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Journalism Experience:

- **Shriver Report**, contributing reporter, June 2014
- **Brilliant Bias**, writer, June 2014
- **PBS Newshour Online**, August 2013
 - ❖ Special package in conjunction with Ithaca College at the 50th Anniversary of the March on Washington
- **Ithaca Journal**, news intern, January 2013 to May 2013
- **WCVB**, Boston ABC affiliate station's nightly news magazine Chronicle intern, May 2012 to August 2012
- **Finger Lakes Environmental Film Festival**, intern, Spring 2012 to present
- **Digital Journal.com**, October 2011
 - ❖ The Politics of Parole: A look into the Massachusetts's Parole System
- **Money Talks Ithaca**, online collegiate news outlet on Ithaca's economy, 2013
 - ❖ Managing editor and reporter
- **14850 Magazine**, Spring 2012
 - ❖ Article on the Finger Lakes Environmental Film Festival
- **Buzzsaw Magazine**, editor, collegiate alternative magazine, Spring 2012 to May 2014
- **The Ithacan**, collegiate weekly newspaper, Fall 2010 to May 2014

Work Experience:

- **Norwood Recreation Center**, seasonal lifeguard, Summer 2012 to present
- **President's Host Tour Guide**, Ithaca College, Spring 2011 to May 2014
- **Oak Hill Country Day Camp**, Summer 2006 to Summer 2011
 - ❖ Led as a Unit Leader for boys ages four to six, served as a lifeguard and water safety instructor

Honors and affiliations:

- **Department of Journalism Faculty Award**, 2014
- **Peggy Ryan Williams Award for Academic and Community Leadership**
- **Lambda Pi Eta**, undergraduate National Communication Honor Society
- **Society of Professional Journalists**, Ithaca College chapter, Fall 2010 to present
 - ❖ President, Spring 2012 to Fall 2012
 - ❖ National chapter of the year, 2012
 - ❖ Best collegiate chapter in Region One, 2010 to 2013
 - ❖ Scripps Leadership Institute, June 2011
- **Leadership Scholar**
- **Rod Serling Scholarship**
- **International Association of Business Communicators member**, Fall 2011 to Fall 2012

Volunteer Experience:

- **Leadership Scholar mentor**, Fall 2011 to May 2014
- **Big Brother/ Big Sister mentor**, Fall 2011 to May 2014
- **Village at Ithaca Volunteer**, January 2012 to May 2012
 - ❖ Organized and ran a "Future Fair" for at-risk youth

Education

Ithaca College, Ithaca, NY, May 2014

B.A. journalism, minors in politics and environmental studies

GPA: 3.84

Skills: AP Style, Microsoft Office, Facebook, Twitter, Pinterest, InDesign, Google +, Google Fusion, Final Cut Pro 7, NewsGate, Pro Tools, Photoshop, Fetch, Adobe Bridge, Sound Slides, WordPress

Miscellaneous: Binghamton Bridge Run Half Marathon, Alzheimer's Association Indoor Warrior Triathlon, Crossfit Florian member

References:

Susan Sloane, Managing editor of Chronicle, WCVB

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