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EDUCATION

The University of Georgia

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Bachelor of Journalism and Mass Communication

News Literacy Certification

EXPERIENCE

Assistant Guides Editor, Red and Black; 2024 -

- Design and execute cover photos for trimonthly guides and brochures that service a medium-sized city
- Research and write articles for 40-page guides
- Present and complete story and photo ideas for various stories

Assistant Photography Editor, Red and Black; 2024 - 2024

- Managed contributors on weekly assignments
- Researched and executed photo galleries and stories
- Interviewed and gathered information from community members
- Photograph 1-3 events and portraits on a weekly basis and publish on newspaper website
- Attended and presented stories to weekly digital budget meetings

Photo Contributor, Red and Black; 2023- 2024

- Photograph 3-4 events and portraits on a weekly basis ranging from protests to community events
- Wrote clear and concise captions for all photographs
- Researched, pitched and executed photo galleries and stories to editor
- Interviewed and gathered information from community members
- Assessed and adapted to various situations in a timely manner

Freelance Photography Work – 2018-present

- Photographed and marketed a ballroom performance group for their main show “Ballroom Magic”
- Designed website to present photography work throughout freelance career
- Experienced in utilizing Adobe products such as Photoshop and Lightroom
- Photographed for Canton and Woodstock Family Life Magazine
- Private photographer for local bands in a community
- Photographed for the Atlanta Journal-Constitution and developed visuals for their podcast “Politically Georgia”

SKILLS

AP Stylebook • Videography and Photography with Canon • Editorial and News Writing •
Newsletter Creation • Data Aggregation • Internal and External Communication • Adobe
Photoshop/Lightroom/Premiere Pro • Excel • Google Sheets

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