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education

University of Florida

2009-2013

Bachelor of science in journalism, cum laude / Minor in classics / Honors Program

Hillsborough High School

2005-2009

International Baccalaureate Program

awards

Gov. R. H. Gore Sr. Memorial Scholarship

2011-2012 / 2012-2013

National Merit Scholar
2009

experience

Intern reporter / [The Oregonian](#) Sept. 2013 – present
Reported on features, local events and breaking news.

Intern reporter / [Tampa Bay Times](#) May 2013 – Aug. 2013
Reported on features, local news, crime and breaking news.

Freelance reporter / [The Gainesville Sun](#) Jan. 2013 – April 2013
Reported on University of Florida news and administration.

Books intern / [Cosmopolitan](#) Aug. 2012-Dec. 2012
Researched book news and upcoming titles, organized books and assisted editors with articles.

Lab assistant Jan. 2012-April 2012
Guided Mike Foley's Reporting lab students in news reporting.

Various / [The Independent Florida Alligator](#) May 2011-Aug. 2012
Editor

Oversaw editorial content and led a successful campaign to keep the newspaper-owned racks on campus.

University desk editor

Assigned, developed and edited university-related stories.

Staff writer

Covered the Student Government beat and wrote general assignment stories for the daily newspaper.

Intern / [The North Florida Herald](#) May 2011-Aug. 2011
Wrote general assignment articles and covered the city of Alachua beat for the weekly newspaper.

references

Mike Foley / professor, University of Florida College of Journalism and Communications

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Joey Flechas / former editor, The Independent Florida Alligator/ reporter, Miami Herald

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Molly Moorhead / Pasco County editor, Tampa Bay Times

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skills

Proficient with writing, editing, interviewing, Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel, social media, blogging and DSLR photography
Experience with videography, Adobe InDesign, Adobe Photoshop, XHTML/HTML/CSS and CMS.