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JOURNALISM EXPERIENCE

The Texas Tribune

JAN. 2017 - PRESENT

NEWSLETTERS FELLOW

- Covering the 85th Texas Legislature, focusing on union dues and convention of states legislation
- Writing for The Tribune's water and health newsletters

The Daily Texan

AUG. 2016 - DEC. 2017

SENIOR INVESTIGATIVE REPORTER

- Focused on election coverage and student polling data for the university's student newspaper

The Washington Examiner

SUMMER 2016

REPORTING INTERN

- Reported on national politics and public policies

"Tower Talks" – Texas Student Television

AUG. 2015 - MAY 2016

CREATOR, HOST AND EXECUTIVE PRODUCER

- Created UT-Austin's first political talk show focused on politics at local, statewide and national levels

Texas Tribune Festival

OCT. 2015

INTERVIEWER

- Hosted a live-stream interview with national political advisor Mark McKinnon

Breitbart Texas

SUMMER 2015

CONTRIBUTING REPORTER

- Covered university and state happenings

"KVR News" – Texas Student Television

AUG. 2014 - MAY 2016

ANCHOR, PRODUCER AND REPORTER

- Pitched, filmed and edited stories for UT-Austin's student-run, FCC-licensed news station

OTHER EXPERIENCE

Center for Politics and Governance, UT-Austin

FALL 2016

FELLOW

- Met with public policy experts and strategists

3 Point Partners

FALL 2015 - SPRING 2016, FALL 2016 - PRESENT

COMMUNICATIONS INTERN

- Managed press relations for corporate clients, including Pope Francis' 2016 visit to the U.S.-Mexico border

Texas Speaker of The House Joe Straus III

JUNE 2014 - JUNE 2015

POLICY INTERN

- Organized meetings, tracked bills and communicated with constituents during the 84th Texas Legislature

SKILLS

EDUCATION

EDITING: Final Cut Pro, Adobe Photoshop, Audacity
FILMING: Canon Vixia, Canon Rebel, and Sony HDV

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN
BACHELOR OF JOURNALISM - MAY 2017