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Professional Experience

Executive Producer, KATU.com, Portland, Oregon

August 2011-December 2013 (Web Producer, March 2011-August 2011)

I managed a team of five producers who posted content to the website of KATU News. I also wrote and edited original stories. The website saw steady growth in traffic during my tenure as EP, including several record-setting months.

Special Projects Producer, KATU-TV, Portland, Oregon

August 2010-March 2011

I worked with a team of investigative and consumer reporters to produce broadcast stories. generate story ideas, research topics, conduct interviews and write package scripts. I field produced large breaking news events.

Executive Producer, KVAL-TV, Eugene, Oregon

January 2008-July 2010 (Producer, July 2006-January 2008)

I supervised a team of six producers at Eugene's top-rated television station. I guided investigative reporting and other original content. I started as a line producer working on several shows and was later promoted to executive producer.

Reporter, Tri-County News, Junction City, Oregon

January-July 2006

Reporting Intern, The Statesman, Accra, Ghana

June-August 2004

Education

University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon

2002-2006

BS in Journalism with double emphasis in newspaper and broadcast. Minor in Business Administration. Cumulative GPA: 3.70

Awards and Skills

Professional Awards

- Executive Producer, 2012 Online Spot News coverage, Society of Professional Journalists
- Executive Producer, 2009 Best Newscast, Oregon Associated Press
- Executive Producer, 2009 Best Sports Reporting – “Rose Bowl Bound Special”, Society of Professional Journalists
- Executive Producer, 2008 Overall Excellence Award, Oregon Associated Press
- Producer, 2008 Best Newscast, Oregon Associated Press Producer, 2008 Best Newscast, Oregon Associated Press

Recipient of multiple academic scholarships

- University of Oregon Dean’s Scholarship
- Robert W. Chandler Journalism Scholarship
- Randy Shilts Memorial Journalism Scholarship

Eagle Scout

References

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