

EDUCATION

Howard University | Washington, D.C. Graduation: May 2025 Honors B.A., Journalism & Political Science
Minor GPA: **3.77/4.0**

SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS

Howard University Rookie of the Year (A), Howard University HUSA Dreamers Award(A), AT&T Rising Future Maker class of 2023(A), Chevrolet Discover the Unexpected Fellow (A), and Online News Association HBCU fellow(A)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Business Manager | [The Hilltop Newspaper](#) | August 2025-Present

As the Business Manager for The Hilltop Newspaper since August 2025, I have been responsible for overseeing all finances and ensuring the publication's fiscal health. I've spearheaded creating innovative campaigns to engage companies at Howard University, driving significant ad revenue and sponsorship deals. I generated over **\$25,000 a semester through these efforts**, significantly boosting the newspaper's financial stability. In addition to these responsibilities, I manage administrative tasks and regularly brief the Howard University Board of Directors on our financial performance and strategic initiatives.

Reporting Fellow | [Pulitzer Center](#) | December 2024- Present

Through the Pulitzer Center, I am writing a comprehensive piece on the mental health challenges Black teachers faced during the Trump administration. This project delves into the intersection of race, politics, and education, shedding light on the unique stressors these educators endured. To provide an in-depth perspective, I will be traveling to three states to conduct interviews with teachers and administrators, capturing their experiences and exploring the systemic factors impacting their well-being.

Congressional Reporting Intern | [Boston Globe](#) | December 2024- Present

I Cover federal legislative developments, attend press briefings, interview lawmakers, and produce clear, engaging articles on complex policy issues. Develop investigative reporting skills, deepen understanding of the legislative process, and deliver accurate, impactful stories under tight deadlines.

Communications Specialist | [NASA](#) | September 2023- December 2024

As a NASA Communications Specialist since September 2023, I've shaped messaging for the [2040 campaign](#), managed Internal leadership SharePoint systems, and created a comprehensive internal workforce and DEI communications plan. I draft press releases for the Artemis mission and develop social media content for [NASA Artemis](#) and [NASA Intern](#) page to boost engagement. One campaign reached 100k on the African American social media platform, leading to over 2,000 HBCU student applications.

Communications Intern | [United Talent Agency- Klutch Sports](#) | May 2023 – August 2023

Worked on NFL client communications, managing media strategy and outreach for high-profile NFL players. Assisted in preparing communications materials for NFL events and endorsements, collaborated with internal teams to manage client communications across platforms, and supported media engagement by coordinating interview opportunities for key NFL clients.

Politics Freelancer | [The Guardian](#) | November 202- Present

As a freelance journalist for The Guardian, I specialize in covering the politics section with a focus on election reporting. My work provides in-depth analysis of electoral strategies, policy implications, and voter engagement trends, particularly within marginalized communities.

Politics Freelancer | Essence magazine | May 2024 - Present

As a freelance writer, I conducted in-depth interviews, researched extensively, and developed unique story angles. My work spans politics, student protests, and beauty, focusing on bringing fresh perspectives to these topics. Some of my top articles include "Beyond The Ballot: The Politics Of Black Hair," "How Gen Z Athletes Are Redefining Sports," and "Riot Pens: Diving Into The Complexities Of HBCU Activism." Through these pieces, I explore the intersection of identity, activism, and culture, engaging a broad audience with compelling narratives.

Freelancer | Washingtonian | September 2022-Present

I have conducted interviews, performed thorough research, and developed unique angles for stories covering politicians and Black-owned designers. I have written about prominent figures and brands, including the article "DC-Based Hanifa Is Launching a Bridal Collection." My piece, "The Twisty Story of DC's African Braiding Center," ranked among the top 23 stories of the year reaching **400,00 people**. I also had the opportunity to interview Congresswoman Frederica Wilson for "Frederica Wilson Explains Her Distinctive Style," where I explored her iconic fashion choices and political influence.

Editorial Intern | Forbes | April 2024- August 2024

As an editorial intern at Forbes, I covered various topics, including personal finance, the economy, policy, education, and financial markets, contributing to the Money & Market team. I wrote two high-impact cover stories: "[Colleges Comply with Anti-DEI Mandates and Firings ... And Finesse](#)," garnered **11,000 reads**, and "[Why Applications to Historically Black Colleges are Surging](#)," which attracted **63,000**. Additionally, I contributed to writing stories for the prestigious [Forbes 50 over 50](#) lists, enhancing its content and reach.

Variety Reporter | The Hilltop | September 2021- May 2024

Conducted in-depth research and crafted compelling angles for interviews with notable figures such as Tracee Ellis Ross, Yara Shahidi, Anthony Anderson, Jenifer Lewis, Gabrielle Union, Tanya Burke, and Rev. Jesse Jackson. Reported on a diverse array of stories impacting the Howard University community, covering topics including fashion, music, entertainment, and politics, while ensuring relevance and resonance with the audience.

Internal Communications Intern | General Motors | May 2023- August 2023

Worked in the CEO's office, focusing on internal communications for General Motors leadership. Gathered and wrote social media comments for Rory Harvey, supported people meetings and earnings reports, and planned the Mary Barra 2024 Intern Super Slice event. Authored various Chevy Yammer comments, supported product reveals, including the Traverse IC Plan, Earth Cruiser, Barbie X Hot Wheels collection breaking employee engagement with 100k impressions, [Escalade IQ Big Boy collaboration](#).

Communications Intern | Senator Raphael Warnock | Jan 2023- May 2023

Revamped social media planning, including initiating the Women's History Campaign for the Senator's Twitter. Created daily content for all social media platforms, wrote speeches, and conducted briefings for Senate meetings. Additionally, I transcribed press interviews and managed scheduling to support effective communication and public engagements.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Mentorship Coordinator for the College of Arts and Sciences 2021-2022, Mentorship Coordinator for School of Communications 2022-2023, Community Service Chair for Revolt Incorporated 2022-2023, Rise for Hunger Volunteer 2022-present, Life Church DMV Volunteer 2023-present, Howard University Food Drive Volunteer 2022-2024, Immerse Church of Ocala Media Volunteer 2020-present, Washington D.C. School system volunteer 2023-present, NASA STEM engagement volunteer 2023- present, Capitol Hill tour Volunteer 2022-2024, Capital City Chamber of Commerce Volunteer

2020-2024.