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● experience

Dow Jones News Fund Intern | The Virginian-Pilot

Copy edited content for daily newspaper. Checked stories for AP style, punctuation, spelling and factual accuracy. Headlined articles. Attended weeklong training in newspaper editing and design issues.

} June 2014 – Present

Freelance Editor | The Independent Florida Alligator

Acted as recruiter for nation's largest student-run daily newspaper with circulation of 35,000. Edited content and coached freelancers to improve submissions. 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.

} January 2014 – 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.

} 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 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

Curatorial Photography Intern | Samuel P. Harn Museum of Art

Assisted with exhibition planning and installation. Helped manage collection and catalogue new acquisitions. From August 2012 to December 2012, worked as family programs assistant. Planned and prepared activities for art programs for children and families. Researched exhibits and artworks to create gallery guides and project sheets for programming.

} January 2013 – May 2013

Reporting Intern | The Gainesville Sun

Covered local stories for daily newspaper. Found sources, conducted interviews and wrote pieces for multiple sections: features, local news and entertainment.

} May 2012 – August 2012

● 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

McKenna Grant, Editor-in-Chief | USA TODAY College

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