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CRIMINAL JUSTICE
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REPORTER

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EDUCATION

Ohio University E.W. Scripps School
of Journalism

- BS in News & Information
- Minor in Spanish

University of Castilla La Mancha,
ESTO Program

AWARDS

- S.C. Press Assoc.: Second place in Investigative Reporting
- S.C. Press Assoc.: Second place in Government Beat Reporting
- Green Eye Shade: First place in Disaster Reporting

DATA JOURNALISM

- Proficient at cleaning, sorting and interpreting data in Excel.
- Acquainted with data visualization software like Datawrapper, Caspio and Google tools.

EXPERIENCE

THE STATE NEWSPAPER | COLUMBIA, SC

GOVERNMENT REPORTER, MARCH 2019-PRESENT

- Covered various topics at the S.C. State House, including criminal justice issues, the abortion debate and COVID-19.
- Covered congressional elections and the 2020 First in the South primary.
- Created graphics and other visuals for projects.
- Curated a weekly newsletter.

BREAKING NEWS REPORTER, MARCH 2018-MARCH 2019

- Covered breaking news across the state, including events that gained national attention, such as the riot at Lee Correctional.
- Acted as a watch dog for the state prison system, publishing both enterprise and investigations.
- Created and analyzed large data sets for multiple McClatchy properties.
- Managed the website and social media when required.

TCPALM | STUART, FL

BREAKING NEWS REPORTER, SEPT. 2017-MARCH 2018

- Covered breaking news in a three-county area. including monitoring high-profile court cases
- Localized national trends
- Collaborated with other papers in the USA TODAY network, including covering the Parkland Shooting and analyzing the 2017 JFK files.

USA TODAY | MCLEAN, VA

INTERN, JUNE 2017-AUGUST 2017

- Covered breaking news events such as a terrorist attack in Barcelona and California wild fires.
- Managed social media for the Money and Tech sections
- Aggregated and created data sets for various reporters
- Curated multiple daily newsletters.

SKILLS

WEB

- Stays updated on latest SEO recommendations
- Uses story analytics to guide story ideas and coverage
- Skilled at home page and social media management..

DESIGN AND MULTIMEDIA

- Proficient in Photoshop and InDesign
- Some experience in 360 video
- Capable of using video editing software
- Some experience appearing on podcasts