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Summary

A journalist based in the Middle East and North Africa with a decade of experience reporting, writing, editing and filming for international and local media outlets.

Experience


- 12/12-06/15 **Circa, *Middle East Bureau Chief***
- Overseeing coverage of the Middle East and North Africa
 - Managing a team of international journalists
 - Writing and editing world and U.S. news for the mobile phone
- 06/12-present **Nature Publishing Group, *Contributor***
- Writing science-based news articles for the online Middle East branch of the journal Nature
 - Producing ad-hoc research reports on regional science developments
- 06/09-present **Cape Town radio, *Middle East Correspondent***
- Filing live reports on Cape Talk radio South Africa
- 09/10-12/11 **Nile International television, *Beirut Correspondent***
- Reporting daily news on Lebanese political and social stories for Egyptian satellite
 - Filing news packages, conducting live interviews, providing analysis
- 03/11-09/11 **Avaaz, *MENA Project Manager***
- Launched news gathering and citizen journalists program on Syria and Yemen
 - Arranging equipment logistics, writing proposals and overseeing budget and team projects
- 01/06-03/11 **National Geographic News, *Contributor***
- Writing articles and photo slideshows from Egypt on archaeology, science, history and social conditions
 - Developing features and spot news for publication on Nat Geo website
- 02/10-09/10 **Reuters/Video Cairo Support Services, *Producer***
- Creating daily news video stories of world events
 - Writing, voicing and video editing packages
- 01/06-06/10 **The Economist Intelligence Unit (EIU), *Researcher/Writer***
- Writing political and economic analysis in monthly and annual country reports
 - Gathering, calculating and updating economic, financial and sectorial data
- 05/09-04/10 **Al-Masry Al-Youm English, *Reporter***
- Writing stories for online English version of independent Egyptian daily
 - Covering history, culture, economy, environment and politics
- 02/07-02/09 **ICT Business magazine, *Editor-in-Chief***
- Overseeing editorial content and staff of local, monthly technology publication
 - Implementing design, layout and marketing and wrote features

Freelance

- 2010-2014 Columbia Journalism Review, Al-Ahram, USA Today, Washington Times, McClatchy, Daily Beast, Yahoo! Video Brazil, EIU, AOL News, BBC Radio 4, Fodor's, startle.com





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Academics

- M.A. 06/13 **The American University of Beirut**, Center for Arab and Middle Eastern Studies (CAMES)
Graduate Assistant: Prince Alwaleed Bin Talal Bin Abdulaziz Alsaud Center for American Studies and Research, CAMES
Graduate Research Grant, Issam Fares Institute for Public Policy and International Affairs
Final project: Photo essay and thesis on communications in public space in Egypt & Lebanon
- 01/08–12/09 **The American University in Cairo (AUC)**, Adjunct Faculty
Taught Mass Media Writing 202, Media Ethics 400
Launched intercultural program, formed university community group, faculty advisor
Study: “Intercultural and Multicultural Education in Universities and Media Studies: a comparison of two programs implemented at the American University in Cairo”
- M.S.12/05 **Northwestern University**, Medill School of Journalism
Concentration: Broadcast, Specialty: Spirituality, Religion and Ethics
Awards: Lilly Foundation Award, Board of Advisors Scholarship, Medill Editorial Scholarship
Third Place: Society of Professional Journalists General Reporting
Filmed, wrote and edited a documentary about HIV/AIDS and Christianity in the U.S.
- B.A. 05/04 **Temple University**, School of Communications and Theater
Major: Journalism, Public Relations, & Advertising
Concentration: Broadcast Journalism; Minor: Business Administration
Awards: University and Business Honors programs, Jim Gardner broadcasting prize;
Leadership: President, Radio-Television News Directors Association; Vice President, American Marketing Association

Internships

- 2002-2005 Associated Press/APTN, Cairo, Egypt
WDAY-TV/KAJX-Radio: Fargo, ND/Aspen, CO
WRTI Public Radio, Philadelphia, PA
ABC News, New York, NY
CNN America, Inc., Washington, D.C.

Skills

Video Editing: Final Cut, Premiere, iMovie, Sony Vegas, Avid, linear
Audio Editing: Audition, Audacity, ProTools, Audio Hijack
Design: Photoshop, InDesign, Pages, Illustrator
Web Design: HTML, CSS, Wordpress, Dreamweaver, iWeb
Languages: English (Native), Arabic (Fluent); Spanish, Italian (Intermediate)

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