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EXPERIENCE

BuzzFeed: New York, NY

News Reporter • February 2015 — Present

- Reported accurate, compelling viral news stories for a large international reader base.
- Collaborated with editors to cover a wide range of topics including science, politics, business and technology.

The Week: New York, NY

Breaking News Contributor • November 2014 — January 2015

- Pitched and wrote snappy freelance updates for Speed Reads, the magazine's online news blog.
- Kept readers informed of issues in politics, international affairs, business and science.

Tampa Bay Times: St. Petersburg, FL

City Government Reporter • June 2014 — October 2014

- Closely covered four cities in north Pinellas County by fostering connections with officials and residents.
- Scooped print and TV competition with timely and comprehensive stories.

PolitiFact Reporter • July 2013 — May 2014

- Fact-checked politicians' remarks to provide readers with the unbiased truth in clear, concise reports.
- Engaged Tampa and Orlando TV audiences with fact-check findings on a weekly basis.

Medill Watchdog: Evanston, IL

Investigative Intern • March 2013 — June 2013

- Researched public records and analyzed databases to document issues of public concern.
- Oversaw web presentation of investigative reports by manipulating a WordPress backend.

North by Northwestern, NFP: Evanston, IL

Editor-in-chief • June 2012 — March 2013

• Steered online news magazine's future as President of the nonprofit, mentoring 30 editors and their contributors. Other positions held: Executive Editor, Managing Editor, News Editor, Staff Writer, Staff Photographer.

Medill Justice Project: Evanston, IL

Student Investigative Journalist • March 2012 — June 2012

• Researched, developed story ideas and constructed scripts that shed new light on important Chicago issues.

El Nuevo Día: San Juan, Puerto Rico

Features Intern • January 2012 — March 2012

Pitched, reported and wrote features, travel stories and news briefs for the Spanish-language daily.

The Record: Woodland Park, NJ

Reporting Intern • July 2010 — September 2010

• Pitched stories from three towns on municipal beat, ranging from breaking news to nuanced enterprise work.

EDUCATION

Northwestern University: Evanston, IL

Bachelor of Science in Journalism, Spanish • June 2013

SKILLS

Language: Fluent in Spanish.

Code: Proficient in HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, ¡Query.

Programs: Google Analytics, Final Cut Pro, LexisNexis, PACER, Adobe InDesign, Adobe Photoshop, CMS usage.