# **Declan Bradley**

## 2025 Dow Jones News Fund Data Reporting Intern | declanrib.com

### **EDUCATION**

Oberlin College, Oberlin, OH
Bachelor of Arts in Computer Science, Data Science concentration, English minor

Columbia University, New York, NY
Lede Program for Data Journalism

Reed College, Portland, OR
Study toward a Bachelor of Arts in Computer Science

City High Middle School, Grand Rapids Public Schools, MI
International Baccalaureate Diploma with Extended Essay in History

#### **EXPERIENCE**

The Oberlin Review, Senior Staff Writer, Oberlin, OH

Sept. 2025 – Present

Covered breaking news and in-depth investigations as senior reporter for the news desk.

Stat Significant, Editorial Assistant, Remote

Aug. 2025 - Present

Provided research, graphics, and copy editing for the upcoming paid launch of the Stat Significant newsletter.

The Associated Press, Automated Web Scraper, Remote

Feb. 2024 – Present

Worked with a team to scrape, check, and report results live on election nights.

**Howard Center for Investigative Reporting**, Data Reporting Intern

Jun. 2025 – Aug. 2025

Dow Jones News Fund, 2025 data reporting cohort. Washington, D.C.

Contributed data analysis in R to ongoing investigative projects, reporting to Data Editor Sean Mussenden.

Columbia University, Teaching Assistant

Jun. 2025 – Aug. 2025

Lede Program for Data Journalism, Remote

Assisted students with assignments and capstone reporting projects during after class tutoring hours.

The Chronicle of Higher Education, Reporting Intern, Washington, D.C.

Sep. 2024 – Dec. 2024

Covered general assignment news in higher education across the United States.

Behind the Badge Project, MuckRock, Web Developer, Remote

Oct. 2024 - Nov. 2024

Developed a Hugo site to make thousands of pages of internal police disciplinary files available to the public.

The Data Liberation Project, Data Analysis Volunteer, Remote

Jul. 2024 - Sep. 2024

Worked with DLP director Jeremy Singer-Vine to make government datasets accessible to the public.

National Institute for Computer Assisted Reporting (NICAR), Attendee Mar. 2024, Mar. 2025 Reed College Data Lab, Data Science Student Specialist, Portland, OR Jan. 2023 - May. 2024 Assisted students and faculty with data science questions, specializing in R. Reed Magazine, Intern, Portland, OR Jan. 2024 – May. 2024 Contributed features and human interest pieces to the college alumni magazine. The Reed College Quest, News Editor, Portland, OR Dec. 2022 – Dec. 2023 Responsible for all editorial decisions in news. Broke stories that led to policy changes to protect student data. National College Media Conference, Speaker Mar. 2023, Nov. 2024 Gave talks on review writing, mobile app development, and web scraping. ReThink Media, Data Science Intern, Remote May 2023 – Jul. 2024 Developed an R codebase for the visualization of national poll data. **AWARDS** Reporter of the Year, Associated Collegiate Press Best of Show News Website Design, National College (ACP), 2024 Media Conference, Spring 2023 Multimedia Story of the Year, 1st Place Interactive **Innovation Pacemaker Award, National Scholastic** Graphic, ACP, 2023 Press Association, 2022 2nd Place News Writing, ACP, Fall 2023 Honorary All-State Student Journalist Staff, Michigan Interscholastic Press Association, 2022 3rd Place Opinion Writing, ACP, Fall 2023 1st Place Review Writing, Michigan Interscholastic 2nd Place Opinion Writing, ACP, Spring 2023 Press Association 2021 and 2022 Best of Show Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion National Merit Scholar, 2022 Reporting, National College Media Conference, Fall 1st Place Opinion Writing, NSPA Fall 2021 2023

#### **SKILLS**

**Programming:** R (tidyverse), Python (pandas), Java, C, C++, Rust

**Web Scraping:** Browser Automation, rvest, BeautifulSoup, Selenium, Playwright

**Data Visualization:** Flourish, ggplot, Datawrapper, Adobe Illustrator, D3

Web Development: CSS, HTML, JS (jQuery), Hugo,

WordPress, GitHub Pages

Mapping: QGIS, MapBox, Scrollama

Language: Proficient in Spanish

Source Control: git, GitHub