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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts in Journalism
American University
December 2017

Minor in Literature
Graduated Cum Laude

SKILLS

- Languages: English (Fluent), Arabic (Fluent)
- Digital: Capture photos, create galleries, shoot & edit video, Adobe Premiere (Basic)
- Social Media: Hootsuite, Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, Snapchat
- Research Databases: LexisNexis, ProQuest, EBSCO

BYLINES

The Associated Press, The Jersey Journal, NJ.com, Politico, HuffPost, Afro News

EXPERIENCE

May 2019 - Present | Chicago, Illinois

The Associated Press | News Associate

- Report/ write news articles covering AP's central region and beyond
- Supervise the editorial desk, edit news and delegate assignments
- Work on breaking news to verify and secure user-generated content

August 2018 - May 2019 | Secaucus, New Jersey

The Jersey Journal | Reporter, Editorial Intern

- Covered breaking news, elections and education
- Crafted enterprise stories about the opioid crisis and local races
- Developed sources and conducted bilingual interviews(English/ Arabic)

May - June 2018 | Arlington, Virginia

POLITICO Journalism Institute | Fellow

- Participated in an intensive 10-day reporting training program
- Produced a story about North Dakota voter ID law's impact on the 2018 Senate race

September 2017 - July 2018 | Washington, D.C.

Afro News | Freelance Reporter, News Intern

- Scored my first scoop about Howard University's financial troubles
- Led coverage on education, unemployment, homelessness and local politics in D.C.

June - August 2016 | New York, New York

Voice of America | Multimedia Intern

- Co-produced multimedia language diversity project in Queens, N.Y.
- Worked on man-on-the-street story projects