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● experience

News Assistant | Law360 and Portfolio Media
Researched and pitched story ideas for law-news website with business focus. Analyzed court and government documents for news value. Corresponded with readers and sources. Maintained conference and event calendars.

September 2014 – Present

Dow Jones News Fund Intern | The Virginian-Pilot
Copy edited content for daily newspaper. Checked stories for AP style, punctuation, spelling and accuracy. Wrote headlines. Edited breaking news stories and photo galleries on PilotOnline.com. Attended weeklong training in newspaper editing and design.

June 2014 – August 2014

Various Positions | The Independent Florida Alligator
From January to May 2014, served as freelance editor. Screened and edited content for nation's largest student-run newspaper. Wrote and copy edited stories as needed. From August 2012 to December 2013, served as copy desk chief. Hired and led desk of 10 copy editors in checking for AP style and accuracy. Prepared stories for production using Adobe InCopy. Wrote headlines and photograph captions.

October 2011 – May 2014

Editorial Intern | Tower Publications
Wrote and photographed feature stories for quarterly Our Town and monthly Senior Times family of magazines. Assisted with copy editing of stories and proofing of final product.

January 2014 – May 2014

Collegiate Correspondent | USA Today College
Pitched and wrote stories for online college section. Covered topics of national scope for student audience. Had several articles published on main USA Today site.

September 2013 – December 2013

Entertainment/ Lifestyle Reporting Intern | U-T San Diego
Covered general print and online assignments for entertainment, lifestyle and business desks. Wrote several centerpiece stories. Published articles, photos, video and multimedia pieces to Web.

June 2013 – August 2013

Various Positions | The Samuel P. Harn Museum of Art
From January to May 2013, served as curatorial photography intern. Assisted with exhibition planning and installation. Helped manage collection and catalogue acquisitions. From August to December 2012, worked as family programs assistant. Planned activities for children and families. Researched exhibits and artwork to create gallery guides.

August 2012 – May 2013

● education

Bachelor of Science, summa cum laude
University of Florida | Gainesville, Florida
Major: Journalism
Minors: History and Art History

May 2014

Semester Abroad, European Studies
Freie Universität Berlin | Berlin, Germany

January 2012 – April 2012

● references

Michael Rocha, Entertainment Topic Editor | U-T San Diego
Michael Price, Process Improvement Director | U-T San Diego
Laura Michalski, Asst. Copy Desk Chief | The Virginian-Pilot

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