ARTHUR DOWELL

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

I am a passionate, deadline-driven, and award-winning journalist who carries a strong background in communications. I have a proven track record of researching, writing, and editing the latest sports content, while building a following that exceeds 70,000. I am innovative and have a creative mindset that motivates me to succeed and grow as a media professional.

SKILLS

- Writing and editing for sports and news
- Social media and website management
- Adobe InDesign, InCopy, and Photoshop
- News judgment and interpersonal communications

EDUCATION

MISERICORDIA UNIVERSITY

Bachelor of Arts in Communications | May 2014 graduate

EXPERIENCE

COPY EDITOR, ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR

The Press Enterprise, Bloomsburg, PA | May 2019 - Present

- Works closely with editorial staff and reporters to thoroughly edit stories for quality, structure, grammar, and punctuation while adhering to Associated Press style guidelines.
- Provides written coverage of high school and collegiate athletics while keeping accurate game statistics and meeting daily deadlines.
- Designs sports sections for daily publication using Adobe InDesign.

ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR

The Lewistown Sentinel, Lewistown, PA | October 2016 - April 2019

- Covered live sporting events at multi-divisional and district levels for high school and collegiate athletics.
- Designed daily sports sections and helped maintain the company's WordPress site and digital presence.
- Edited stories according to Associated Press style guidelines.

SPORTS JOURNALIST

The Press Enterprise, Bloomsburg, PA | October 2014 - October 2016

- Wrote feature stories and game recaps for regional high schools and Bloomsburg University beats.
- Modified copy for daily publication in reference to free agent signings, contract details, scores, etc.
- Developed and preserved positive relationships with area athletic directors, coaches, and trainers