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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts, New York University

Double major: Journalism and Spanish & Linguistics, minor: Animal Studies Coursework: Advanced Reporting, The Beat: Reporting Downtown, Journalistic Inquiry: Multimedia, and Journalism Ethics and First Amendment Law

WORK EXPERIENCE

Varsity Tutors

Tutor

• Teach individual and group sessions about a variety if subjects, including ACT/SAT preparation and Spanish.

Hearst Connecticut Media Group

Local Reporter

- Local Reporter for the Norwalk Hour, a daily newspaper that is a part of the Hearst Connecticut Media network.
- Covered the education beat, plus a variety of other topics as needed.
- Focused on maximizing Search Engine Optimization (SEO) for each story and building a keen eye toward emerging trends.

Patch.com

Content Producer

- The first content producer in lifestyle content for Patch Media's new lifestyle desk.
- Wrote online content ranging from business profiles to seasonal lists, dining content, and real estate depictions.
- Focus stories on many local sites in California, Colorado, Arizona, Georgia, and Ohio.

Schneps Media

Editorial Intern

• Wrote stories in Spanish that related to the audiences of El Correo and La Noticia newspapers.

• Translated news stories relevant to New York's Spanish-speaking community from sister sites.

• Posted and livestreamed on their social media accounts.

Idktonight

Editorial Intern

• Wrote and edited content for the website and the new app, Cobble.

Cleveland Magazine

Editorial Intern

- Conducted interviews for and wrote articles focused on Cleveland lifestyle and culture for online and print publication in the July and August issues.
- Completed rigorous fact-checking for articles.

Sentient Media *Writer/Fellow*

- Independently sourced and produced three original animal-rights focused pieces per month.
- Wrote about the importance of supporting animal rescue organizations to empower change.

[Class of 2021]

[Sep 2022 - Feb 2023]

[2022-Present]

[March - July 2022]

[September 2019 - January 2020]

[September 2020 - January 2021]

[May - July 2019]

[January – June 2019]

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HerCulture

Blog Writer

• Covered issues relevant to college-age women, including why society should value journalists amid layoffs.

Cooper Squared

Contributor

• Reported and wrote an article about the need for change and regulation of the emotional support animal system to benefit those who need it and stop people from abusing it.

Washington Square News

Culture Editor [January 2019 – June 2019]

- Managed, assigned and edited stories for four deputies and staff of 20 writers.
- Wrote article concerning the likelihood of a ban on fur sales in NYC.

Deputy Copy Chief and Staff Writer, Culture Desk [2018 – 2019]

- Oversaw copyediting staff and reviewed and corrected written material to improve accuracy.
- Pitched content for the Culture section and attended on-campus and off-campus events.
- Gathered source material and interviewed students, professors and expert sources.

Copy Editor [2017 - 2018]

• Fact checked and proof read articles to ensure they adhered to the paper's AP style guidelines.

SKILLS

Languages Spanish Styles AP, MLA Computer Excel, Word, Google Drive, WordPress Photo/Video DSLR cameras, Premiere Social Media Twitter, Instagram, Snapchat, Facebook

[January – June 2019]

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