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## EXPERIENCE

### **Production Assistant – The Lead with Jake Tapper | CNN | Washington, D.C. | OCTOBER 2021 – present**

- Pitch stories, research and write daily segment scripts
- Find, cut and edit relevant video elements for show segments and for CNN special coverage
- Make on-set and fullscreen graphics and clip videos for the show's social media accounts
- Call video, sound and graphics in the control room during the live show

### **News Associate – CNN | Washington, D.C. | SEPTEMBER 2020 – SEPTEMBER 2021**

- Greeted guests for live shows and ran scripts and teleprompter
- Vetted and screened audience members for special events
- Attended virtual court proceedings of some January 6 cases and reviewed court documents
- Monitored and logged interviews and congressional hearings to prepare network-wide editorial notes

### **Freelance Reporter – HBCU Times Inc. | Remote | JUNE 2020 – SEPTEMBER 2020**

- Wrote feature stories and news articles on historically black colleges and universities (HBCUs)
- Scheduled and conducted phone and virtual interviews for features and news articles

### **Crime & Justice Intern – CNN | Washington, D.C. | SEPTEMBER 2019 – APRIL 2020**

- Wrote articles for CNN.com and entries for the breaking news live blog
- Researched, fact-checked and called sources to obtain and/or verify information for news articles
- Prepared network-wide editorial notes on the first impeachment inquiry of Donald Trump
- Covered the trial of former Trump associate Roger Stone

### **Reporting Intern – HBCU Times Inc. | Orangeburg, S.C. | AUGUST 2018 – MAY 2019**

- Wrote feature stories and news articles on HBCUs and shot pictures for the articles
- Scheduled and conducted interviews for features and news articles

### **Correspondent – The Times and Democrat | Orangeburg, S.C. | AUGUST 2017 – MAY 2019**

- Wrote articles covering business news, local news, academia, national and local politics
- Shot pictures for news articles

### **Reporter and Editor - The Panther, Claflin University | Orangeburg, S.C. | AUGUST 2017 – MAY 2019**

- Pitched and developed stories, conducted interviews and wrote articles covering local and campus news
  - Reviewed and edited news articles with AP Style guide to ensure factual and grammatical accuracy
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## SKILLS AND STRENGTHS

Broadcast news script writing and production | Segment producing | Editorial planning | Live TV control room experience | Video production & editing | Graphics production | EVS video systems | Adobe Premiere Pro | NewsApps Suite | iNews | VizPilot | Researching | Feature writing | Photography | Social media

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## AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

**South Carolina Press Association** | 2018 Collegiate Journalist of the Year; Second Place Photograph

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## EDUCATION

*Bachelor of Arts – Mass Communications* | Claflin University, Orangeburg, S.C. | MAY 2019