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PREVIOUS WORK EXPERIENCE

Fall 2023 Newsgathering Intern, CNN Los Angeles

Oct - Dec 2023

Los Angeles, CA

- Participate in frontline news reporting and gathering as intern for CNN's Los Angeles bureau. Assist producers and reporters with interviews, research, and logistics for breaking news.
- Pitch story ideas and research local issues impacting California and the Western region. Write news alerts and contribute to coverage for CNN's TV and digital platforms.
- Gain firsthand experience in news decision making processes and content production. Collaborate with diverse editorial staff on stories for CNN's linear and digital channels. Develop reporting and writing skills while working among world-class journalists.

Digital Managing Editor, Daily Trojan

May 2023 - present

Los Angeles, CA

- Rework award-winning daily university newspaper's digital presence — curate social media, redesign dailytrojan.com website, expand multimedia content (photos, videos, podcasts, TikTok/Reels)
- Found and lead first-ever magazine for the newspaper, released monthly; pitch, approve, edit, place, post and promote longer-form investigative/opinion/culture-related articles, both online and in print
- Oversee Social, Online, Photo, Video, Podcast sections

News Assignments Editor (Jan-May 2023)

- Write, pitch, assign, and edit headlining articles for award-winning daily university newspaper, covering urgent, relevant issues on campus to a diverse student audience (circulation 10,000+)
- Assign 20+ stories weekly for 40+ staff writers, including pitches relevant to USC, as well as national breaking news. Also write news stories as needed.

Previous positions: Assistant News Editor (Aug-Dec 2022), Columnist (Aug 2022-May 2023), Staff Writer (Jun-Aug 2022)

Facilities Student Worker, USC Libraries

Nov 2021 - Sep 2023

Los Angeles, CA

- Field 20-30 tickets regarding campus maintenance weekly, delegated responsibilities to 10 departments
- Engage with clients across all sectors of Libraries department to satisfy personal/business needs and facilitate necessary logistics

SKILLS

- News reporting and writing, editorial judgment, digital content strategy, leadership, collaboration, multimedia production, communication
- Technical: WordPress, Adobe InDesign, Adobe Premiere Pro, Microsoft Office (advanced), Google Suite, Python, HTML/CSS, JavaScript
- Languages: English (fluent), Korean (fluent), Spanish (intermediate reading, writing)

EDUCATION

University of Southern California (USC)

Bachelor of Arts, Applied and Computational Mathematics

May 2025

GPA: 3.56