



PETER JURICH

SCIENCE & STORYTELLING

PERSONAL STATEMENT

I am a dynamic writer and storyteller who focuses mostly on environmental and medical reporting. I am committed to socially responsible journalism and stories told through the lens of human rights and equity.

WRITING & COMMUNICATION EXPERIENCE

Science Writer

Waisman Center | Sept 2019 - present

Produce developmental and neurodegenerative disorder-related content for website, social media, and newsletters

Lecturer

University of Wisconsin-Madison | Sept 2018 - August 2019

Three semesters teaching a freshman-level communication course focusing on writing research papers and public speaking

Research Assistant

University of Wisconsin-Extension | May 2018 - present

Collect qualitative data on Americans who practice the Buddhist ritual of life release and connect that practice to larger environmental impacts (publication forthcoming)

Freelance Writer

Various publications | July 2008 - present

Clients include: the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources; the Isthmus, Madison's alt-weekly; Writer's Digest; and Red Madison

EDUCATIONAL HISTORY

MS in Life Sciences Communication

University of Wisconsin-Madison | May 2019

BA in Journalism

Wayne State University | Dec 2009

WordPress Certificate of Completion

University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point | July 2020

Personal Finance Certificate of Completion

University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point | July 2020

HTML/CSS Certificate of Completion

University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point | (forthcoming)

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SKILLS SUMMARY

- Writing & Editing
- Photography
- Videography
- Social Media
- WordPress
- G-Suite; Microsoft 365
- Public Speaking
- Illustration
- Graphic design
- Data collection & analysis

AWARDS RECEIVED



Grand Prize Winner, Best Article
Planet Forward Storyfest (2019)



Honored Instructor Award
UW-Madison (2018)



Finalist, Best Article
Planet Forward Storyfest (2018)