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EXPERIENCE Communications, Television News Reporter, Multi-skilled Journalist

KGW News Channel 8 Regional, TEGNA Inc. NBC Affiliate

1501 SW Jefferson St.Portland OR 97201. Nov. 27th. 2023 - Nov.1st. 2024

- Delivered on-air news reports engagingly and accurately.
- Developed news sources for general assignments and special areas of interest.
- Shot, wrote, and edited content for air as a multi-skilled journalist.
- Posted daily on all digital platforms and social media.
- Presented live reports on deadlines in a fast-paced workplace.

WICS ABC News Channel 20/WRSP/WICD/KHQA, Sinclair Broadcast Group, Springfield, IL, Mar 2020 - Feb.2022

- Covered breaking news at the Illinois State Capitol and Springfield City Council.
- Captured live political and social protests, including George Floyd and Black Lives Matter.
- Pitched, wrote, and shot news stories; created video packages with news deadlines; captured live shots; filmed/edited interviews; reported live and in-studio.
- Promoted to morning/lead reporter for a 3-hour newscast with live shots every 15 minutes.
- Generated leads by building connections with local community leaders, city council members, public figures, business organizations, and unions.
- Posted content on all social media platforms daily.
- Met daily deadlines, followed up on beat sources and leads for stories; uploaded content such as news stories, reports, photos, and videos.
- Worked with chroma key and teleprompter for package intros and outs.

Talk show Co-host, Music Correspondent, Tape/audio/camera Crew MemberTUTV Temple University Television Digital Cable TV Station, Jul. 2014- May 2018Philadelphia Neighborhoods, Temple Update, Temple Now, A Broader View, The Vibe @Temple hip-hop culture/music television show.Award 2019 College Emmy Awards Nominee.

Social Media Contributor, TV Reporter Intern, Radio Intern

FOX 29 WTXF-TV Phil, PA The Q, Good Day, Creative Services Spring 2018

- Scheduled and confirmed bookings for the studio audience, assisted guests and studio audience during the taping; promoted the show(s) on social media.
- Assisted with the daily show set-up and promotional shoots; worked on non-linear and regular video editing of promos; attended staff meetings to discuss the show content.

WURD Radio Morning Show, Philadelphia, PA Jan. - May 2017

- On-air and social media show contributor; posted *Top 5 Live* stories for production.
- Contacted prospective guests and searched for breaking news stories.

Newspaper Staff Writer

The Japan Times, Culture Division, Tokyo, Japan May- Jul. 2015

- Pitched story ideas, gathered images, and wrote arts and culture articles; researched digital archives and compiled stories for a monthly historical news feature.
- Uploaded, proofed, and edited articles on Trello boards for the paper; wrote about Japanese music videos in weekly stories for publication in print, online, and weekend newspapers; one of my stories went viral on the internet.
- Conducted interviews in the field for feature stories in the newspaper.

EDUCATION

Temple University, Klein College of Media and Communication, Philadelphia, PA, USA Major - Journalism, Minor - Political Science Graduated - May 10, 2018