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Career Experience

Telemundo Chicago | NBC Universal

Freelance Assignment Desk Editor | May 2024 - Present

- Coordinate staff covering assigned news stories.
- Schedule interviews with sources.
- Monitor different mediums of information.
- Cross reference sources and information.
- Obtaining and coordinating elements.
- Planning for future stories and events.
- Field produces news stories.

University Press | Florida Atlantic University

Managing Editor | December 2022 - May 2023

- Manage staff of around 20 people across features, news and sports sections.
- Schedule web articles daily and monthly print issues.
- Coordinate written and visual elements for web and print publication.
- Manage and design Twitter and Instagram posts.
- Mentor contributing and staff writers on the development of stories.

Copy-Desk Chief | January 2022 - December 2022

- Manage staff of around 10 people for copy-editing of articles.
- Copy-editing and line editing at least 10 articles a week.
- Train new staff on AP style and house style.

Contributing Writer | August 2021 – December 2021

- Write articles for news and feature sections.
- Photograph and record visuals for article

Vacation Village at Weston & Bonaventure | Daily Management Inc.

Front Desk Supervisor | January 2022 - June 2023

- Assist guests with their check-in procedure.
- Manage a shift of at least 10 people daily across the front desk and call center.
- Train staff members regarding every day procedures and emergencies.

Front Desk Agent | May 2020 – January 2022

- Assist guests with their check-in procedure.
- Assist with the organization and planning of events.
- Book guests on local events and attractions.
- Translate and assist Spanish speaking guests.

Activities Host | May 2019 – May 2020

- Organize daily events and activities for guests.
- Welcome guests at pool facilities.
- Prepare non-alcoholic beverages.

Skills

- Bilingual in Spanish and English
- Certified in first aid treatments
- Proficient in Microsoft programs
- Expert in AP Style

- Proficient in WordPress
- Photography
- Social media
- Proficient in Galaxy

Education and Credentials

B.A. in Multimedia Journalism

Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Fla.

A.A in Journalism

Broward College, Davie, Fla.

GED

Western High School, Davie, Fla.