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Journalist and multimedia producer with experience producing economic and political breaking news. I have video production skills, am highly organised, and also have experience reporting on and interviewing senior political figures, including Theresa May.

Most recent experience on the Bloomberg TV news desk coordinating live feeds and cutting for broadcast, with a focus on central bank and economic content. Organising coverage of key economic events in London, Frankfurt, Sintra, and beyond, including high profile policy-makers such as ECB President Draghi, Fed Chair Yellen and BOE Governor Carney.

I am a self-starter who has experience collaborating with stakeholders across the business to produce as high a quality of output as possible. I have detailed knowledge of UK and EU politics and economics.

Experience:

Bloomberg - Producer (Feb 2017 - ongoing)

Experience producing and coordinating live video coverage of economic and political news stories for a targeted and specialised audience. Most recently working on the Bloomberg TV news desk, I have produced live coverage of central bank briefings, ECB keynote speeches and other key market-moving events.

I regularly collaborate with teams across the newsroom to provide a wide and comprehensive range of coverage.

- specialised in economic and central bank news
- coordinate and source live video of breaking and market-moving news
- organise camera crews to cover live news events

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:

- News desk experience. 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 software including Adobe Creative Suite/Cloud (Audition, Premiere, AE, InDesign and Photoshop)
- Experience working with DSLR, broadcast cameras, professional microphones

References available on request.