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NCTJ qualified with 3 years experience .

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Experience

October 2025 - Current **MultiMedia Journalist, The National, Glasgow**

- I currently work as a MultiMedia Journalist for The National. This role requires me to produce both written and video packages for audiences.
- This role has also required me to produce and edit videos for social media, ensuring they are engaging across a range of platforms. I have experience making content with adobe premier pro and canva.

May 2025 - Current. **Life and Culture Editor, The New Feminist, Remote**

- I currently write articles for 'The New Feminist' focusing on identity, LGBTQIA+ and online culture.
- I have developed my editorial skills, working as editor for the life and culture section. I have also written long form feature articles and gained experience in SEO optimisation.

Oct 2024 - Dec 2024 **Work Experience, The Press and Journal, Aberdeen**

- During my time at The Press and Journal I had the chance to develop my own article ideas, conduct interviews and write for print and online.
- This was my first experience in a newsroom, and it was a massive achievement to pitch, interview, write and edit all my own work.
- The experience built my confidence as a journalist massively, and developed my interview skills.

Aug 2022 - June 2025 **Head Editor for Features Section and Deputy for Opine Section, The Gaudie Student Newspaper, Aberdeen**

- After writing articles for The Gaudie during my first three years of university (2022-2024), in my fourth year I interviewed and gained the positions of Head Editor for Features Section and Deputy for Opine Section.
- This role required delivering original content meaning I developed my research and investigation skills.
- This role improved my skills to self edit and check my work thoroughly, which have improved my writing as a journalist.

.Jun 2024 - Aug 2024 **Project Assistant, SHMU, Aberdeen**

- Over the summer of 2024 I interned at SHMU, a third party sector media production organisation.
 - This role gave me insight to the work they do for the local community, using media such as newspapers, podcasts, film and more.
 - In my role, I worked alongside the community development team in helping organise a strategy to celebrate their 21st anniversary; including an event to celebrate their community, special edition newspaper, special edition broadcast and more.
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Education and Qualifications

Aug 2025 - Jan 2026

Post Grad Diploma, NCTJ Qualification, Glasgow Clyde College

- I completed my fast track NCTJ, finishing in January this year. I chose to do this to refine my skills as a journalist and to strengthen my core newsroom skills.
- I covered the core skills, including essential journalism, media law, regulations and ethics and public affairs.

Sept 2021 – July 2025

2:1 MA (Hons) Politics & Anthropology – University of Aberdeen

- I graduated in June of this year, after four years. My time at university developed both my academic skills as well as me as a person, and helped me find my passion for writing.
- I completed my dissertation on an anthropological exploration into the social relatedness of alcohol in Scotland.