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## EXPERIENCE

### **Covering Poverty — Writer, Contributor**

Sept 2023 - Present

Covering Poverty is a newsroom within the Cox Institute Journalism Writing Lab at UGA. Six journalism students including myself partner with other publications like the AJC and Oglethorpe Echo to write stories and post about our experiences reporting on topics like poverty, disability and mental health to the CP site to be a resource for other writers.

### **Reporting and Writing — Student, Writer**

Jan 2023 - May 2023

This is the first journalism writing course at Grady College. Throughout the semester, I have learned how to write many different types of stories, had practice with AP Style and covered a beat in a group of four.

### **Grady Newsource — Volunteer**

August 2022 - PRESENT

Grady Newsource is the broadcast show produced at UGA's Grady College of Journalism and Mass Communication. Students can join the team to gain quality reporting experience both on and off camera. I've helped behind the scenes in the newsroom several times.

### **HerCampus, UGA — Writer/Contributor**

August 2022 - PRESENT

HerCampus is an on-campus media organization geared toward college-aged women. I write articles about pop culture, political issues, baking, wellness, etc.

## EDUCATION

### **University of Georgia, Athens, GA — Grady College of Journalism and Mass Communication**

August 2021 - PRESENT

Expected graduation: Fall 2024

B.A. Journalism, minor in Theatre, Public Affairs Professionals Certificate in Communications. 3.8 GPA.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

AP Style

Adobe Illustrator, InDesign

Social Media

WordPress

Google Workspace

DSLR Camera

Microsoft Office

Canva

Procreate

## SELECT NOTEABLE COURSES

Information Gathering  
(JOUR 3090)

Digital Design  
(JOUR 3380)

Introduction to Public Affairs  
Communications  
(ADPR 3360)

Stage Management  
(THEA 5110)

Reporting and Writing  
(JOUR 3190)

## CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT

Women in Media

UGA Theatre

Delta Phi Epsilon

Thalian Blackfrairs

Extra Special People

Dawg Camp

