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EDUCATION

Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania B.A. in Journalism - 2022 B.A. in Political Science - 2022 Cumulative GPA: 4.0

AWARDS

Student Keystone Media Awards: Personality Profile, Second Place Klein College of Media and Communication Top Scholar: 2019-2022

Dean's List: all semesters

SKILLS

R

Git

Python

JavaScript

HTML/CSS

Datawrapper

PACER

LexisNexis

Adobe Creative Suite

Microsoft Office Suite

WordPress

AP Style

EXPERIENCE

PUBLICSOURCE: HEALTH REPORTER

JUNE 2022 - PRESENT, PITTSBURGH

- Report enterprise stories about gun violence, homelessness and mental health in Allegheny County.
- Lead staff's creation of data visuals using JavaScript and Datawrapper
- Regularly file records requests, scrape databases and access court databases to assist in reporting
- Intern from Aug. 2021 through Dec. 2021. Freelance reporter from Jan. 2022 through May 2022

THE TINY NEWS COLLECTIVE: TECHNOLOGY INTERN

JUNE 2021 - JUNE 2022, REMOTE

- Use JavaScript and Python to help develop a content management system for participants in the Tiny News Collective's programs
- Provide technological and editorial assistance to community leaders creating news organizations in news deserts

TEMPLE UNIVERSITY DATA DESK: DATA JOURNALIST

DEC. 2020 - MAY 2022, PHILADELPHIA

- Use web scraping techniques in R and Python to acquire data and maintain libraries about state politicians, campaigns and lobbyists
- Analyze data libraries and summarize findings for state news outlets

WHYY: NEWSROOM INTERN

JAN. 2022 - APRIL 2022, PHILADELPHIA

- Developed newsroom's first gun violence prevention beat, including reporting breaking news and investigative stories
- Used R and Python to create and maintain a library of firearm-related data

NEWS CATALYST: EDITORIAL FELLOW

FEB. 2021 - JUNE 2022, REMOTE

- Write case reports about product experiments in newsrooms across Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Washington
- Create documentation guiding newsrooms in using digital tools for fundraising, web development and audience engagement

THE TEMPLE NEWS: DIGITAL MANAGING EDITOR

JUNE 2021 - MAY 2022, PHILADELPHIA

 News Editor from June 2020 through May 2021. Freelance reporter from Aug. 2018 through May 2020.

PROJECTS

THE TEMPLE NEWS' DASHBOARDS

Created the first dashboards for Temple University's newspaper, which tracked crime and COVID-19 cases and vaccines. To produce the dashboards, I scraped university and city databases using R and Python, and visualized data using JavaScript and Flourish.

PARTNERSHIP WITH RESOLVE PHILLY

Headed four student newsrooms' collaborative efforts to report about poverty and gun violence over the course of two years, including editing all print and audio stories. The stories became the first student contributions to Resolve Philly's Broke in Philly partnership, which includes 20+ professional partner outlets.