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EDUCATION

University of Florida, College of Journalism and Communications — Gainesville, FL
Bachelor of Science, Journalism — May 2027
University of Florida, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences — Gainesville, FL
Bachelor of Arts, International Studies — May 2027
GPA: 3.51/4.00

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

Languages: Spanish (native), English (native), French (intermediate)
Software: Adobe Creative Cloud: Premiere Pro, Photoshop, InDesign, Illustrator
Certification: CLIP Certified Speaker

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

WESH 2/CW 18 — Winter Park, FL
Reporter Intern — *May 2026 – Present*
- Built strong communication with people I interviewed through understanding and empowerment
- Multitasked efficiently with heavy workloads across reporting, production, and team support tasks
- Demonstrated a flexible, dependable, and team-oriented work ethic

WUFT News — Gainesville, FL
Broadcast News Anchor — *January 2026 - Present*
- Delivered live and recorded broadcasts, turning complex stories into concise, audience-focused scripts
- Collaborated in fast-paced newsroom environments, coordinating with to meet tight deadlines and breaking-news demands
- Developed strong editorial judgment and adaptability, responding in real time to evolving news coverage

WUFT News — Gainesville, FL
Reporter — *August - December 2025*
- Reported on 8 Gainesville community stories, producing on-air packages highlighting local issues
- Worked in front of the cameras as well as behind with a partner to plan shots, conduct interviews, and strengthen communication
- Edited video and wrote scripts using Adobe Premiere Pro and Creative Cloud tools in a collaborative newsroom setting

The Independent Florida Alligator — Gainesville, FL
Reporter — *May - August 2025*
- Reported on 7 Gainesville community stories, producing human-centered coverage with public impact beyond campus
- Strengthened communication skills by engaging diverse sources and fostering trust with readers and subjects
- Participated in weekly editorial meetings to pitch stories and refine writing through collaborative feedback and revisions

General Consulate of Argentina — Miami, FL
Intern — *July 2022*
- Reported directly to one of the consuls and provided in-person customer service by assisting individuals with processing requests and distributing passports and IDs efficiently
- Maintained accurate electronic records, ensuring all documentation was up-to-date and properly archived for easy access
- Enhanced and maintained the physical passport and ID filing system by implementing a more structured organization method, improving workflow and retrieval efficiency

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Venezuelan Student Association (VENSA) — Gainesville, FL
VP of Marketing (Executive Board) — *September 2025 - Present*
- Developed and led the club's brand identity to highlight Venezuelan culture and community engagement
- Designed promotional materials and social media to strengthen visibility and membership outreach
- Collaborated with the executive board to organize cultural events and enhance campus presence

Venezuelan Student Association (VENSA) — Gainesville, FL
Director of Community Service — *January 2025 – May 2025*
- Actively participated in cultural events to showcase and promote Venezuelan traditions to the UF student body
- Engaged with students of diverse backgrounds to foster cross-cultural understanding and appreciation of Venezuelan heritage
- Built a supportive community for Venezuelan students by organizing events that celebrate shared cultural identities

Navigators International — Gainesville, FL
Mentor — *July 2024 – December 2024*
- Provided guidance to international students to navigate academic requirements, cultural differences, and campus resources
- Assisted students in adjusting to life in a new country by connecting them with relevant support services
- Fostered a welcoming environment by planning community-building activities