SEAN McGOEY

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EXPERIENCE

News Editor • VPM News
June 2024 – present (Assistant Digital News Editor, June 2024 – June 2025)
- Assigning, editing and producing multiplatform (web/radio/video) news stories
- Data visualization and editing for longer-term investigations

Data Journalist • 1point21 Interactive
July 2023 – June 2024
- Researched and wrote data-focused blog posts with infographics and other data visualizations for legal clients

Data Reporter • Richmond Times-Dispatch
January 2022 – June 2023
- Enterprise and breaking news stories for state capital daily newspaper
- Designed infographics and data visualizations
- Responsible for 11 new digital subscriptions in first month after shift in newsroom metrics

Roy W. Howard Editorial Fellow • International Consortium of Investigative Journalists
January – December 2021
- Part of the reporting and data analysis team for the Pandora Papers investigation, reporting on offshore holdings of global politicians and famous figures from sports and entertainment
- Hosted, produced, and edited "Meet the Investigators" podcast

Data/Graphics Reporter • Capital News Service
September – December 2020
- Data analysis and infographic design for stories from student newsroom covering U.S. Capitol and Maryland State House
- Covered 2020 presidential election using real-time and historic election data

Data Reporter/Graphics Designer • Howard Center for Investigative Journalism
June – August 2020
- Built web scrapers to download eviction data from county courts for multi-school investigative reporting project on COVID-19's effect on evictions and homelessness
- Wrote R scripts to analyze data and find racial disparities in evictions
- Created infographics and laid stories out for web presentation

EDUCATION

- **University of Maryland, College Park:** M.J., Multiplatform Journalism (2020)
- **University of Virginia:** B.A., Economics (2014)

AWARDS

- **RTDNA Regional Murrow Awards:** Digital, Radio – Small Market (2025)
- **Virginia Press Association:** 1st Place, Data Journalism (2022 and 2023); 2nd Place, Education Writing (2022)

SKILLS

Audio recording: Adobe Audition • **Data analysis:** Some R, advanced Excel • **Data visualization:** Adobe Illustrator, Carto, Datawrapper, Felt, Flourish, QGIS • **Reporting/writing:** AP style, copy editing, data reporting, fact checking, FOIA/public records requests