evidence, the challenges posed by forensic analysis, and the impact of media coverage on public perception. Urban's research aims to provide readers with a comprehensive understanding of the case and its legal intricacies.

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Framed is the only book exposing this case, making it an essential read for those interested in justice, true crime, and legal reforms.”

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The book also addresses broader themes related to the

criminal justice system, including the pressures faced by law enforcement in high-profile cases and the potential for systemic errors. Urban's work is informed by his years of experience investigating wrongful convictions and his commitment to exploring the nuances of legal proceedings.

#### About the Author:

Andrew L. Urban was born in Budapest, Hungary, in 1945, growing up under Soviet Communist oppression in a climate of fear and political tension. His family, with anti-Communist histories, was constantly under threat from the regime. In 1956, during the Hungarian Revolution, Urban and his mother escaped to Austria, where they were aided by the Red Cross before reuniting with his father in London.

In London, Urban began his education and developed an early interest in writing, influenced by his father's work as a journalist and broadcaster, including his time at Radio Free Europe. Urban's career in journalism began in London, where he worked for *The Outfitter*, a menswear trade weekly, before migrating to Australia in 1966.

In Australia, Urban built a distinguished career as a journalist, author, and filmmaker, specializing in film and media. In 1997, he co-founded *Urban Cinefile*, Australia's award-winning online movie magazine, and has contributed to numerous publications, including *The Bulletin*, *Cinema Papers*, and *The Australian Way*. He also created *Front Up*, a popular SBS TV documentary series, and wrote and narrated the ABC TV documentary *Brilliant Careers*, which celebrated the Australian Film Television & Radio School's 25th anniversary.

Urban's work extends to criminal justice reform, with a focus on wrongful convictions. He has authored several books, including *Murder by the Prosecution* and *The Exoneration Papers*, and his first novel, *If You Promise Not To Tell*, was nominated for the Ned Kelly Awards. His latest book, *Framed: How the Legal System Framed Robert Xie for the Lin Family Murders*, delves into one of Australia's most controversial criminal cases. The book examines the legal proceedings, forensic evidence, and media influence surrounding the conviction of Robert Xie for the 2009 murders of five members of the Lin family. Urban's meticulous research and commitment to uncovering the truth highlight systemic issues within the legal system, making *Framed* a critical read for those interested in justice, true crime, and legal reform.

#### Book Release and Availability:

*Framed: How the Legal System Framed Robert Xie for the Lin Family Murders* will be published by Prime KDP in the United States and will be available globally on Amazon, Barnes & Noble, and other platforms. The book will be released in both eBook format for \$11.99 and paperback for \$23.99.

#### Availability for Interviews:

Andrew L. Urban is available for interviews. Enquiries can be directed to [andrew.urban@wrongfulconvictionsreport.org](mailto:andrew.urban@wrongfulconvictionsreport.org).

Publication Date: To be announced soon.

Events and Media Appearances:

Urban will be participating in events via Prime KDP to promote the book.

Further details will be announced soon.

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