

CHELSEA GOHD

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EDUCATION

Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey
The School of Environmental and Biological Sciences
New Brunswick, NJ I Graduated May 2014

Major: Public Health // *Minor:* Biological Sciences
Certificate: Public Health Preparedness
Degree: Bachelor of Science

EXPERIENCE

Space.com

New York, NY May 2018-Present
Position: Contributor / Summer Intern

- Cover breaking science and space news
- Make complex space-science topics accessible for a diverse audience
- Report live from events like rocket launches
- Interview scientists and people of interest for featured pieces

Futurism

New York, NY January 2017-March 2018
Position: Writer / Associate Editor

- Create content about breaking science and technology news
- Edit content for clarity, style, format, and technical issues
- Interview scientists and people of interest for featured pieces

Freelance Science Writer

New York, NY 2013-Present
Published In: Scientific American, Space.com, Live Science, Jungles in Paris, Futurism, Outer Places, All That is Interesting, Imaginative Science, AMNH Microbe Mondays blog, The Daily Targum, Roaring Earth

- Create and edit pieces on topics ranging from wildlife conservation technology to breaking discoveries in astrophysics
- Improve public understanding of often intimidating scientific material
- Interview industry professionals, scientists, and report live from events.

American Museum of Natural History

New York, NY July 2015 – August 2016
Position: Exhibitions Assistant / Teaching Assistant – Exhibits ‘Spiders Alive!’ and ‘The Secret World Inside You’

- Improve public understanding of both arachnid biology and microbiology through 15-20-minute lectures on these topics for a public audience of up to 5 million diverse patrons per year
- Managed care of the live arachnids in ‘Spiders Alive’
- Teaching assistant for an after-hours microbe master class

SKILLS

Certifications: IRB, ICS, HIPPA, FEMA
Extensive experience with all social media platforms.
Very Proficient with WordPress, Microsoft Word/Excel/PPT/Office, Research Experience, Data collection and analysis, Basic Spanish
Experience with Javascript, Caisis, CRDB, Photoshop, GIMP, Basic web design

OTHER INTERESTS

- Member of WINS (Women in Natural Sciences) with the AMNH
- Music performer (guitar/singing), songwriter, and manager of independent rock band
- Avid distance runner, completed multiple marathons
- Volunteer Art Director for non-profit organization ‘Juggling Life’