

JANINE LUCAS

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Experienced journalist skilled in written, visual and interpersonal communication

skills

high-level writing and editing
curating and creating content
print layout/design
web design (HTML, CSS, JQuery)
social media
Photoshop
InDesign
Adobe X-Pro
Microsoft Office
Mac/Windows

qualities

adaptable
creative
organised
dependable
collaborative
multi-tasker



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work

1996 - 2018 Townsville Bulletin in roles including subeditor, design editor and features editor. In my most recent role, as weekend and features editor, I managed the content and design of the Townsville Eye weekend magazine, commissioning and editing copy, overseeing the work of the general pool of journalists and graphic designers, co-ordinating contributor and reader submissions, layout and design of features content in the magazine and weekend newspaper and uploading/designing stories on the web. As a member of the backbench, my role was to mentor and advise young journalists.

2015 Designed and edited in 10 days the 128-page Ride to Glory gloss publication celebrating the North Queensland Cowboys' 2015 premiership season (one of numerous Townsville Bulletin special publications and projects I co-ordinated, designed and edited).

2010 Named North Queensland Newspaper Company Employee of the Year after leading the editorial rejuvenation project for the Townsville Bulletin.

2013 Completed News Limited Managing People for Performance program.

- Appointed Subject Matter Expert to lead implementation of new operating system, Methode, in News Corp's five titles in the Townsville region. Was responsible for rebuilding each newspaper in the new system. Had the ongoing responsibility for creating and updating the design templates required to produce the Townsville Bulletin each day.

1995 Reporter, North Queensland Register.

1992-1994 Editor, The Northern Miner, Charters Towers. Won Best Editorial at North Queensland Newspaper Company awards, 1993, and Best Regional Newspaper, 1994.

1989-1991 Cadet journalist, The Northern Miner, Charters Towers.

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education & training

Charters Towers State High School, Tertiary Entrance score: 950

Journalism cadetship

Codecademy Pro Intensive, Building Websites from Scratch (HTML, CSS, JavaScript and Github).

interests

books, podcasts, longform journalism, swimming, pilates, gym, film/television, coding, NQ Cowboys