SAURABH DATAR

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JOURNALISM EXPERIENCE

Data and Graphics Journalist, Boston Globe, Boston, 02/18 - present

- Work with reporters, editors, and photographers to craft and build innovative graphics and visuals
- Scrape and analyze data for investigative and narrative projects, including Spotlight (globe.com/seeingred)
- Report data-driven stories on newsworthy topics, and help other reporters with data cleaning and analysis
- Write code to automate newsroom tasks and help build large databases for projects

Data Journalist, Atlanta Journal-Constitution, Atlanta, 07/16 – 01/18

- Analyzed public data, conducted interviews, and reported visual stories on the 2016 U.S. presidential elections, immigration, health care, and economy in metro Atlanta and Georgia
- Helped build digital presentation for the 'Doctors and Sex Abuse' investigation and created report cards for how each state protects victims of sexual abuse by doctors (ajc.com/doctors)

Reporter, Peninsula Press at Stanford University, 09/15 - 06/16

- Filed records requests and reported on rent control legislation in the Bay Area, and the eviction crisis in San Francisco; bylines in San Jose Mercury News and San Francisco Chronicle
- Wrote stories on changing immigration policies for foreign students and campaign donors in the Bay Area

Senior Copy Editor, Mid-day (a leading English tabloid), Mumbai, 09/13 – 07/15

- Rewrote, edited, and fact-checked stories and designed news pages
- Reported feature stories on India's 2014 national elections, the gold scavengers of Mumbai, and others

Staff Writer, Just Another Magazine, Mumbai, 06/09 – 06/10

Wrote on urban issues, education, technology and startups for a premier youth magazine

OTHER WRITING EXPERIENCE

Senior Copywriter, 93.5 Red FM, Mumbai, 09/12 – 08/13

Wrote and produced radio campaigns for various clients of India's biggest radio network

Copywriter, Ogilvy & Mather, Mumbai, 07/10 – 09/12

• Wrote print, TV, radio and digital campaigns for Unilever, Mattel Toys and Godrej Properties

SKILLS

- Writing/software: AP style, MS Office, Quark Xpress, Photoshop, Illustrator, Final Cut Pro
- Data analysis/visualization: JavaScript, Python, R, SQL, D3.js, Leaflet, Mapbox, Regl, Pandas, QGIS

EDUCATION

Stanford University, M.A. Journalism with focus on data and multimedia storytelling, 09/15 – 06/16 Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology, Nagpur, B. S. in Electronics Engineering, 07/05 – 05/09

SELECT HONORS AND AWARDS

'Changing Cape', "The Valedictorians Project' (Boston Globe), and 'Doctors and Sex Abuse' (Atlanta Journal-Constitution) were Pulitzer Prize finalists. Other awards include OJA Knight Award for Public Service, IRE and Phillip Meyer awards, and the Atlanta Press Club News Innovation award.