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Journalist and multimedia producer who has experience producing video and on demand video of economic, political and breaking news. I have strong video production skills, organisational skills and reporting and interviewing experience, having interviewed senior political figures, including Theresa May. I am a self starter who can collaborate with key newsmakers across the newsroom to produce as high a quality of video output as possible. Having studied politics, economics and journalism at university, I also have a detailed knowledge of UK and EU politics and economics.

Experience:

Bloomberg - LIVE Editor/Producer (Feb 2017 - ongoing)

Experience producing and coordinating live video coverage of economic and political news stories for a targeted and specialised audience. I have produced live coverage and video on demand of central bank briefings, ECB speakers, financial conferences, and other potentially market-moving news.

I also regularly produce on demand clips and provide video to add to stories. I have experience organising freelancers to cover events, and regularly collaborate with other teams across the newsroom to provide as wide and comprehensive a range of live video news coverage as possible.

- coordinate and source live video of breaking and market-moving news
- organise freelancers to cover events
- produce video on demand to add to the top stories of the day

Various - Freelance Journalist (2014 - ongoing)

Reported on political and economic stories for international radio, and produced online for video for the Political Studies Association and UEA. I gained experience writing, researching and producing video and audio reports. I have interviewed senior figures, including Theresa May and David Blunkett, and gained experience presenting radio bulletins.

Various - Internships and work experience (2012 - 2014)

Internships in video and social media, including a long term collaboration with the European SeaMedia project.

- Social Media Marketing Intern at Norwich Business School (2012)

Development and implementation of social media strategy to achieve increased student engagement and bring in external speakers and stakeholders. I developed a good eye for what

content works on different social channels, and gained experience training staff how to use social media effectively.

- Project Intern and volunteer for SeaMedia (2012-2014)

Contributed to the production of content, advised on social media, and acted as a representative of SeaMedia UK at international events. I gained experience producing video content, working as part of an international team, providing voice overs for videos, and gained important digital and production skills.

I have also completed work experience placements for the Tech City News website, Radio Jackie and the BBC/Juniper TV current affairs programme 'This Week'.

Education:

City University, London (2013-2014)

MA Broadcast Journalism

I developed very strong communication skills, the ability to distill complex information and present it confidently, authoritatively, and engage an audience in both the spoken and written word. I have experience in analysing data and other information very quickly and finding salient points and interesting content relevant to a particular audience.

University of East Anglia (2008-2012)

MA Politics

BA (Hons) Philosophy, Politics and Economics

During my time at UEA I built an in-depth knowledge of British and international politics. I improved upon my already strong numerical and statistical skills, and developed a good eye for spotting salient information and inconsistencies. I learnt to think of new and innovative ways to tell stories, and to approach political and economic issues from different angles.

Skills:

- Video production skills. Solid news judgement. Media law trained.
- High quality of written and spoken English. High standard of numeracy
- Public speaking, presentation and communication skills
- Good networking skills. Experience of interviewing senior political figures
- Open minded with the ability to take on new ideas and adapt quickly
- Able to drive forward and develop ideas, both in a team and on my own
- Highly proficient in a variety of computer software including Adobe Creative Suite/Cloud (Audition, Premiere, AE, InDesign and Photoshop)
- Experience working with DSLR, broadcast cameras, professional microphones

References available on request.