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## education

University of Missouri  
M.A. in Journalism: 2016

Oklahoma City University  
B.A. in Political Science and  
Mass Communications: 2014

University of Salamanca  
Salamanca, Spain  
June 2012 – July 2012

Qatar University  
Doha, Qatar  
Feb. 2012 – June 2012

## skills

SQL



Excel



Adobe Creative Suite



HTML and CSS



Adobe Premiere Pro



Final Cut Pro



Spanish



ArcGIS



D3.js



## experience

*June 2016 to present* **Bloomberg BNA // Data Journalist**  
– Write data-driven stories for publication in *Daily Report for Executives*, on the Bloomberg Terminal, and in other relevant Bloomberg BNA products  
– Collaborate with health care, energy and environment, labor and pensions, tax and other reporters to produce in-depth special reports  
– Design charts and infographics for print and online publication

*Jan. 2016 to June 2016* **ProPublica // Data Intern**  
– Used SQL to build, clean, analyze and bulletproof databases  
– Worked alongside reporters and developers to incorporate data analyses into stories and interactive news applications

*Jan. 2015 to May 2016* **Investigative Reporters and Editors // NICAR Graduate Assistant**  
– Acquired, cleaned and analyzed large datasets for the National Institute for Computer Assisted Reporting database library  
– Assisted in development and creation of NICAR projects, newsletters and web presence

*Aug. 2014 to Dec. 2015* **University of Missouri // Convergence Journalism Teaching Assistant**  
– Managed more than 25 undergraduate students producing daily online multimedia content for the Columbia Missourian  
– Taught students advanced techniques of shooting and editing video packages with DSLRs and Adobe Premiere Pro

*June 2015 to Aug. 2015* **The New York Times // Digital Intern**  
– Assisted in daily online production of photos, videos and articles for the business section  
– Updated social media accounts with more than 670,000 followers  
– Copyedited headlines, captions and articles

*Aug. 2014 to Dec. 2014* **Columbia Missourian // State Government Reporter**  
– Covered state healthcare and agriculture policy in conjunction with the Jefferson City News Tribune  
– Used public records and databases for enterprise stories

*Aug. 2013 to May 2014* **The Oklahoman // Digital Desk Intern**  
– Managed NewsOK.com during weekends and evenings  
– Designed and built interactive graphics for online data-driven stories  
– Updated social media accounts with more than 50,000 followers

## freelance

<b>The Frontier (Tulsa, Okla.)</b> Sept. 2015 to Dec. 2015	<b>The Washington Post</b> Nov. 2015	<b>Religion News Service</b> Sept. 2015
<b>KHOU (Houston)</b> Sept. 2015 to Dec. 2015	<b>Reuters</b> Nov. 2015	<b>CNN</b> May 2013

## awards

National Press Foundation Paul Miller Washington Reporting Fellowship, 2016  
National Press Club Feldman Fellowship for Graduate Studies in Journalism, 2015  
First Place Interactive Graphics, Oklahoma SPJ, 2015  
Third Place Interactive Graphics, Oklahoma SPJ, 2015  
First Place Team Newspaper Investigative Reporting, Oklahoma SPJ, 2014  
Hard News Video finalist, South Central Broadcasting Society, 2014  
Television In-Depth Reporting national finalist, SPJ Mark of Excellence, 2013  
Television In-Depth Reporting winner, SPJ Region 8 Mark of Excellence, 2013  
In-Depth Newspaper Reporting finalist, SPJ Region 8 Mark of Excellence, 2013  
Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship, 2012