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WORK

Digital and Multimedia Director — Wisconsin Center for Investigative Journalism

Current

- Director of visual content and strategy for WCIJ
- Create original multimedia and reporting which is distributed to more than 300 media partners statewide
- Manage digital assets for the organization
- Train student and professional journalists in visual literacy

Senior Photo Editor — National Geographic

2013 - 2015

- Interviewed, wrote and produced the PROOF blog, featuring Nat. Geo. and freelance photographers
- Produced original multimedia features for National Geographic website

Picture and Multimedia Editor — NPR.org

2007 - 2013

- Implemented the visual and multimedia strategy for NPR.org
- Worked with NPR reporters, editors, photographers and designers to produce visual stories
- Coordinated logistics, contracts and invoicing with international photo agencies and freelancers
- Liaised with the NPR legal and administrative teams
- Advised User Experience team on the construction of CMS-based photo and gallery tools
- Implemented digital asset management system with related taxonomy and workflow
- Wrote for The Picture Show and The Baby Project blogs

Vice President — Women Photojournalists of Washington

2008 - 2009

- Held a leadership role in a women's photojournalism group with hundreds of members in Washington D.C.
- Helped organize mentorship, exhibition, and support opportunities for female photographers in D.C.

Photo and Multimedia Editor — USATODAY.com

2004 - 2007

- Produced multimedia projects with photos, audios, videos and graphics
- Assisted with photo quality and acted as online photo coach for USATODAY.com staff
- Shot photos and gathered audio for news and feature stories for the newspaper and website

Photo Editor — washingtonpost.com

2003 - 2004

- Edited wire and staff photos for picture essays and daily news on website

Photo Editing Intern — The White House

2003

- Edited photo essays for The White House website
- Organized and edited photos for release to major media organizations
- Edited images for weekly photo book shown directly to President George W. Bush

Student Coordinator - Missouri Photo Workshop, Fulton, Missouri

2002

- Graduate student coordinator for professional, weeklong photojournalism workshop

Assistant Book Editor - Missouri Photo Workshop; Kearney, Mo.

2001

- Assisted with editing, design and layout of the print version of the MPW 2001 photo book

Photographer and Journalist — Trident Communications

1999 - 2002

- Photographed portrait and documentary assignments for corporate magazines and websites
- Wrote business articles for international corporate publications

SKILLS

Multimedia production; videography, photography and photo editing; photo desk management; project management, audio recording and editing; interviewing and reporting; writing and blogging; layout and design; social media; teaching, training and coaching in principles of photography and multimedia.

SOFTWARE

Proficient with Photoshop, PhotoMechanic, Premiere, Final Cut Pro, Merlin and other digital archive systems, Canon digital camera systems, various audio recording and editing systems, WordPress blogging software.

EDUCATION

2003 Photojournalism MA — University of Missouri; with honors

1997 Journalism & English BAs — University of Wisconsin, Madison

1995 - 1996 Goldsmiths Arts College — University of London, England

TEACHING

2018 Guest lecturer for various University of Wisconsin Journalism classes

2018 Band Coach and Manager for Girls Rock Camp, Madison

2017 Panelist at IRE conference on "Digital Options with Limited Resources"

2016 Taught workshops to professional and student journalists in Madison and Milwaukee

2015 Multimedia Coach, Syracuse Fall Workshop, Syracuse, NY

2013 Multimedia Teacher, Maine Media Workshops, Rockport, Maine

2012 Speaker, NPPA Flying Short Course, Washington, D.C.

2011 Multimedia Coach, Syracuse Fall Workshop, Syracuse, NY

2010 Multimedia Coach, Syracuse Fall Workshop, Syracuse, NY

2009 Multimedia Coach, NPPA Multimedia Immersion; Las Vegas, Nev.

2007 Multimedia Producer, Eddie Adams Workshop; Jeffersonville, NY

2007 Speaker, NPPA Flying Short Course, Washington, D.C.

2000 Student Assistant, Stan Kalish Picture Editing Workshop; Milwaukee, Wis.

2000 Teaching Assistant, Principles of American Journalism; University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo.

1999 Student Assistant, Missouri Photo Workshop; West Plains, Mo.

LEARNING

2018 ASNE Emerging Leaders Institute

2017 Poynter Drone Journalism Workshop

- 2017 Double Exposure Investigative Film Festival and Symposium
- 2017 IRE Conference
- 2016 CAR data bootcamp, University of Missouri
- 2016 IRE Conference
- 2009 Leadership training, NPR
- 2008 Platypus Video Workshop, Maine Media Workshops, Rockport, Maine
- 2005 Missouri Photo Workshop; Marshall, Mo.
- 2003 Stan Kalish Picture Editing Workshop; Milwaukee, Wis.

AWARDS

- 2018 Regional Edward R. Murrow award for news documentary production
- 2018 Golden Gavel Award from the State Bar of Wisconsin
- 2018 Milwaukee Press Club Awards for photography, writing and multi-platform reporting
- 2017 Milwaukee Press Club Awards for multi-platform reporting and investigative reporting
- 2015 Webby's – Best Use of Photography on the Web – National Geographic Proof blog
- 2014 WHNPA – Award of Excellence, Linear Storytelling – NPR
- 2012 WHNPA – 3rd place, Multimedia Package – NPR
- 2011 Gracie Award – For multimedia affiliated with an audio feature story – NPR
- 2011 POYi – 2nd place, Multimedia– NPR
- 2011 WHNPA – 1st place, Multimedia – NPR
- 2011 WHNPA – 2nd place, Narrative Slideshow – NPR
- 2011 EPPY - Honorable Mention, Best Enterprise/Investigative Video - NPR
- 2011 National Academy of Arts and Sciences - Nominated for an Emmy for Multimedia Production - NPR
- 2010 WHNPA – 2nd place, Narrative Slideshow – NPR
- 2010 Murrow Award – For multimedia affiliated with an audio story; hard news category - NPR
- 2009 Dupont Award – For multimedia affiliated with coverage of race and the 2008 vote - NPR
- 2009 WHNPA – 1st place, Narrative Slideshow – NPR
- 2008 WHNPA – 2nd place, Narrative Slideshow – NPR
- 2008 WHNPA – 3rd place, Narrative Slideshow – NPR
- 2007 WHNPA – 1st place, Sports Video – NPR
- 2007 WHNPA – 2nd place, Narrative Slideshow – NPR
- 2007 WHNPA – 3rd place, Narrative Slideshow – NPR
- 2006 POYi – 1st place, Editing Division/Interactive - USATODAY.com
- 2006 POYi – 2nd place, Multimedia Story or Essay – USATODAY.com
- 2006 NPPA Best of Photojournalism, Honorable Mention, Best Multimedia Package – USATODAY.com
- 2006 NPPA Best of Photojournalism, 3rd place, Best Sports Picture Story – USATODAY.com