

WORK EXPERIENCE

The Guardian Visuals Intern

London, UK
Sept-Dec. 2018

Covered the 2018 midterm elections for the Guardian's Visuals team, building election-related interactives, contributing to data-driven analysis, and developing the Guardian's live election results page.

NBC Multimedia Journalism Intern

New York, NY
June-Aug. 2018

Worked in NBC's national newsroom for the Owned Stations division, reporting national stories and creating videos, graphics, and interactives for NBC's digital platforms.

The Delta Center Media Intern

Cleveland, MS
June-Aug. 2017

Helped produce multimedia stories for the Delta Center's "Most Southern Place on Earth" workshops, taking photos, producing video stories, and designing for printed marketing.

CustomInk Software Engineering Intern

Fairfax, VA
June-Aug. 2016

Worked as a software engineering intern with CustomInk's eCommerce team, entirely rebuilding a complex internal system with MySQL, MongoDB, Ruby on Rails, and JS.

nvite Software Engineering Intern

Washington, DC
June-Aug. 2015

3advance Engineering Intern

Washington, DC
June-Aug 2014

SocialTables Product Intern

Washington, DC
June-Aug 2013

PORTFOLIO

"Facebook, the New Frontier of Political Ads" Writing, Interactive

July 2018

An investigative story and interactive about the habits of political advertisers on Facebook that allowed readers to see what ads were targeted towards them. Published on NBC station websites across the country.

"2020 New Hampshire Primary Candidate Tracker" Interactive, Data

July 2018

An application I designed and developed that allows reporters at NBC's owned-and-operated station in New England to track how often 2020 presidential candidates visit New Hampshire.

"Exploring Facebook's News Landscape" Data Visualization

May 2018

This interactive piece uses data visualizations to analyze the Facebook posts of top news organizations to better understand how people interact with news content on Facebook.

"Things Have Got to Change": Affordable Housing in Chapel Hill Writing

April 2018

A profile I wrote of Yvette Matthews, one of the activists promoting the issue of affordable housing amidst soaring rents in Chapel Hill. Published in IndyWeek May 30, 2018

EDUCATION

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill GPA: 3.91

Chapel Hill, NC
Aug. 2016 - May 2020

Majoring in journalism (with a specialization in interactive multimedia) and computer science, with a minor in entrepreneurship. Relevant coursework includes Interactive Journalism, Politics and Media, Algorithmic Journalism, CS Data Structures, Profile Writing, News Writing, Multimedia Storytelling, and UX Design.

Robertson Scholars Leadership Program

Durham, NC
Aug. 2016 - May 2020

The Robertson Scholars Leadership Program gives a selective group of students a full- tuition scholarship and allows them to be "dual citizens" of both the University of North Carolina and Duke University, taking classes and even living at the opposite campus.

Thomas Jefferson High School for Science and Technology

Alexandria, VA
Sept. 2012 - June 2016

"TJ," as it is affectionately called, is a magnet high school that draws students from all over Northern Virginia to study science, technology, engineering and mathematics.

RESEARCH

Duke DeWitt Wallace Center for Media and Democracy Online Gatekeeping

Duke University
May 2018 - (current)

Collaborated with Dr. Phillip Napoli on research on the gatekeeping of news across social media.

Media and Journalism Emerging Technologies Lab AR Storytelling

UNC - Chapel Hill
Sept 2017 - (current)

Worked with Prof. Steven King's Emerging Technologies Lab to create tools and storytelling experiences using new technologies like AR, VR, and AI.