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MULTIMEDIA JOURNALIST

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HI ! GET TO KNOW ME A LITTLE MORE!

An aspiring, self-motivated storyteller seeks a position in journalism or editorial and is also open to new opportunities. Coming with media experience of more than 2 years, bringing excellent verbal and written communication skills, and the ability to operate various cameras to shoot and deliver compelling stories, in contributing top-notch content to the company's website or print and various social media platforms.

KEY ASPECTS



WRITING



EDITORIAL



VIDEO/PHOTO
STORIES



RESEARCH

2021

SUB-EDITOR

The Tribal Box | Bangalore (On Contract)

- October 2020 - Current
- Handled the editorial
- Wrote news stories and edited other stories
- Took editorial calls and story interviews

2020

LEAD NEWS WRITER – JOURNALIST

NewsLions | Bangalore

- January 2020 - October 2020
- Sourced breaking news
- Generated stories on current affairs and wrote provocative articles

2019

FREELANCE JOURNALIST

The Wire.in | Bangalore

- Feb 2019 - Current
- Wrote factually correct, concise and engaging news stories within tight deadlines

2019

FREELANCE WRITER

OpIndia | Bangalore

- Apr 2019 - Dec 2019
- Wrote provocative articles, carefully fact-checking each in order to provide clear and consistent stories

2019

DOCUMENTARIAN & FIELD COORDINATOR

- VIVO IPL - DNA Networks | Bangalore
- Mar 2019-May 2019
- Documented stories behind IPL 2019

2018

DOCUMENTARY SUPERVISOR & PROJECT COORDINATOR

Budding And Creative | Bangalore

- Mar 2018 - Dec 2019
- Researched Stories on required topics
- Conducted Interviews for various clients involved with the project

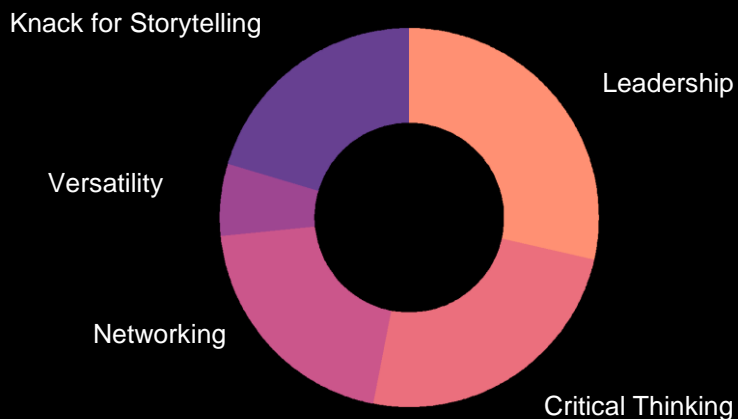
SOFTWARE SKILLS



JOURNALISM SKILLS



SOFT SKILLS



2017

FREELANCE STORYTELLER

- Jan 2017-Current
- Shortlisted Photo/Travel Journalist at National Geographic India
- 3 Editor's Favourite at National Geographic USA for Photo-Journalistic Assignments
- Commended by Ben McKechnie, BBC Travel, for Travel Assignment

ASSIGNMENTS CURATED FOR CLIENTS

- Weird Love - The Butterflies of LGBTQ (on assignment for Queer groups in Bangalore)
- Singing Haven - Potuas of West Bengal (Calcutta University Diploma Project)

INDEPENDENT ASSIGNMENTS CURATED:

- Last of the Weavers in Varanasi - The Fading Tradition
- Life and Death - Death Hostel in Varanasi
- All about Her - Comprehensive thoughts on Love
- Finding Durga- In Flesh and Thoughts

ASSIGNMENTS ONGOING

- Born in Exile - Tibetan Refugees of Karnataka
- Devadasis - Those Lost Women