

Aspiring Journalist Looking for Challenges at The Associated Press

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SKILL BASE

- Broad knowledge of researching and fact-checking techniques combined with a passion for relentless investigation and reporting
- Building web scrapers and harvesting data with Python Requests and BeautifulSoup as well as SQLite
- Writing, editing and proofreading of journalistic and academic articles
- Fetching, processing and visualizing Geodata with Python and GeoPy
- Basic understanding of and experience with Git, SQL, HTTP and HTML
- Excellent knowledge of Excel, Word, LaTeX and Adobe Photoshop
- Experienced in conducting and transcribing interviews
- Strong communication, organization and teamworking skills

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- since 2018 Freelance work as an editor and writer while studying Physics (BA)
at the Humboldt University of Berlin
- 2015–2018 Jewish Museum Berlin, Digital and Publishing
- 2015–2017 dpa-infocom GmbH, Berlin, RegioLine
- 2013–2014 Teaching Assistant at the University of Illinois at Chicago's Department of Germanic Studies, USA
- 2012–2013 Board Member: Supporters of student newspaper *UnAufgefordert*
- 2012 Editor-in-chief: *UnAufgefordert*, The Humboldt University of Berlin's student newspaper

ACHIEVEMENTS: MOST NOTABLE, BUT NOT LIMITED TO

- Responsible for managing editorial staff of a student newspaper, researching, writing and editing
- Editing, formatting, finalizing, fact-checking and publishing of regional news for a news agency
- Fundraising and co-organizing a research trip to Turkey in order to report on how students deal with growing limitations of freedom of assembly and press
- Researching, coordinating and writing as well as editing of German and English print and online publications for a cultural institution
- Co-organizing a congress about future challenges for journalists and raising funds for student workshops
- Contributing to an interactive online platform that documents and visualizes research about Jewish life in Germany
- Professional translating from English into German
- Co-teaching of a university class on GDR dissident playwright Heiner Müller, with a collectively organized conference as a final project
- Excited to learn and passionate about freedom of press, information and the usage of technology
- Highly interested in data-driven journalism, investigative research and cross-format journalism