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Education

Princeton University (current)

Bachelor of Arts in Computer Science
Minor in Journalism

September 2022 – May 2026

Princeton, NJ

Relevant Coursework

JRN 280 - Literature of Fact with Joshua Prager
JRN 449 - International News: Migration Reporting with Deborah Amos
JRN 450 - Audio Journalism with Rund Abdelfatah

Experience

Midstory

June 2024 – August 2024

Writing and Research Intern

Toledo, Ohio

- Completed five stories over the course of a ten week internship in addition to extensive research on historical building re-use in Ohio for a special project celebrating the bicentennial of the United States.
- Completed additional side projects for use in social media, newsletters, and pitched over 20 stories.
- Worked in a remote setting on various teams to collaborate on the production process.

Pensacola MESS Hall

May 2023 – August 2023

Outreach Education Assistant

Pensacola, Florida

- Served as an educator, imparting knowledge in science, technology, engineering, and math to a diverse range of children and adults.
- Crafted and refined curriculum for academic programs, incorporating insights from summer experiences for effective implementation throughout the school year.
- Created engaging social media content to promote the internship program on Instagram Reels, utilizing skills in video filming and editing.

Extracurricular

The Daily Princetonian

September 2022 – Present

Head Podcast Editor, News Staff Writer

- Write, edit, and produce daily short-form and weekly long-form podcast and print content, tailored for the Princeton community.
- Lead and supervise a team of around 30 student journalists, coordinating multiple concurrent projects, ensuring our content comes out with regularity and a quality we are proud of.
- Oversee training for student journalists in audio production, including equipment operation and proficiency in Adobe Audition.

Featured Projects

The Mystery of the Midwest Jell-O Salad | *Text*

August 2024

- Interviewed multiple historians to write a clear and fact based historical story.
- Integrated contemporary ideas to broaden the appeal of the piece and expand the readers understanding of where the history of Jell-O salad fits into the larger cultural narrative of the Midwest.

Princeton High School students walk out in support of ‘Gaza Solidarity Encampment’ | *Text*

May 2024

- Worked on an extremely tight deadline to cover a breaking news story involving a complex campus event.
- Contributed to the Daily Princetonian’s 24 hour coverage of the Gaza Solidarity Encampment protest, including overnight shifts.

Keith Whittington talks academic freedom as he decamps to Yale | *Audio & Text*

October 2023

- Facilitated a face-to-face interview with a distinguished academic, using questions based on research into his body of work.
- Experimented in a mixed audio and text format, producing a standalone Q/A podcast episode, as well as highlights from the interview with analysis.

Additional Skills

Highly Skilled in Descript, Adobe Audition, Photoshop, Premier Pro, Illustrator, Google Workspace and Microsoft Office products.

Extensive experience conducting on-field interviews, adept at ensuring a stable audio environment, and proficient in various recording techniques.

Strong organizational skills, keen attention to detail, and an intrinsic motivation for writing.