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EXPERIENCE

The Texas Tribune

Photo Fellow

Austin, TX

June 2022 – Present

- Cover breaking and general news, features, and politics in Central Texas
- Build connections with Texans for long-term stories, such as the Uvalde mass shooting and abortion rights
- Learn how to edit commissioned stories, research photos on wires, and create digital builds

Freelance Photographer

Nov. 2019 – Present

- Photograph news, feature, and sports stories for editorial clients, with main experience in Philadelphia
- Meet strict deadlines, filing images on the ground using FTP and including IPTC metadata
- Clients include The Washington Post, AFP, and Alamy Live News

The Daily Pennsylvanian

Photo Editor

Philadelphia, PA

Jan. 2021 – Dec. 2021

Other positions: News Photo Editor, Summer Multimedia Editor, Staff Photographer

Sept. 2019 – May 2022

- Managed all digital and print photo content produced for news, opinion, and sports sections
- Co-led and trained multimedia department staff of ~60 photographers, videographers, and internal editors
- Coordinated daily and long-term coverage with editorial editors and designers
- Photographed news and sports coverage, incl. 2020 Black Lives Matter protests, election, and Penn Relays

University of Pennsylvania Office of Sustainability

Photographer

Philadelphia, PA

March 2021 – May 2022

- Photographed campus sustainability initiatives and events for annual reports and social media

Social Space Magazine

Editorial Team Leader – Global Student Committee

Singapore (remote)

April 2020 – Feb. 2021

- Led U.S. team of 3; ensured deadlines were met, generated article ideas about social innovation
- Collaborated with Singapore and U.S. social media and video teams on conscious consumption campaign

The Public's Radio

Mosaic Podcast Intern

Providence, RI

Jan. 2019 – June 2019

- Researched southern New England immigration history and assisted interviews for Season 1, Episodes 1-6

DISTINCTIONS

NPPF Sony's Photojournalism Scholarship recipient

February 2022

NPPA Mentorship Program student mentee

October 2021 – September 2022

College Photographer of the Year, General News – Award of Excellence

October 2021

College Media Association Pinnacle Awards, Breaking News – 3rd Place

October 2021

Eddie Adams Workshop XXXIV student participant

October 2021

- Jim Dietz Scholarship recipient (award given at conclusion of workshop)

AAJA/Getty Images Inclusion Scholarship recipient

June 2021

Lenfest Institute Next Generation Fund recipient

May 2021

Essential Work 2020: A Community Portrait Exhibition

March 2021 – July 2021

- Photos exhibited in the James A. Michener Art Museum

EDUCATION

University of Pennsylvania

B.A. in Communication with a minor in Journalistic Writing

Philadelphia, PA

Aug. 2019 – May 2022

Honors: *Summa cum laude* and the Carolyn Marvin Award for Free Speech and Assembly

SKILLS AND ACTIVITIES

Skills: Photo Mechanic, Adobe Creative Suite, Nikon, Canon, and Sony systems, AP style captions, and reporting

Memberships: AAJA, Diversify Photo Up Next, NPPA, and SPJ

Languages: Mandarin (elementary) and American Sign Language (basic)