

## **Journalism Experience**

**Louisville Public Media, Louisville, KY, 2011-Present**

### **Environment Reporter/Managing Editor**

- Research, write and produce radio and web stories about the intersections between energy, public health and the environment in Louisville and Kentucky.
- Topics covered include coal's role in Kentucky's energy mix and economy, biodiversity, environmental regulations, water and air pollution, climate change and environmental justice.
- Also part of the newsroom leadership team, and am involved in editing, newsroom management and personnel decisions.

**Freelance journalist, Louisville, KY, December 2008-Present.**

- Work has aired on NPR's *All Things Considered*, *Morning Edition*, *Here & Now* and *Weekend Edition*, as well as public radio shows like PRI's *Living on Earth*, WBUR's *It's Only a Game* and WNYC's *The Takeaway*.
- A full-length feature story on Louisville's urban heat island effect was published by *Politico Magazine* in 2014.

**National Health Journalism Fellow, Louisville, KY July 2012-January 2013**

- Named a fellow by the California Endowment and the University of Southern California's Annenberg School of Journalism.
- Completed an ambitious project, which involved nine radio features on industrial pollution in Louisville.

**West Virginia Public Broadcasting, Charleston, WV, 2008- 2011.**

### **News and Public Affairs Reporter/Producer**

- Researched, reported, voiced and edited radio packages for a daily news radio show, *West Virginia Morning*.
- Converted radio stories into print and published work to the Web site.
- Beats covered included state government, environment, science and health.

**Medill News Service, Chicago, IL, 2008.**

### **Health and Science Reporter**

- Created health, science and environmental packages including audio slideshows, videos, graphics and interactive elements, as well as text, on a deadline for publication on Web site and in local newspapers.

## **Education**

**Northwestern University, Medill School of Journalism, Evanston, IL, January 2008-December 2008.**

- Master of Science in Journalism awarded in December 2008.
- Was one of ten students nationally selected to attend a week-long student press visit to the European Union headquarters in Brussels, Belgium. Topics covered included EU-US relations, security, climate change and the global economy.

**Carleton College, Northfield, MN, September 2002-June 2006.**

- Bachelor of Arts in Psychology awarded cum laude in June 2006.

## **Professional Awards, Recognitions and Trainings**

- Won the Society of Professional Journalists' Sigma Delta Chi Award for Public Service in Radio Journalism in 2013.
- Awarded funds from the Society of Environmental Journalists in 2013 to complete a local air monitoring project.
- Was selected to attend a one-day seminar on climate change reporting organized by the Metcalf Institute for Marine and Environmental Reporting.
- Have won numerous first place, second place and honorable mentions in the West Virginia, Kentucky and Indiana Associated Press Broadcast Awards.