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## **EDUCATION**

Missouri School of Journalism, University of Missouri, Columbia  
Bachelor of Journalism, Print and Digital News, December 2008

## **EXPERIENCE**

### **K-12 Education Reporter, Columbia Daily Tribune, Columbia, Mo., Jan. 2009 – present**

- Beat writer for school district of 17,400 students and 17 private schools
- Report on general assignment news, including fur auctions and community celebrations
- Manage a blog featuring reader interaction and discussion

### **Part-Time Reporter, Intern, Columbia Daily Tribune, Columbia, Mo., May – Dec. 2007**

- General assignment reporter, including breaking news and enterprise stories

### **Enterprise Reporter, Columbia Missourian, Columbia, Mo., Jan. – May 2008; Aug. – Dec. 2008**

- Responsible for coverage of \$22 million grant for non-motorized transportation
- Produced original enterprise stories, including a six-page spread on foreclosures
- Served on the copy desk for a semester, proofed stories and wrote headlines

### **Intern, Omaha World-Herald, Omaha, Neb., May – Aug. 2008**

- Covered every national summer sporting event, including College World Series
- Routinely photographed own photos for stories
- Worked 32 hours straight covering a tornado that killed four Boy Scouts in Iowa

### **Staff Writer, The Maneater, Columbia, Mo., August – April 2007**

- Covered Missouri higher education issues

### **Production Technician I, KIMT News 3, Mason City, Iowa, Aug. 2004 – July 2006**

- Served as part-time sports photographer, wrote highlight scripts and edited video
- Controlled audio soundboard, designed show graphics and operated four studio cameras

### **Intern, KIMT News 3, Mason City, Iowa, June – July 2005**

- Independently wrote stories for 6 p.m. and 10 p.m. broadcasts

### **Sports Correspondent, Des Moines Register, Des Moines, Iowa, July 2006 – Dec. 2007**

- Big 12 football, basketball and wrestling correspondent

### **Correspondent, Scout.com's Inside Mizzou Magazine, Nov. 2006 – April 2007**

- Generated story ideas and produced 2,000 word stories

### **Correspondent, Globe Gazette, Mason City, Iowa, May – Sept. 2006**

- Freelanced stories on college instructor who grew up with an alcoholic dad, coaches balancing time

### **Reporter, Sports Editor/Assistant Editor, Logos, Mason City, Iowa, Aug. 2004 – May 2006**

- Received two Iowa College Media Association awards for two features