

Terry Tang

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EXPERIENCE

Associated Press, Broadcast Editor, Phoenix May 2013-present

- Write news briefs in broadcast style for members in 13 states in the West region
- Use Twitter, Facebook and other media to track down sources for breaking stories

Associated Press, Editorial Assistant, Phoenix, April 2006 to May 2013

- Filled in as a breaking news supervisor, writing news briefs and monitoring breaking news for Arizona and New Mexico
- Reported on national breaking news stories including the Tucson shooting at an event with U.S. Representative Gabrielle Giffords, several high-profile court cases, and arrests
- Covered the Arizona Legislature with stories about legislation relating to women's reproductive issues, online harassment, and film incentives
- Covered elections and interviewed local, state, and national candidates for profiles and articles
- Pitched stories about food, culture, travel, and entertainment that made the national wire
- Conducted research using court documents, Lexis Nexis, and government Web sites

Palo Alto Weekly, Freelance Contributor, Palo Alto, Calif., 2003 to 2006

- Filed stories for several beats including arts & entertainment, real estate, and business
- Fact-checked information on hotels and youth resources for annual community guide
- Conducted weekly person-on-the-street interviews for opinion section
- Compiled weekly record of Stanford crime reports and community building permits

Mrs. Lin's Kitchen, Copywriter, San Ramon, Calif., 2005 to 2006

- Wrote 75-100 word product descriptions for Asian tableware, kitchen ware, and specialty gifts
- Wrote bi-monthly newsletter based on a topic central to Asian culture and company merchandise
- Revised and updated 1,000 product descriptions for grammar, spelling, punctuation, and accurate content

Previously held internships at Entertainment Weekly, Wired magazine and Daily Variety

COMMUNITY INTERESTS

Places, Spaces, and Faces, Co-organizer, 2011 to 2013

- Coordinate monthly potlucks that drew as many as 75 people to downtown Phoenix businesses
- Work with owners of more than a dozen local spaces to host the dinners
- Help with set-up and clean-up for each dinner

Cupcake Camp Phoenix, Organizer, 2010 and 2012

- Organize a community-wide potluck featuring more than 600 cupcakes and 150 attendees
- Oversee all publicity, including Facebook, Twitter and promotional materials

EDUCATION

- **B.A. in English Literature and B.A. in Communication Studies**, June 2001, University of California, Los Angeles
- **Skills:** Proficient in Microsoft Word, Microsoft Outlook, Facebook, Twitter, and some conversational and written knowledge of Spanish

OTHER INFORMATION

- **Hobbies and Interests:** Travel, reading novels and biographies, baking, hiking, chatting with people and pop culture (i.e., film, television, and theater)

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- **References** furnished upon request.