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Skills	Newsriting Copy editing AP style Video and audio editing Photography Social media Adobe Creative Cloud Final Cut Pro, iMovie HTML, CSS Search engine optimization WordPress	
Experience	WRAL News. Raleigh, North Carolina. <i>Digital Journalist</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Turn content from WRAL-TV newscasts into digital stories for online audiences using Associated Press style; link and embed related stories, videos and social media posts to present dynamic content to readers.• Promote stories to TV audiences using mobile push alerts, emails and social media posts.• Write breaking news stories and edit videos from TV newscasts and media partners; notable stories include a gas explosion in downtown Durham that killed two people and Hurricane Florence's and Dorian's impacts on communities across North Carolina.• Create original videos and podcasts using Adobe Premiere.• Create graphics for and post stories to WRAL's Facebook page, which has 500,000 followers.	Aug. 2018-present
	The Gainesville Sun. Gainesville, Florida. <i>Reporter</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Covered Alachua County Public Schools System and the University of Florida; examples include UF's trek toward becoming a top 5 public university and a superintendent's plagiarism in book.• Detailed complex matters, like Florida's medical marijuana legislation and countywide stormwater regulations, in stories that are easy for the public to read and understand.• Developed relationships with leaders and faculty in public schools, UF and Santa Fe College.• Filmed and edited videos for visually compelling stories to complement articles online.• Communicated with readers and promoted stories using Facebook and Twitter.	Feb. 2016-Aug. 2018
	The New York Times. Gainesville, Florida. <i>Copy Editor, News Service</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Edited and updated New York Times articles for 500 News Service clients, packaging stories and rewriting from The Times' style to Associated Press style.• Summarized top nightly Times stories and business and sports stories to allow news service clients to budget space in their publications.• Wrote 600-word columns for the International Weekly assessing trends in The Times' stories.• Tested an online proprietary editing system and trained fellow editors in its use.• Fostered relationships among cross-departmental employees as chair of an office committee.	Dec. 2013-Feb. 2016
	Dow Jones News Fund Copy Editing Intern <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Edited daily and feature stories for The Times' News Service.	June 2013-Aug. 2013
Awards	Florida Society of News Editors Contest, first place, breaking news reporting International OCD Foundation, OCD Awareness Week video contest finalist GateHouse News Writer of the Year, medium-large editorial team division	2017 2017 2016
Education	University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Bachelor of Arts in Journalism and Mass Communication	Aug. 2010-Dec. 2013
	Sciences Po Paris. Undergraduate Journalism Program for International Students	Jan. 2013-April 2013
Other	"Inside OCD." Gainesville, Florida. <i>Writer, Performer</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Collaborated with individuals affected by OCD in a narrative project that built stories into a show featured at the International OCD Foundation's annual conference in Washington, DC.	Sept. 2017-July 2018