Olivia Jerram

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Education

University of California, Berkeley – Aug. 2016-May 2020 Major: Astrophysics (College of Letters & Science)

GPA: 3.064

Experience

SCIENCE COMMUNICATIONS INTERN, ROTHFELS LAB, UC BERKELEY - JAN. 2020-PRESENT

Write articles summarizing recent research and achievements by members of the Rothfels Lab for the group's <u>website</u>. Publicize topics in plant phylogeny and genetics for the general public.

THE DAILY CALIFORNIAN, BERKELEY, CA - AUG. 2016-PRESENT

Managing editor (Summer 2019)

Oversaw all written content produced by editorial departments at the publication. Led budget meetings to organize upcoming stories three times per day. Organized four print issues on special topics related to the city and the university. Assisted the news team in rapidly editing and publishing crime briefs.

Editorial Board member (Spring 2019)

Discussed the publication's biweekly editorial topic and position. Conducted interviews with campus and city officials on local and national issues. Wrote endorsements for student government offices.

Arts & Entertainment editor (Fall 2018)

Organized and edited arts content, set up event coverage and hired new staff. Published content daily on the publication's website using WordPress. Developed a Culture and Diversity beat to cover underrepresented groups. Created a weekly newsletter to promote local arts and culture events.

Arts & Entertainment reporter (Fall 2016-Fall 2019)

Reported on artistic and cultural events in the San Francisco Bay Area, including reviews, think-pieces and individual profiles. Served as a beat reporter focusing on music (summer 2017) and the LGBTQ+ community (fall 2019). Wrote a weekly column on personal connections to art (fall 2018).

Employment

MUSEUM FACILITATOR, LAWRENCE HALL OF SCIENCE, BERKELEY, CA - MAY 2017-PRESENT

Write, edit and caption video content for The Lawrence at Home during the museum's closure due to COVID-19. Communicate science concepts to visitors of all ages by interpreting exhibits. Present shows on biology topics using live animal "ambassadors."

Skills

Team leadership, interviewing, technical writing, editing, Python, HTML, GitHub, Microsoft Office, Adobe InDesign, G Suite, WordPress, SEO, proficient in writing and reading French