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AWARDS



SPJ 2018 EXCELLENCE IN JOURNALISM— NONDAILY REPORTING, NEWS FEATURE ARTICLE



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EDUCATION

Point Loma Nazarene University B.A., Journalism 2018

SKILLS

Web Design, Social Media Management, Newspaper Layout, Excel Data Analysis, <u>Audio</u> <u>Editing</u>, <u>Video Editing</u>, Multi-Media Reporting

InDesign, Photoshop, Audacity, Adobe Premiere Pro, Wix, Square Space, WordPress, Sound Cloud, Adobe Spark, Excel Spreadsheet, 360 Video, Vee, Vont, Splice

Social Media: Twitter, Facebook, Instagram, Pinterest, Snapchat, LinkedIn

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Society of Professional Journalists (SPJ)
- Association of Writers and Writing Programs
- Our Shared Shelf

INTERESTS

ARTS & CULTURE, COMMUNITY NEWS, FILM, THEATRE, HEALTH & FITNESS, MULTI-CULTURAL CUISINE, TRAVEL, SMALL BUSINESS PROFILES

EXPERIENCE.

SYNDICATE MEDIA GROUP | EDITOR, CONTENT WRITER (DEC. 2018 – PRESENT)

- Write well-researched product review articles for Rave Reviews.
- Manage Syndicate websites, edit articles and oversee writing teams

ISTHMUS NEWSPAPER | **JOURNALIST, PHOTOGRAPHER** (OCT. 2018 -- PRESENT)

- Write and photograph freelance news stories on <u>wildlife predator</u> research studies and features on <u>city-wide veteran artists exhibits</u>.
- Report and photograph on-site for state election victory parties.

THE CAPITAL TIMES | JOURNALIST, PHOTOGRAPHER (OCT. 2018 – PRESENT)

- Write freelance feature food articles on <u>Eastern European desserts</u> and culinary business profiles on local brew pubs' <u>brick oven specialties</u>.
- Photograph farmers market vendors, restaurant chefs and gourmet goods.

FANSIDED / HIDDEN REMOTE | **CONTRIBUTING WRITER** (AUG. 2018 – PRESENT)

- Run recorded interviews with key figures in television such as <u>Ashley Jensen</u>, <u>Sophia Bush</u>, <u>Javicia Leslie</u> and <u>Ty Pennington</u>.
- Write entertainment features on <u>new Japanese animation releases</u>, <u>animal rescue series premiers</u>, conduct on-site reporting at <u>ACE Comic Con</u>.

SD COMMUNITY NEWSPAPER GROUP | **JOURNALIST, PHOTOGRAPHER** (JAN. 2018 – PRESENT)

- Write features on <u>foster care non-profits</u>, <u>city marches for gun control</u>, roller coaster activists, <u>celebrity comedians</u> and <u>Miss Russian pageants</u>.
- Obtain government documents for news stories (<u>local chapel petition</u>).
- Managed social media posts and took narrative photos for story content

MOMENTS WITH MARIANNE RADIO | **EDITOR, CONTENT CREATOR** (MAY 2017– PRESENT)

- Edit and ghostwrite radio's blog posts and seasonal newsletters.
- Interview authors and review hot-topic novels (<u>These Violent Delights</u>).
- Edit books and blog posts for <u>Karen Owen-Lee: The Senior Expert</u>.

SAN DIEGO CITYBEAT MAGAZINE | **JOURNALIST, INTERN** (MAY 2017– APRIL 2018)

- Wrote arts and culture features on <u>diverse food</u>, <u>mixed drinks</u>, <u>San Diego's Comic Con</u> and world-travelling <u>circus performers</u>.
- Photographed for culinary and beverage special-feature articles.

WOMEN'S RUNNING MAGAZINE | **JOURNALIST, INTERN** (MAY – SEPT. 2016)

- Wrote health features on <u>lower leg exercises</u>, profile stories on <u>Title IX</u>
 triathletes and current event web articles on refugee Olympic swimmers.
- Edited layout, fact-checked stories and wrote write-ups on fitness gear.

THE POINT NEWSPAPER | **FEATURES EDITOR, STAFF WRITER** (SEPT. 2015 – MAY 2018)

- Wrote news stories on <u>Nasa's Mars project</u> and <u>Zika virus</u>, <u>Olympic</u> <u>athletes</u>, <u>actor insanity</u>, plus A&E articles on <u>multi-cultural film festivals</u>.
- Took narrative photos, edited articles and fact-checked features content.

REFERENCES

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