# KAITLYN CRAWFORD

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## CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

#### Copywriting & Journalism

- Wrote about featured books & authors for San Antonio & Texas Book Festival websites
- Assisted festival literary directors with programming, creating event titles & descriptions for published schedules
- Wrote "Home Is Where the Art Is" for the Tribeza 2012 design issue
- Reported on city politics, crime, & community issues for the Uvalde Leader-News
- Created content for TastyPlacement clients based on audience & industry research

### Website Management & Digital Design

- Managed WordPress & E-commerce sites for numerous clients
- Tracked conversions & site performance via Google Analytics & Webmasters
- Edited CMS theme code when adjustments could not be made via dashboard
- Worked with website plug-ins to create slideshows, galleries, forms & SEO
- Created layouts for bi-weekly editions of the Uvalde Leader-News via Adobe InDesign
- Designed materials for San Antonio Book Festival marketing campaign including poster for the 2014 Literary Death Match

### Community Outreach & Communication

- Successfully organized 3 book festivals & 1 Literary Death Match
- Organized & promoted a city-wide fiction contest for high school students that received entries from 30+ schools
- · Connected book festival authors to a variety of community groups & media outlets
- Created content & schedule for the San Antonio Book Festival social media & email marketing campaigns; used analytics to gage success across platforms
- Researched various communities within San Antonio to determined appropriate outreach techniques for book festival
- Conducted research in Southwest Texas in order to create & install an exhibit on the area's bracero program at a local library

#### **EMPLOYMENT**

Search Engine Analyst, **TastyPlacement**, Austin, TX Assistant to the Director, **San Antonio Book Festival**, San Antonio, TX

Staff Writer, **The Uvalde Leader News**, Uvalde, TX

Intern, Texas Book Festival, Austin, TX

Administrative Receptionist, Texas Performing Arts, Austin, TX

April-December 2014 March 2013-April 2014

June-December 2012

March-December 2011

September 2010-March 2011

VOLUNTEER

El Progreso Memorial Library & Archives, Uvalde, TX

June-December 2012

EDUCATION

December 2011 The University of Texas at Austin

B.A., English; Minor: American Studies, French

January 2014 – Present Parsons The New School for Design Certificate in Graphic and Digital Design SKILLS

HTML/CSS
Basic Javascript/jQuery
WordPress
Google Docs

InDesign Photoshop Illustrator Google Analytics