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EDUCATION

Howard University

Candidate for Bachelor of Arts in Broadcast Journalism, May 2016
Emma Bowen Foundation Scholar
Cumulative GPA – 3.80
School of Communications Dean's List

University of Cape Town

IES Abroad: Cape Town, South Africa
January 2015- June 2015

SKILLS & QUALIFICATIONS

- Well-honed presentation and communication skills
- Exceptional writing and proofing skills
- Very proficient in Avid iNews software
- Proficient in video editing using Final Cut Pro X software
- Balance of being quick and analytical in decision-making
- Maintain organization in demanding environments
- Proficient in use of latest Microsoft Office Software
- Proficient in using DSLR Cameras
- Strong ability to meet strict deadlines

WORK EXPERIENCE

Sept 2014 – Present

General Assignment News Reporter, Howard University News Service

- Pitch stories and report on everything from campus news to the White House Canada Visit.
- Produce audio and video news content that is broadcasted digitally to the Howard and DC communities.
- Received Hearst Radio News/Features Competition for 2014 Midterm Election Coverage.

June 2012- Present

Broadcast Journalism Summer Fellow, WJBK- FOX 2 News

- Writes and field produces news packages, VO-SOTs, and VOs on a weekly basis for the morning newscast.
- Publishes and uploads stories onto the FOX 2 News website using digital content management software.
- Writes and edits PSAs, ensuring grammatical and syntax efficiency before airing on FOX 2.

August 2014- Dec 2014

Special Projects & News Intern, WTTG- FOX 5 News

- Researched and produced, and planned shoots for the Investigative Unit.
- Transcribed video and wrote copy that aired on the evening news.
- Interviewed and scripted for stories, while adhering to a daily deadline.

Sept 2013- Dec 2013

On- Air Radio Personality, WHBC 96.3 HD3

- Cohosted *The Cypher* radio show weekly.
- Worked the audio soundboards and controls to ensure smooth technical management.
- Solicited diverse perspectives and considered the input of other to ensure well-rounded show content.

August 2012- June 2014

Promotions Consultant, WHBC Radio Station

- Promoted WHBC through a plethora of social networks: Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, and Snapchat.
- Planned campus-wide social events using radio as a promotional mechanism.
- Delegated appropriately, allocating resources and tasks as needed.

May 2013

The Internship Movie Premiere, WJBK – FOX 2 News

- Sent to Google Headquarters in California to represent FOX 2 News at *The Internship* movie junket.
- Interviewed the cast of the film, including Vince Vaughn and Owen Wilson.
- Co-produced and co-reported the story on-air.

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Sept 2013 – Present

Film & Television Contributor, Endustry Power Players

- Hosted magazine panel discussion featuring representatives from Billboard, Ebony.com, and Elite D.C.
- Facilitate film and television projects, including short films.

May 2013 – May 2014

Assistant Executive Secretary, Howard University Student Activities

- Record minutes and pivotal information for the Executive Secretary and/or the entire HUSA staff.
- Assist in planning of Howard University school-wide events.
- Enforced specific rules and policies.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Gracie's Award 2016 Judging Volunteer
- Bethel Projects, Cape Town, South Africa
- Egoli Community Center, Cape Town, South Africa