

MEDIA EXPERIENCE

- Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

Milwaukee, WI Summer 2017

MJS is the leading newspaper for Milw., and 5-time Pulitzer Prize winning paper. My duties:

- Pitched and wrote feature stories and stories with a social media audience in mind
- Posted on social media
- Responded to breaking news

- Milwaukee Business Journal intern

Milwaukee, WI Sept. 2015- May 2016

MBJ is a leading business news source for the seven-county region surrounding Milw. My duties:

- Researched and wrote long form stories on diversity and other special topics for our weekly print
- Covered breaking business news for our web edition
- Researched large scale projects in the area for our interactive map

- D.C. Bureau for the German Press Agency (DPA International) intern

Washington, D.C. Summer 2015

DPA is the world's 4th largest newswire, with offices & audiences around the world. My duties:

- Covered and wrote features on historic events such as major Supreme Court rulings and the reopening of the Cuban Embassy
- Reported breaking news to an international audience

- WisPolitics intern

Madison, WI Jan.- May 2014, Sept. 2014- May 2015

WisPolitics is the premiere news source for the WI state legislature. My duties:

- Reported on legislative committee meetings, public hearings, budget hearings, Governor Walker's state of the state address
- Updated their website in HTML coding

- The Waukesha Freeman intern

Waukesha, WI Summer 2014

The W.F. is the leading newspaper for Waukesha Co., Wisconsin's third largest county. My duties:

- Wrote articles daily in 10-20" length

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SKILLS

- Reporting skills: Breaking news, feature reporting, interviewing, AP Style, editing, open records
- Multimedia skills: Audio reporting, HTML, WordPress, photo journalism, video editing, broadcast equipment, Microsoft Excel, interactive graphs
- Social media: Experience posting on Twitter, Facebook and Instagram for internships, SEO optimization

AWARDS

Milwaukee Press Club:

- Silver award for best news story single or ongoing in audio. [See here](#)
- Bronze award in best local news or feature story in writing. [See here](#)

Chicago/ Midwest Emmy:

- NATAS Student Achievement Award

REFERENCES

- Joe Starrs, Director of Institute on Political Journalism
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EDUCATION

University of Wisconsin- Milwaukee

Milwaukee, WI Sept. 2013- Dec. 2017

Majors: Journalism and Political Science

INVOLVEMENTS:

- UWM Post:

- Editor-in-chief during the 2014- 2015 school year. During that time I revamped our website to include space for ads and doubled our page views by tripling our content.

- Came up with story ideas for reporters and edited their material

- Reported on stories including state and national politicians on campus, UW system budget cuts, campus protests, student government, and more

- PantherVision:

- Reported and narrated three packages on budgeting and building repairs at UW-Milwaukee

- Worked as videographer for three packages on reporter's story choice

- Hosted a newscast. [See here](#)

- Journalism Club at UWM:

- Served as President 2015- 2016

- Attended SPJ Midwest Conferences and created other networking opportunities for students

- Broadcast Club at UWM

- Conducted a live interview with a state rep. about UWM budget cuts

- Operated studio production equipment

- Sailing team at UWM

- Served as social media and PR coordinator

- Participated in regattas and practiced with the team weekly in spring and fall

The Fund for American Studies: Summer 2015

Institute on Political Journalism

Washington, D.C. Summer 2015

- Took 6 credits on press, politics and economics at George Mason University

- Attended weekly seminars & tours on D.C. press, political thought & current issues

- Served as UWM campus ambassador