Jeremy C.F. Lin

Journalist / Data Visualization Designer



EDUCATION

08.2014 - MJ, Journalism, University of California, Berkeley, Graduate School of Journalism, CA
2007 - BA, Journalism, Chinese Culture University, Taipei, Taiwan. BA thesis (2012), "Self-disclosure on Facebook."

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Anticipated 11. 2015 -02. 2016 (Acceptance confirmed)

Graphic Editor Intern, The New York Times

Anticipated 6. 2015 -08. 2015 (Acceptance confirmed)

Google Journalism Fellow, The Texas Tribune

08.2014 present

Freelance Environmental Journalist & Data Visualization Designer

- Covering weekly environmental stories in California, with a focus on energy and extractive industries.
- Designing data visualizations for various publications, including Oakland North, Richmond Confidential and KQED.

07.2013 -06.2014

Design Intern, OpenMoko, Inc.

- Assisted in the development of web-based annotation platform.
- Provided usability testing and feedback, particulary for reading and annotation of Chinese content.

07.2013 -06.2014

Administrative Cadre, Alternate Military Service, Taiwan Ministry of Justice

- Performed statistical analyses of regional crime rates and criminal sentencing irregularities, such as gender inequalities.
- Supervised the daily performance, conduct, and scheduling of lower-ranking personnel.

07.2011 -02.2012

Staff Writer, The Liberty Times, Breaking News Department

- Produced content for the national, international and economic desks and translated breaking news from international news agencies.
- Authored updated coverage of live news events, including the Taiwanese presidential debates, Grammy awards and United Nations assemblies.

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11.2011 - Online Marketing Intern & Project Representative, 3DigitalMinds 03.2010

- Offered local marketing strategies based on risk-assessment analyses.
- Worked with small business owners to implement company's online group buying service "Gomai."

07.2010 - Journalist Intern, Central News Agency, Sports & Entertainment 09.2010

- Interviewed high-profile celebrities, professional athletes and politicians.
- Covered two stories per day for public and athletic events and cultural exhibitions.

02.2009 - Chief Editor of Publications, Lung YingTai Cultural Foundation 11.2010

- Translated and edited reference articles for inspirational speeches, including "Eyeing the Other Giant: The Indian Perception of the Rise of China" and "Idealism or Self-interest? Critical Views on International Volunteerism."
- Researched, curated articles, and wrote biographies after interviewing guest speakers for "Idealism or Self-interest? Identity Card: A particular Hong Kong Perspective."

News Contact, Lung YingTai Cultural Foundation

Liaisoned with over 70 media and news organizations to provide
background information for speakers and special events.
Produced pre- and post-event press releases for distribution to news agencies and educational institutions.

AWARDS & DISTINCTIONS

04.2015 Google Journalism Fellowship

Google

08.2014 Dean's Merit Fellowship

University of California, Berkeley, Graduate School of Journalism

09.2009 Dean's recognition for top 1% of entire Journalism Department

Chinese Culture University

LANGUAGES & SKILLS

Mandarin Chinese, English, Taiwanese

Data Visualization, D3.js, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe Premiere, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Audition, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, JQuery, Leaflet, CartoDB, MySQL, OpenRefine