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EDUCATION

Washington and Lee University – Lexington, VA

Expected May 2026

Major: Journalism, *Minors:* Education Policy & Digital Culture and Information

Honors: Landon B. Lane Scholar, the most prestigious award in the Department of Journalism

Study Abroad Experience: selected to study in Italy in May 2025 to examine global citizenship education

Lord Botetourt High School – Daleville, VA

May 2022

WORK EXPERIENCE

Washington and Lee University: Duchossois Tennis Center Receptionist

2022-present

Orchard Hills Day School: Social Media Manager, Administrative Assistant, Kitchen Manager, Assistant Teacher

2018-2023

JOURNALISM EXPERIENCE

WDBJ7 News Intern

June 2025-Aug. 2025

- Write scripts, create graphics, and produce live broadcasts

The Scout Guide Roanoke Intern

June 2025-Aug. 2025

- Write the business editorial to encourage the community to support local businesses

Rockbridge Report

News Anchor

Jan. 2026-April 2026

- Anchor a live broadcast and weekly news updates, presenting local and national stories to viewers

Producer

Jan. 2025-December 2025

- Produce a weekly live broadcast on local cable and manage the report's website and social media

Education Reporter

Sept. 2024-Dec. 2024

- Produced multimedia packages and web stories for a weekly live broadcast on local cable

On-Air Weather Anchor

Jan. 2023-April 2023

- Created weather graphics, and filmed live shots, live news updates, and weekly weather segments

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Co-Editor-in-Chief and CEO

June 2024-present

- Lead the independent student newspaper's team of 12 editors, 6 staff writers, and nearly 40 contributors
- Helped lead the organization's incorporation to achieve full financial and editorial independence

Staff Writer

2023-2024

- Pitched, reported, and wrote stories for every biweekly edition, covering admissions and administration

Roanoke Times News Intern

June 2024-Aug. 2024

- Covered a variety of news and feature stories, including in-depth reports on Roanoke's water supply and the region's opioid crisis

ACTIVITIES/CLUBS

W&L's Chapter, Society of Professional Journalists President

2025-2026

W&L's Chapter, Society of Professional Journalists Events Chair

2024-2025

Omicron Delta Kappa, Alpha Circle Member

2026

Chi Omega Xi Lambda Director of Member Experience

2025

Chi Omega Xi Lambda Director of Sisterhood

2024

First-Year Orientation Committee Tour Guide

2023-2025

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Rockbridge Church Youth Leader and Social Media Manager

2023-present

Lake Champion YoungLife Camp Volunteer

June 2022, June 2023

SKILLS

- Proficient in ENPS, iNews, WordPress, Adobe Premiere Pro, Audition, Illustrator, InDesign, and Photoshop