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Education

Boston University
College of Communication
Boston, Massachusetts
2013-2017

Summa Cum Laude, Bachelor of Science in Journalism with a concentration in Photojournalism. Minor in Visual Arts. Student in the Kilachand Honors College. Studied abroad in Venice in Spring 2016.

Professional Experience

Digital Producer
NPR's On Point
Boston, Massachusetts
May 2017 - Present

Manage On Point's website and digital strategy. Write original and engaging posts with digital audio and video. Share and promote the daily broadcast across social media. Write the weekly newsletter.

Editorial Intern
The Conversation
Boston, Massachusetts
May 2016 - December 2016

Researched academic topics related to news events, pitched stories and maintained a news diary. Conducted photo research for articles. Coordinated with writers and edited story drafts.

Design Associate
Woden – Storytelling Agency
Philadelphia, PA
May 2015 - May 2016

Created stories through digital and print design work for advertising clients. Conceptualized, designed and printed a 200-page Story Guide book for clients. Designed new websites using Wordpress.

Editor-in-Chief
The Daily Free Press
Boston, Massachusetts
May 2015 - December 2015

Led the editorial staff of more than 50 journalists in the daily newsroom production cycle. Edited and fact-checked all content. Used Wordpress to edit, manage, and publish online content. Oversaw all social media.

Multimedia Editor
The Daily Free Press
Boston, Massachusetts
December 2014 - May 2015

Managed the online presence of The Daily Free Press, including Wordpress content, social media posts, and interactive storytelling. Led the video team. Co-founded and led the podcast team.

Multimedia Intern
The Asbury Park Press
Neptune, NJ
May 2014 - August 2014

Executed video assignments within a team of reporters and photographers, shooting with a DSLR and editing in Final Cut Pro. Photographed breaking news, sports and features assignments.

Activities

Trombone Player
Boston University Pep Band
September 2013 - May 2017

Played trombone at weekly university hockey and basketball games as well as other campus events.

Co-Founder
Kilachand in the City
June 2014 - May 2015

Founded the community service program of the Kilachand Honors College at Boston University. Organized the Environmental Outreach volunteer program throughout the city of Boston.

Skills

Websites and Coding
HTML, CSS, Wordpress

Photography
Digital and film SLR shooting, studio lighting, digital editing, darkroom developing

Video
Shooting, storytelling, Final Cut Pro and Adobe Premiere Pro editing

Data Visualization
Data editing, chart building, visual design

Honors

Blue Chip Award
Highest undergraduate honor conferred by Boston University College of Communication, 2017

Third Place Photo Story
Boston Press Photographers Association College Contest, 2017

As Editor-in-Chief of The Daily Free Press:
Best All-Around Non-Daily Newspaper for Region 1
Society of Professional Journalists, 2016

Dean's List
Boston University College of Communication, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017

Eagle Scout
Boy Scouts of America, 2011