

KEELY BASTOW

JOURNALIST

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EDUCATION

- American University** 2021 - 2022
Masters in Journalism
- University of Toronto** 2017 - 2021
Bachelors in Political Science; Psychology; Women and Gender Studies

EMPLOYMENT

- Axios, Copy Editor** July 2022 - Current
• Copy edit five morning newsletters daily to add breaking news, correct grammar and style and fact-check.
• Created and update copy editor guidelines, and train new hires.
- Washingtonian Magazine, Reporting Fellow, Washington, D.C.** Aug. 2022 - June 2023
• Reported on local and national news daily for both web and print articles.
• Fact-checked the print issue.
- The Capitol Forum, Reporting Intern, Washington, D.C.** May 2022 - Aug. 2022
• Researched and reported on antitrust and corporate investigations, including ongoing Department of Justice lawsuits and a multi-state investigation into lease-to-own companies.
- Climate Tech Marketing, Copy Writer, Remote** Feb. 2022 - Aug. 2022
• Developed communication strategies for climate-friendly firms, including website and social media copy writing for dozens of posts.
- UPS Public Affairs, Legislative Assistant, Washington, D.C.** May 2021 - Aug. 2021
• Produced internal and external facing documents in collaboration with lobbyists for use on Capitol Hill.
• Developed a comprehensive six-month social media strategy for the UPS Women Exporters Program.

PROJECTS

- A year after Afghanistan withdrawal, resettlement agencies struggle to meet refugees' needs Spring 2022 - Summer 2022
My capstone reporting project from my Masters program at American University's School of Communication.

SKILLS

Reporting , Researching , Editorial , Newsroom, Copy Editing , Copy Writing , Social Media , AP Style , Teamwork , Communication