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PERSONAL PROFILE

"Find what you are afraid of the most and go live there" words by Chuck Palahniuk, ideally capturing personal approach to my career and opportunities ahead.
Being a dedicated, passionate and fearless person with strong sense of justice, I am prepared to take challenging paths for reporting and revealing the issues that matter.

Working in a multicultural and interdisciplinary environment helped me to gain necessary skills and abilities, which would be a valuable asset to any team, as well as a systematic, fast learning person, capable of working under heavy stress.

My focus is strongly fixed on pursuing career in investigative journalism in war and conflict environment, talking about stories and people who are underreported, and bringing the heavy subjects to discussion table. My personal interests also include developments in cyberwarfare, disinformation, trolling and cyber security.

EDUCATION

JOURNALISM, MEDIA, AND GLOBALIZATION
September 2017 - June 2019

Erasmus Mundus Masters Degree, Aarhus University, Denmark
Specialisation - War and Conflict Studies, Swansea University, UK

ASIAN STUDIES (ARABIC)
September 2013 - June 2017

Bachelor Degree, Vilnius University, Lithuania.
Erasmus+ exchange - Lund University, Sweden

WORK EXPERIENCE

TRAINEE

European Federation of Journalists (EFJ)
June 2018 - September 2018

COMMUNICATIONS COORDINATOR

Vilties Linija - Line of Hope
Freelance
April 2018 - December 2018

COMMUNICATIONS AND PUBLIC RELATIONS COORDINATOR

Geri Norai LT
Freelance - Since June 2016

NATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS MANAGER

SOCIFACTION
December 2016 - April 2017

HONORARY COORDINATING ASSISTANT

Honorary Consulate of India to Lithuania
November 2016 - August 2017

INTERNSHIP
Latin America, Africa, Asia and Pacific Department

Ministry of Foreign Affairs
June 2016 - August 2016

VOLUNTEERING

2017-2018

AASR - AARHUS STUDENTERRADIO

Editor and host of a volunteer podcast "The Old Continent", focused on current social and political affairs across European continent, together with a team of aspiring journalists investigating situations in Italy, Malta, Lithuania, Poland, and Finland.

2017-2018

SOCIAL INITIATIVE "PASIBELSK"

Created full branding, digital and printed design, including website design, social media strategy and development which resulted in creating a community of more than 6,000 followers within 2 months, 10 press releases, 5 interviews with national media.

2014-2016

ERASMUS STUDENTS NETWORK

Developing social media and content strategy to promote mobility, exchange possibilities and the network through creating consistent branding, engaging Social Media communities, creating printed and digital material. Leading the creative team for international committee for inside communication and connecting the students around the Europe.

SKILLS

- Illustrator
- Photoshop
- Writing
- Research
- Facebook Ads
- Social Media
- Premiere
- Google Analytics
- Html & Css

PERSONAL SKILLS

- TIME MANAGEMENT
- TEAMWORK
- FAST LEARNING
- IMMUNE TO STRESS
- CREATIVE
- STAMINA
- SPEED
- COMMUNICATIVE

LANGUAGES

- English
- Arabic
- Russian
- Lithuanian
- Danish