IACQUELYN BURRER

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EDUCATION

Texas State University

San Marcos. Texas

Bachelor of Arts in history and Bachelor of Science in journalism

2021 - 2025

Minors in journalism and history with a concentration in Chinese and Latin American studies.

SKILLS

Languages: English, Chinese (intermediate proficiency), Latin (beginner proficiency)

Analysis and Visualization Tools: Tableau, Microsoft Excel, Open Refine, HTML, Adobe Premiere, Adobe Audition

Reporting: Investigative research, legal reporting, public records, data-driven stories, historical research

EXPERIENCE

Texas State University Writing Center

San Marcos, Texas

Special Project Facilitator, Writing Consultant, Social Media Committee

2023 - Current

- Help students develop their writing abilities across all disciplines and skill levels.
- Teach workshops to classes of 20-100 students on academic writing and style guides.
- Implement CRLA writing strategies and foster student belonging to help increase retention in student writers.

The University Star

San Marcos, Texas

News Reporter, Life and Arts Contributor

2023 - Current

- Cover the local politics and business beat with a focus on investigative and data-driven stories.
- Utilize and develop a local network of sources within the Texas State and San Marcos community.

Associated Press Elections Division

San Marcos, Texas

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2022 - Current

Reported Hays County data for the 2022 midterm election and the 2024 primary and general election.

The Fund for American Studies

Washington, D.C.

Journalism & Communications Program Advisor, Journalism & Communications Intern

2024, 2023

Served as an advisor to journalism and communications interns by managing internship placements and program participation, providing professional advice and skill development and fostering belonging for students.

The Well News Washington, D.C. 2023 - 2024Journalism Intern

- Covered the legal beat, including U.S. Supreme Court cases and other national legal stories.
- Executed interviews with experts and witnesses, providing first-hand accounts of stories on-the-ground.

HONORS AND AWARDS

Dean's List Texas State University	2021 – 2024
Hearst Endowed Scholarship Recipient Texas State University	2024 – 2025
Founder's Scholarship Recipient Headliners Foundation	2024 – 2025
Liberal Arts Award for Academic Excellence Recipient Texas State University	2022 – 2023
Second Place Opinion Story of the Year National Scholastic Press Association	2022
ORGANIZATIONS	

Honors College	2021 – Current
Texas State University	

Society of Professional Journalists

2022 - Current

Texas State University

Texas State IDEA Center	2024 – Current
Investigative Journalists and Editors	2023 – 2024
Phi Alpha Delta	2023 – 2024