

# Ashlen Renner

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## Education

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill  
Majors: Journalism-Multimedia, Communications  
Expected Graduation Date: May 2017

Chapel Hill, NC  
Minor: Nonfiction Creative Writing  
Cumulative GPA: 3.6

## Work Experience

Intern at *The Pilot* newspaper

Southern Pines, NC 2014-2015

- More than 13,500 readers
- Wrote for the News, *Scene* features section, and the *Books* section
- Assisted managing The Open Daily website during the men's and women's U.S. Opens
- Led information gathering phase in updating annual Sandhills Guide

The Country Bookshop

Southern Pines, NC 2012-2014

- Gained minor accounting skills as a cashier
- Assisted with planning and executing author events

## Leadership Experience

Social Media Manager of Cellar Door Magazine

Chapel Hill, NC 2016-Present

- Maintained the Facebook, Twitter, and Tumbr accounts and Cellar Door website

## Writing Experience

*Synapse Magazine* staff writer

Chapel Hill, NC 2015- Present

- An online magazine specializing in long form journalism

*The Daily Tar Heel* staff writer, senior writer

Chapel Hill, NC 2014-2015

- Writes for the University Desk
- Covered Faculty Council activities

*Blue and White* staff writer

Chapel Hill, NC 2014-2015

- UNC features magazine

## Skills

- Working knowledge of HTML, CSS, and JavaScript
- Videography experience with Panasonic HVX 200 and DSLR cameras
- Intermediate French

## Extra-Curricular Activities

- Created and contributed to creative writing blog, The Weekend Writer
- Enjoys outdoor activities such as solo hiking, biking, and running
- Training to run a marathon in April 2016