Mike Miller

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Experienced editor and writer seeks senior editor position in North Carolina

<u>Website</u>

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Education

University of Colorado at Boulder, Boulder, Colorado School of Journalism and Mass Communication

BS degree in Journalism: Advertising, Creative Track May 2012

> Minor in Technology, Arts and Media May 2012

<u>Skills</u>

AP Style Copy editing Copywriting CMS publishing Fact-checking Freelancer management Interviewing Journalism Project management Proofreading Quality assurance Search engine optimization Substantive editing Writer coaching

References

Available

Location

Chapel Hill, North Carolina Remote

<u>About</u>

I'm an editor and writer with experience in many content types and industries, including lifestyle, wellness, automotive and home improvement. My 12-year tenure spans SEO-optimized affiliate content, editorial features, blog posts, digital PR articles and ecommerce copy. Recent published work includes USA Today Homefront, Marketwatch Guides and This Old House.

Experience

HOME SOLUTIONS, Raleigh, N.C.

Editor: Jan 2024 – Nov 2024

- Edited commercial and informational articles across home service categories such as home insurance, renters insurance, moving, gutters, pest control and heating/cooling services
- Ensured all articles are factual, clearly written and optimized for SEO
- Recruited and managed freelancers, assigning five story briefs per week across multiple categories
- Edited data journalism pieces for the link-building team and managed the editorial pipeline to hit timely pitching deadlines

Senior Content Writer: Aug 2022 - Dec 2023

- Wrote articles for three media partners, following in-house style guides
- Researched keywords, analyzed competitors and created SEOoptimized article structures
- Regularly conducted expert outreach and interviews
- Performed other primary research, such as consumer surveys and a focus group
- Brainstormed content strategy with the SEO/content team, conducted category research and developed internal resources
- Optimized existing content using data-backed tests

GO FISH DIGITAL, Raleigh, N.C.

Senior Copywriter: Sept 2020 – Jul 2022

- Wrote authoritative content, blog articles, web copy and product descriptions for high-profile clients like Staples, Shane Co. and Chicco
- Performed keyword research and optimized content to rank for target keywords
- Oversaw copywriting of others, assessing work based on tone, structure, grammar, spelling and flow
- Interviewed candidates and led development sessions with new hires
- Designed and maintained copywriting resources, such as style guides, article templates and other internal materials

GOPHER SPORT, Owatonna, Minn. Copywriter: Jul 2017 – Sept 2020

INNOVISION HEALTH MEDIA, INC., Eagan, Minn. Associate Editor: Sept 2015 – Jun 2017

Freelance Work

- GBS Central
- Gopher Sport
- Ultimate Motorcycling
- Return of the Café Racer
- 507 Magazine