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EDUCATION

Indiana University, Bloomington

BAJ in journalism specializing in design and graphics, minor in environmental management, class of 2017.

EXPERIENCE

Tampa Bay Times

Design intern June 2017-present

Designed pages primarily in news sections of the Times. Internship includes a digital project and deatures design experience.

Minneapolis Star Tribune

Design intern June-August 2016 (full time)

Designed pages and illustrations for the paper's Variety section and more. Spent four days a week on features and one on news where I managed an entire section on deadline.

The Buffalo News

Design intern May-August 2015 (full time)

Designed pages, illustrations and graphics for the paper in advance and on deadline. Heavy focus on features design, conceptual illustration and longer-term projects.

Design intern May-August 2014 (full time)

Designed pages, graphics and illustrations both on deadline and in advance. Heavy focus on news design, particularly the business section. Responsible for 5-6 pages daily.

Indiana Daily Student

Design chief January-May 2015

Oversaw the design of the paper on a daily basis, designed page one and long-term projects. Trained new designers. Developed a consistent style for the IDS.

Campus editor August-December 2014

Managed the reporting staff and newsgathered pitches for the campus section of the IDS. Covered and managed the coverage of breaking news, including four student deaths. Edited all campus stories for style and content.

Academics beat reporter January-May 2014

Pitched and wrote three stories weekly about academics at IU. Covered breaking academic news.

Page designer August 2013-May 2017

Designed pages for the IDS.

Reporter August 2013-May 2017

Wrote stories for the IDS from pitches made by editors or myself.

Inside Magazine

Editor in chief and art director August-December 2015

Managed all print and digital content for IU's award winning student-run magazine. Overhauled the production process of the magazine and managed a staff.

ORGANIZATIONS

Society for News Design

IU's student chapter of SND is very active and is the largest in the U.S.

President of IU chapter August 2015-August 2016
Organized chapter meetings and workshops. Coordinated attendance.

Facilitated SND36, SND37 and SND38 competitions

Attended annual conference in 2014, 2015 and 2016

Communications Director August 2014-May 2015

Managed social media accounts and communications with members of the organization.

Designer for SND35 print and iPad editions

Designer for SND37 book

Designer for SND38 book

HONORS & AWARDS

Member of IU's Hutton Honors College

Member of Media Scholars Program

Journalism-based honors program at IU.

Best Essay in a news magazine, ICPA

Indiana Collegiate Press Association's best essay award in their news magazine category went to an essay I wrote about my struggle with bulimia titled "To the Brink." Judges described it as "a brave and gripping narrative that brings readers along the difficult ride from start to finish."

Best Yearbook Spread, ICPA

Indiana Collegiate Press Association best yearbook spread went to a story that I reported about beekeeping at IU, and the environmental issues that led a student to bring it to IU.

ICPA awards for Inside Magazine's "The Color Issue"

An issue of Inside magazine for which I was editor in chief and art director received the following awards from ICPA: Third place, best single issue, third place, best themed issue, third place best single story or package design for my design of "Just a shade different", Second place, best overall design.

SKILLS

Design

Adobe photoshop, inDesign and illustrator. Good understanding of color and space. Experience toning photos for print.

Digital skills

Proficient in html and css. Some knowledge of javascript, high charts, d3 and other graphic tools.

Knowledge of environmental issues, policy and science

Explanatory reporting and informational graphics