IRFAN URAIZEE

Journalist & Front-End Developer



11.2019 - present | Washington, D.C.

Contract News Designer, The Washington Post

Design and develop bespoke story presentations across multiple digital and print platforms including mobile, desktop, Apple News as well as the newspaper and magazine.

Build and maintain suite of digital templates and tools in close collaboration with design, graphics and engineering teams.

01.2018 - 10.2019 | Boston, MA

Newsroom Developer, The Boston Globe

Design and develop interactive data visualizations and maps using D3.js, Illustrator and GIS applications. Build data-driven interactive applications and newsroom tools for journalists. Pitch, research and report on breaking news, daily stories and special features.

10.2015 - 12.2017 | Fort Lauderdale, FL

Interactive Editor & Front-End Developer, Sun Sentinel

Design and produce charts, maps and infographics for print and digital.

Assist reporters and editors with data research and analysis.

Create rich multimedia packages with a strong emphasis on mobile and social distribution.

05.2014-09.2014 | McLean, VA

Interactive Applications Developer Intern, Gannett Digital

Code, report and design interactive projects, graphics and news applications such as the virtual reality journalism story 'Harvest of Change'.

Collaborate with team members and Gannett journalists on storytelling, generating ideas based on existing projects and current events.

Web Development

Data Wrangling

JavaScript, Sass, Node.js, Sketch R, Python, OpenRefine

Mapping

Mapbox, QGIS D3.js, Illustrator

SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY, BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (2011-2015)

Major: Broadcast & Digital Journalism

Minor: Information Management & Technology

02.2019 | AP Sports Editors

Multimedia, Top 10

LeBron James and the 2003 NBA Summer League, The Boston Globe

06.2015 | National

Edward R. Murrow Award RTDNA

Best Use of Sound/Video for Harvest of Change, USA Today

09.2018 | Online Journalism Awards

Excellence in Online Commentary, Finalist Seven steps to save 27,000 lives, The Boston Globe

05.2015 | Syracuse, NY

Data Visualization

Don Edwards

Broadcast Journalism Award

Excellence in writing, reporting and production, S.I. Newhouse School