

Education - - -

University of Vermont (UVM)

- B.A. Asian Studies / Minor Studio Art

Work Experience - - -

Freelance photographer/videographer (Shanghai, China) Aug. 2012 to present

- Work with corporate, nonprofit and journalistic clients on projects requiring still photography, videography and design work
- Travel around Asia and use Mandarin skills to interview subjects, organize shoots
- Clients include Roots & Shoots, Shanghaiist, Recharge News, More Than Aware, SmartShanghai, Bundshop

Photographer, Burlington Free Press (Burlington, VT) - Sept. 2011 to Aug. 2012

- Provide daily photo/video coverage of breaking, feature, business, arts and environmental news events around Vermont
- Develop multiple photographic essays for new “tall tabloid” form release after redesign
- Maintain relationships with city government, local business and community leaders as employee of Vermont’s largest newspaper

News Intern, Burlington Free Press (Burlington, VT) - June 2011 to Sept. 2011

- Reported local breaking news and wrote enterprise and investigative pieces
- Established relationships with local businesses and city officials
- Provided investigative photo essays of Burlington society

Intern, International Federation of Red Cross (Beijing, China) - Feb. 2011 to June 2011

- Wrote country profiles on Mongolia and China for online publication, assisted with public relations
- One week off-site journalism coverage of earthquake relief efforts in Sichuan Province, China
- Translated and edited documents from Chinese and second-language English into proficient English

Managing Editor, The Vermont Cynic (Burlington, VT) - Dec. 2009 to Jan. 2011

- In October 2011, the Cynic was chosen as a finalist in the 2011 Newspaper Pacemaker contest; two out of five issues submitted for review were created under my direction as managing editor
- Managed a staff of up to 70 writers, editors, page designers, photographers and others on weekly duties including assignments, enterprise brainstorming and editing
- Maintained daily deadlines and work with content editors to produce a weekly 12- to 24-page paper
- Spearheaded social media development and multimedia online production with web team
- Assisted in writing weekly staff editorial, breaking and enterprise stories

Online News Editor / Intern, Minnesota Public Radio (St. Paul, MN) - June 2010 to Aug. 2010

- Converted radio scripts into print-style stories for website
- Copy edited for AP style and rewrote ledes and paragraphs
- Scanned AP news wire for significant regional stories to publish on website
- Answered news phone and managed the newsroom as interim weekend editor
- Provided research and reporting support for stories under radio and web reporters

Applicable experience and relative coursework:

- Knowledge of English language in traditional, MLA and AP styles
- Proficient in Microsoft Office Suite, Photoshop, Final Cut Pro, InDesign, Lightroom, Apple and Microsoft operating systems
- Fluent in Mandarin
- Knowledge of Canon and Nikon DSLR systems
- Travel experience in Tanzania, Africa; Europe; Vietnam; China; Mexico; Central America; and northern Canada
- Relevant coursework
 - News writing
 - Expository writing
 - Advanced photography
 - History of digital media
 - Photojournalism
 - Sociology

References available on request