commentator Apresyan (En-Ru)

['kɒmənteitə] n

- 1. комментатор, толкователь
- 2. радиокомментатор телекомментатор

commentator

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

com·men·ta·tor AW [commentator commentators] BrE ['kpmənteɪtə(r)] *

NAmE ['ka□mente□t∳r" noun ~ (on sth)

- 1. a person who is an expert on a particular subject and talks or writes about it on television or radio, or in a newspaper
- a political commentator
- 2. a person who describes an event while it is happening, especially on television or radio
- a television/sports commentator

Word Origin:

late Middle English: from Latin, from commentari, frequentative of comminisci 'devise'.

Example Bank:

- Political commentators are predicting that the minister will have to resign.
- · a commentator on current affairs
- He is best known as a commentator on culture and the arts.
- He's one of the great sports commentators of our time.
- · She's a political commentator for the BBC.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

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[Date: 1300-1400; Language: Latin; Origin: commentari 'to comment', from comminisci; ⇒ ↑comment¹]

- 1. someone who knows a lot about a particular subject, and who writes about it or discusses it on the television or radio:

 political commentators
- 2. someone on television or radio who describes an event as it is happening:
 - a sports commentator

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