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Education

Appalachian State University - Boone, N.C.

- Journalism, bachelor of science
- Public relations with a focus on nonprofits, bachelor of science
- Minor in studio art

Work Experience

The Daily Progress - Daily newspaper of Charlottesville, Virginia (May 2015 to present)

- County Reporter: Reporting on local government and K-12 public education in Albemarle County, Virginia.

The Appalachian - Appalachian State University's student newspaper (Oct. 2010 to May 2014, Jan. to May 2015)

- Enterprise Editor (2015): Managed and created long-form, investigative journalism projects.
- Editor-in-Chief (2012-14): Managed The Appalachian's staff, production, website, content and budget.
- Arts and Entertainment Editor (2012): Assigned, managed and edited content for the A&E section.
- Lifestyles Editor (2011-12): Assigned, managed and edited content for the lifestyles section.
- Lifestyles Reporter (2010-11): Reported on assignments within the lifestyles desk.

Student Press Law Center - Empowering student journalists (Aug. to Dec. 2014)

- Reporting Intern: Worked on news assignments related to the free press rights of high school and college journalists.

Wine to Water - A nonprofit providing clean water to those without access to it (May to July 2013; Jan. to Aug. 2014)

- Media Relations Intern: Maintained the office, sent out wine orders, created promotional materials, managed important files and created an original publication (CANA).

Mountain Times - A publication for the High Country in North Carolina (April to Sept. 2012)

- Freelance Reporter: Reported on assignments around the High Country area in North Carolina.

Awards & Recognitions

Associated Collegiate Press (ACP)

- Third Place, reporter of the year (2015).
- Third Place, best multimeida story (2015).
- Finalist, best front page design for The Appalachian (2014).

College Media Association (CMA)

- First Place, best multimedia story of the year (2015).

North Carolina College Media Association (NCCMA)

- Overall: Best of Show Newspaper and Online News Site presented at the 2012 and 2013 NCCMA Conference while editor-in-chief for 2012-13 and 2013-14 academic year.
- Individual: Honorable Mention in feature writing for 2012.

Center for Student Involvement and Leadership (CSIL)

- Award for Leadership Excellence for the 2012-13, 2013-14 and 2014-15 academic years.

Job Skills

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• AP Style• Copyediting• Management, leadership• Final Cut• Social Media Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Job training• Proficient in Adobe programs• Proficient in Joomla and Wordpress• Photography and video shooting and editing skills
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