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EXPERIENCE

THE INDEPENDENT

Sports Editor (October 2014 - Present)

- Write eight to 10 stories per week & oversee all aspects of sports page for 2014 New England Newspaper of the Year
- Cover University of Rhode Island men's basketball
- Cover high school and community sports
- Cover the Ocean State Waves and Newport Gulls of the New England Collegiate Baseball League
- Coordinate coverage and design five-page sports section each week
- Created concept for Rhody Overtime blog, which delivers web-exclusive content on URI basketball
- Manage sports department's presence on web, Twitter and Facebook

WARWICK BEACON, CRANSTON HERALD AND JOHNSTON SUN RISE NEWSPAPERS

Sports Reporter (October 2005 - July 2010) . Sports Editor (July 2010 - October 2014)

- Coordinated in-depth coverage of Rhode Island High School sports
- Wrote seven to 12 stories per week for print and online editions of publications with a combined circulation of 25,000
- Oversaw a staff of writers and edited copy
- Took and edited photographs, and designed pages
- Created and produced weekly high school football podcast
- Conceptualized and produced award-winning All City and Thanksgiving football special sections

RIGHT FIELD FOG

Owner (June 2007 - Present)

- Created rightfieldfog.com, a web site that covers the nationally-known Cape Cod Baseball League
- Designed site and produce all content, including daily in-season coverage
- Established presence on social networks

SKILLS

- Expert in Adobe Photoshop, Adobe InDesign, Quark XPress, Blox CMS, Wordpress
- Well-versed in HTML
- Experienced in high-level digital photography
- Professional proficiency in Spanish

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON - B.A. COMMUNICATIONS, 2005

- Graduated magna cum laude
- President's Scholarship recipient
- Two-year editor-in-chief of the Flyer News student newspaper

AWARDS

- Two-time Best Sports Columnist by Rhode Island Press Association
- First place in sports feature by Rhode Island Press Association
- First place in sports section by New England Newspaper & Press Association
- Two second place awards in sports column by New England Newspaper & Press Association
- Media Person of the Year by Rhode Island American Legion Baseball

References available upon request