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Experience

News Apps Developer
June 2016 - Present

National Public Radio • Washington, D.C.

The visuals team is the core of the photography, videography, graphics and new applications of the organization. Previously: Summer code/design intern

- Collaborate to build static and interactive news graphics and applications with unique angles on varying deadlines
- Build, maintain and run application rigs (i.e. the annotation and dailygraphics)
- Scrape, collect, clean and analyze data for visualization
- Document the team's software and train newsroom users
- Assist in maintaining the team's Amazon Web Services infrastructure/resources
- Spearhead hiring and management of the design/development intern

Digital Editor
May 2016 - June 2016

NYT Student Journalism Institute • New York City, N.Y.

The New York Times Student Journalism Institute is a two-week fellowship program for student journalists in NABJ and NAHJ. Students work alongside NYT staff to produce a working newsroom.

- Structured web content into enticing, custom page layouts
- Assisted in building of NYC16.nytimes-institute.com theme template
- Collected and analyzed census data
- Produced data visualizations for featured articles

Project Manager
Jan. 2016 - May 2016

Undercurrent • Chapel Hill, N.C. / Bocas del Toro, Panama

Undercurrent is an interactive documentary project showing the intersection of the culture and environment of Bocas del Toro.

- Oversaw production and content collection of Undercurrent360.com
- Headed development of the static mobile-first, responsive site
- Coordinated videographers, reporters, designers, developers and coaches for a cohesive workflow
- Collaborated with a designer to develop an interactive graphic for the story "A Sea for My Children"
- Attained the Excellence and Innovation in Visual Digital Storytelling Award at the 2016 Online Journalism Awards

Skills and Capabilities

HTML5 and CSS3	QGIS
Less / Sass	Illustrator
JavaScript / jQuery	Photoshop
D3.js	Git versioning
Python	AWS familiarity
Data analysis	

Education

Media and Journalism (Multimedia)
Bachelor of Arts with Distinction
The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
School of Media and Journalism, May 2016

Honors and Awards

Excellence and Innovation in Visual Digital Storytelling, 2016 Online Journalism Awards

Stuart Sechriest Award for Outstanding Graduating Senior, Visual Communication

Philip L. Graham Diversity Fellowship

SRCCON Scholarship Awardee

Affiliations

Investigative Reporters and Editors, Inc. (IRE)
Online News Association
National Association of Black Journalists

Links

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