# JENNA COHEN

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#### **EDUCATION**

University of Maryland

B.A. Journalism, Leadership Minor
Graduation: May 2022 | GPA: 3.9

## **SKILLS**

#### **Design & Graphics:**

Photoshop, Illustrator, XD, After Effects, Premiere, Canva, ai2html, Procreate, Figma

#### Web Development:

HTML, CSS, Javascript, jQuery, WordPress, GitHub Pages, Wix, responsive design

#### **Data Visualization:**

R, Datawrapper, Carto, Flourish, ggplot, OpenRefine, Tabula

#### Others:

Google Docs, Drive, Sheets, Slides, Calendar; Microsoft Word, PowerPoint, Excel; Twitter, Instagram, Facebook, LinkedIn, TikTok, Lightroom, UX Principles

### **HONORS & AWARDS**

- BEA Festival of Media Arts -2021, Award of Excellence
- Omicron Delta Kappa 2021, National Leadership Honors Society, Sigma Circle
- Presidential Scholarship
   2018 2022, Philip Merrill
   College of Journalism
- Member, IRE, ONA

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## Digital & Graphics Designer | Howard Center for Investigative Journalism

June 2020 - Present

- Animated motion graphics on the Elaine Massacre, evictions, and public housing reaching over 1,000 viewers.
- Developed sites for the Nowhere To Go and Printing Hate investigations, receiving 30k and 40k site clicks, respectively.

## Data & Graphics Reporter | Capital News Service

August 2021 - December 2021

- Designed still and animated graphics and maps, data visualizations, and web pages for CNS stories.
- Conducted newsroom training on web development and story production on our WordPress site.

## Design Consultant | Investigative Editing Corps

November 2020 - Present

- Create custom graphics to promote events and display stories from local newsroom partners.
- Sketch, design, and produce web page layouts that highlight local investigative stories.

## Co-Founder, Director of Visual Journalism | Zivvy Media January 2021 - Present

- Develop company branding, website, pitch deck and social media content using Canva and Wix.
- Integrate topics of interest from target audience into content, gaining 1,000 followers across all platforms.

## Student Assistant Manager | Leadership & Community Service-Learning, University of Maryland

August 2019 - Present

- Utilized campus demographics and data to create visualizations for recruitment efforts.
- Facilitate onboarding and training of eight new hires in marketing, logistics, transportation, and fiscal areas.