

**EDUCATION**

B.A. 2013 International Affairs

The George Washington University, Elliott School of International Affairs, Washington DC

- » Phi Beta Kappa
- » Magna Cum Laude
- » Elliott School Special Honors

**JOURNALISM EXPERIENCE**

**The Christian Science Monitor**, Boston, MA: Staff Writer (September 2015 – Present)

- » Wrote daily features for the Passcode cybersecurity newsletter, oversaw circulation growth to over 11,000 subscribers
- » Broke stories on the Islamic State's development of Android applications and Telegram "kill lists" that produced leading traffic numbers.
- » Assisted in the development and execution of 30 live events, using the content to create podcasts and multimedia stories

**KALW News**, San Francisco, CA: Production Assistant (August 2014 – September 2015)

- » Produced several radio features that aired regionally as part of a selective fellowship program
- » Assisted in compiling daily news digest, edited and fact-checked host and reporter scripts for Crosscurrents newsmagazine.
- » Created and edited a 30 minute newsmagazine segment on the minimum wage in ProTools

**KCBS Radio, San Francisco, CA: Production Assistant (August 2014 – September 2015)**

- » Assisted in developing daily news schedule, loading features, writing ledes, and placing stories in rundown.
- » Served as a line audio editor, taking in reporter feeds from the field, vetted for errors, and mixed stories with ambient sound.

**The Diplomat Magazine**, Washington, DC: Editorial Assistant (May 2013 – Present)

- » Covered international news with blogs and features analyzing South and East Asian security and economic affairs.
- » Conducted interviews with Pakistani and Iranian sources, assisted in research, editing, and fact-checking.
- » Commissioned new columns from prominent members of the diplomatic, government, and security communities.

**KQED News**, San Francisco, CA: News Intern (January – June 2014)

- » Reported original news stories for broadcast and web, edited interviews and audio tracks.
- » Prepared scripts for broadcast, research for hosts, data gathering, fact-checking, and editing for evening newscasts.
- » Booked and pre-interviewed guests, produced shows and assisted social media audience interaction for KQED's public affairs call-in program.

**NPR News**, Washington, DC: Washington Desk Intern (August – December 2011)

- » Organized reports of 2012 campaign activities, including updates to NPR political news calendar and campaign finance tracker.
- » Developed and pitched stories on economic and political affairs, assisting in production, copy and sound editing, fact-checking, and research.
- » Published weekly articles and analysis, arranged layout for Intern Edition blog.

**RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

**Truman National Security Project**, Washington, DC: Intern (August – November 2012)

- » Collaborated with policy and advocacy teams to build narratives and decision options for an interactive US-Iran war simulation.
- » Consulted congressional candidates and Truman members on energy and foreign policy in weekly briefings.
- » Assisted in media monitoring and arranging events for progressive foreign policy leaders on Capitol Hill.

**U.S. Department of State**, Washington, DC: Intern (May – August 2012)

- » Supported management for \$5 billion security assistance account, tracked allocations and developed \$1 billion in authorization memos.
- » Developed account priorities and strategy for 2014 and 2015 with several interagency teams.
- » Ensured prompt delivery of assistance with embassies, analyzed the ability of foreign partners to maximize military assistance.

**RELATED SKILLS**

- » Proficient in Microsoft Excel, Word, Illustrator, Photoshop, Social Media, ProTools, HTML, CSS, Processing.js
- » Advanced level Spanish speaker, intermediate level Portuguese speaker

**HONORS / AWARDS**

Annenberg Fellow, Council of American Ambassadors, Summer 2012

Elliott School Undergraduate Scholar, Fall 2012