

Jefferson Geiger

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WORK EXPERIENCE

The Valley Courier

June 2016-Present

Staff reporter writing news, features and columns along with managing the website and social media for the largest paper in Colorado's San Luis Valley.

ZAM

March 2016-July 2016

Freelance writer who published essays on Firewatch, Pokemon Go and other video games.

San Luis Valley Health Foundation

September 2015-December 2015

Office assistant who managed the donor database. Helped organize the 12th annual Stephanie L. Miner 5K Walk and Run.

GameSpot

June 2015

Freelance critic who reviewed video games.

San Luis Valley Health

Summer 2013, Summer 2014-Summer 2015

Wrote news and features on hospital employees and technology for the weekly newsletter, The Pulse. Helped organize the 11th annual Stephanie L. Miner 5K Walk and Run.

Rocky Mountain Collegian

Fall 2013-Spring 2014

Senior Entertainment Reporter who wrote weekly previews, reviews and interviews on local events, community theater and restaurants. Interviewed comedians Colin Mochrie and Brad Sherwood.

PROJECTS

Tales of the Tellers: Interviews With Video Game Journalists

Fall 2013

11 episode iTunes podcast series created for senior honors thesis. Interviewed Adam Sessler, Patrick Klepek, Chris Kohler, Greg Kasavin, Jason Schreier, Phil Kollar and others.

JTC Talk

Spring 2013

Interviewed The Denver Post photographer R. J. Sangosti for the annual department magazine. Designed the cover, Chair's Column and 10 Questions for R.J. Sangosti.

AWARDS

Colorado Press Association Better Newspaper Contest

2016

Second place for Best Photography Portfolio, Class 6 circulation.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Visual

- Can edit photos in Adobe Photoshop, create layouts in Adobe InDesign and edit films in Adobe Premiere.

Web Design

- Knows HTML and how to edit pages in Adobe Dreamweaver, WordPress and Squarespace.

Writing

- Proficient in word processing, spreadsheets and presentations for iWork and Microsoft Office.
- AP Style

EDUCATION

Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO

Bachelor of Arts in Journalism and Technical Communication, Cum Laude

Spring 2014

Dean's List

Spring 2014, Fall 2013, Spring 2013, Fall 2012, Fall 2011