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EXPERIENCE

Intern, Contra Costa Times (circulation 160,000), Walnut Creek, CA – June 2008 - present
Report, write, and produce multimedia stories for the daily edition and the Lamorinda Sun (weekly) as the Orinda, Calif. beat reporter.

Multimedia Editor, Golden Gate [X]press, San Francisco, CA – August 2007 - May 2008
Co-led the redesign of the publication's website, which made multimedia a prominent fixture on the site's homepage. Managed a production staff of 22 with four assistant editors. Won the Best of Show award for the Web site from the Associated Collegiate Press national convention in March 2008. www.xpress.sfsu.edu

Multimedia Editor, Center for Integration and Improvement of Journalism, San Francisco, CA – December 2006 - May 2008
Produced multimedia content for www.cijj.org. Managed job and internship database postings for students and professionals who use CIJ's career services.

Intern, San Mateo County Times (circulation 35,000), San Mateo, CA – September 2007 - December 2007
Worked as the Saturday reporter, contributing stories on a general assignment and substitute cops beat.

Intern, The Daily Review (circulation 20,000), Hayward, CA – July 2007 - September 2007
Wrote a three article package, with multimedia, that prompted city officials to bar the sale of toy guns from ice cream trucks in Hayward. Contributed other stories as a general assignment and substitute cops reporter.

EDUCATION

San Francisco State University – B.A. in Journalism (Online concentration), December 2008

HONORS

Chips Quinn Scholars, Summer 2008 class

Bay Area Black Journalists Association's Luci S. Williams Houston Memorial Scholarship, 2007

National Association of Black Journalists Convention Student Projects, 2007

Bay Area Black Journalist Association's Young Black Journalist Scholarship, 2006

SKILLS

Audio, video and photo editing. Knowledge of Photoshop, InDesign, Final Cut Pro, Soundtrack Pro, Soundslides, and basic HTML.

AFFILIATIONS

National Association of Black Journalists

Bay Area Black Journalists Association