TAYLOR GOLDENSTEIN

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EXPERIENCE

CHICAGO TRIBUNE • CHICAGOTRIBUNE.COM • CHICAGO, IL

Chicago's largest newspaper and one of largest in nation

Metro intern | March 2014 - present

Cover general assignments on topics ranging from crime to state politics

NIEMAN FOUNDATION FOR JOURNALISM AT HARVARD NIEMAN.HARVARD.EDU • CAMBRIDGE. MA

Oldest and best-known study program for journalists in world

Visiting Fellow | Jan. 2014 - March 2014

- Developed website to connect college journalists with peers and professionals
- Project selected out of more than 200 proposals

THE ARIZONA REPUBLIC • AZCENTRAL.COM • PHOENIX, AZ

Daily metro newspaper and one of largest in nation

Pulliam Fellow | June 2013 - Aug. 2013

- Covered small business beat and took general assignments
- 91-year-old weightlifter story picked up by USA Today, AP, HuffPo, Drudge Report

DAILY HERALD • DAILYHERALD.COM • ARLINGTON HTS., IL

Third-largest newspaper in Illinois focused on suburban coverage

Editorial Intern | May 2012 - Aug. 2012

• Filed at least one article a day on a multi-city beat plus general assignments

CHICAGO READER • CHICAGOREADER.COM • CHICAGO, IL

Alt-weekly known for Chicago politics and culture coverage

Editorial Intern | May 2011 - Aug. 2011

- Wrote feature pieces, including tongue-in-cheek "How To" articles, and blogged
- Fact-checked articles and listings and organized data for Best of Chicago 2011

PIONEER PRESS • PIONEERLOCAL.COM • GLENVIEW. IL

Chicago Sun-Times' news source for Chicagoland suburbs

Editorial Intern | May 2011 - Aug. 2011

Reported on local news and sports

THE DAILY ILLINI • DAILYILLINI.COM • CHAMPAIGN. IL

University of Illinois independent student newspaper

News Editor | March 2012 - March 2013

Managed 30-40 reporters and edited content for print, online and radio

Assistant News Editor | March 2011 - March 2012

City Beat Reporter | Sept. 2010 - March 2011

EDUCATION

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

B.S. News-Editorial Journalism (Minor: Spanish), December 2013

SKILLS

LANGUAGES

- English (native)
- Spanish (advanced)
- Hebrew (read/write)

MULTIMEDIA

Photography and video graphy (including proficiency in shooting/editing on iPhone)

SOCIAL MEDIA

• Facebook, Flickr, FourSquare, Google+, Instagram, LinkedIn, Pinterest, Sound-cloud, TumbIr, Twitter, Vine, YouTube

SOFTWARE

Adobe programs, including Audition, Flash, InDesign, Illustrator and Photoshop,
Audacity, Final Cut Pro, iMovie, Logic Express and Microsoft Office

WEB

- Content Management: Wordpress, Drupal, Gryphon, BLOX
- Page markup: HTML and CSS
- Coding: Basic PHP, Actionscript, Wordpress templating

AWARDS

- Four-year President's Award recipient from UIUC
- Wilkey Scholarship recipient from UI College of Media
- Charles Sotir Scholarship recipient from UI College of Media
- Marian and Brody Creative Feature Article Award from UI Journalism Dept.
- Illinois College Press Association Award in news story category
- Class project campuscrime.net: SPJ's national Mark of Excellence for best online news reporting by a four-year college or university

AFFILIATIONS

- Investigative Reporters and Editors
- Society of Professional Journalists