CHARLIE SMART

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EDUCATION

University of Connecticut
August 2014 - May 2018
B.A. in Journalism
GPA: 3.97 / 4.00

Selected Courses
Graphic Design (Sequence)
Visualizing Geographic Data
Environmental Journalism
Introduction to Ecology

SKILLS
Javascript, Python, Git, SQL,
graphic design, writing & editing,
Illustrator, InDesign

AWARDS
Kantar IIB Awards Long List 2018
Barbara K. Hill Journalism Award
Sheehan Family Scholarship
Friedman Journalism Award

MISC
One of 20 students selected from
around the world for the 2016
Online News Association
conference student newsroom in
Denver. In 48 hours, I created a web
app to connect conference
attendees based on Twitter data.

INTERESTS
Cooking, rock climbing, cycling,
playing the guitar, baking

WORK

Web Developer @ Fathom Info. Design
May 2018 - Present
June 2017 - Oct. 2017
Sept. 2016 - Dec. 2016

Build full-stack data-driven web apps for
clients and internal use. Create sketches
and static comps for visual designs and
implement comps from myself and other
designers in code. Contribute to design
and planning discussions.

Graphics & Interactives Intern @ 538
Jan. 2017 - June 2017

Used tools including Python, R, Illustrator
and Javascript to design, create, and edit
daily charts and graphics. Pitched, wrote,
and designed original news and feature
stories with graphics. Contributed to
internal codebases.

Data News Intern @ TrendCT
May 2016 - August 2016

Pitched and wrote data-driven news
stories. Used D3.js and R to design and
build custom graphics and charts for
stories. Wrangled data using R and python.
Contributed to internal tools and libraries.

News Director @ WHUS Radio
May 2015 - April 2016

Managed a team of reporters, producers
and editors to create original audio news
content on deadline for a 24-hour FM radio
station and website. Wrote and produced
news stories and podcasts.