

# Oulimata Ba

#### EXPERT & CREATIVE COPYWRITER

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## **EXPERTISE**

- SEO-driven content
- Luxury e-commerce
- Brand-voice copy
- Styling

## **EDUCATION**

MASTER OF ARTS
JOURNALISM

Craig Newmark Graduate School of Journalism at CUNY 2011 - 2012

BACHELOR OF ARTS
ENGLISH & POLITICAL SCIENCE

State University of New York, Binghamton 2007 - 2011 MAGNA CUM LAUDE

## TECH SKILLS

CONTENT MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS

MICROSOFT OFFICE

**GOOGLE ANALYTICS** 

## INTERESTS

- Poetry
- Horror Movies
- Lord of the Rings

## **EXPERIENCE**

#### PRODUCT WRITER / THE OUTNET, YOOX NET-A-PORTER GROUP, NJ

February 2017 to Present

- Compose SEO-driven copy on luxury ready-to-wear and accessories that boast THE OUTNET's lively and sophisticated tone; bolster product selection through mix of creative writing and cross-selling.
- Masterful at specifying fabric, garment construction, embellishments and signature details that enhance the customer experience.
- Create enthralling editor's notes spotlighting exclusive collections and brand history, including celebrated labels Valentino, Chloé, Erdem and GANNI.
- Communicate and strategize with buying and quality control teams to ensure site information is complete, accurate and meets business goals.
- · Provide customer with expert styling and size and fit guidelines for ready-to-wear and shoes.

#### FREELANCE FASHION WRITER / IFCHIC, NY

August 2016 to February 2017

- · Wrote inspiring, in-depth product descriptions for online fashion retailer in authoritative voice.
- · Provide customer with styling tips and tricks while highlighting fabric, signature details and prints.

## FREELANCE E-COMMERCE LIFESTYLE EDITOR / HOLLYWOODLIFE, NY

March 2016 to July 2016

- Composed four to six shopping posts and listicles daily on the latest celebrity style and topics including fashion, beauty, books, etc.
- Utilized Google analytics, created e-commerce widgets and embedded shopping links in stories sitewide to increase revenue.
- · Liaised with E-Commerce Director to compile best strategies for boosting traffic and commission.

#### STYLIST INTERN / PATRICIA FIELD, NY

November 2015 to February 2016

 Selected pieces and curated looks at legendary NYC boutique for clients attending themed parties, theatrical performances and cultural celebrations.

### FASHION EDITORIAL INTERN / STYLIGHT, NY

August 2015 to February 2016

- Wrote four shopping posts daily on topics ranging from the best outerwear for gowns, to tips on upgrading
  your street style.
- Pitched, researched and wrote fashion, beauty and lifestyle pieces for digital magazine.

#### REPORTER, STAFF WRITER / HEADLINES & GLOBAL NEWS, NY

December 2013 to May 2015

 Wrote, edited and published eight buzz-worthy news stories daily in addition to biweekly fashion and beauty column.