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CURRENT EXPERIENCE	Producer 02/10 – Present <i>Reuters/Video Cairo Support Services, Cairo</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Creating several daily news packages of world events gathered from Reuters resources• Writing, voicing and video editing stories Contributor 04/08 – Present <i>National Geographic News, Washington, DC</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Writing stories and taking images from Egypt on archaeology, science and social conditions• Developing features and spot news for publication on nationalgeographic.com Notesender/Contributor 01/06 – Present <i>The Economist Intelligence Unit, London</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Writing and compiling political and economic stories and data for regular country reports• Conducting specialized research on specific sectors in Egypt and North Africa
PAST EXPERIENCE	Reporter <i>Al-Masry Al-Youm English Edition, Cairo</i> 05/09 – 04/10 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Covered spot news stories and developed features for local newspaper• Oversaw mobile application service and developed web offerings Adjunct Faculty Member <i>The American University in Cairo, Cairo</i> 01/08 – 12/09 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Taught Media Ethics 400 & Mass Media Writing 202 (intro to multimedia journalism)• Initiated the AUC Bridge Program and launched Worker Appreciation Day Editor-in-Chief <i>ICT Business magazine, Cairo</i> 02/07 – 02/09 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Founded publication; managed editorial content and staff of a local tech publication• Implemented design and layout while writing monthly news features Writer <i>Business Today Egypt, Cairo</i> 01/06 – 01/07 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Filed feature stories about Egyptian businesses of 800-4000 words in length• Wrote about technology, industry, law, environment, investment and trade Correspondent <i>WDAY-TV/KAJX-Radio, Washington, DC</i> 04/05 – 06/05 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Covered and filmed 109th congressional members and legislation• Created public affairs packages, wraps and VOSOTs on daily deadline Reporter <i>Medill News Service, Chicago</i> 09/04 – 04/05 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Wrote print articles in Chicago Defender, Northwest Indiana Times and Daily Southtown• Reported broadcast stories and produced weekly news programs for WYCC-TV
INTERNSHIPS	<i>Associated Press/APTN, Cairo</i> 09/05 – 12/05 <i>WRTI Public Radio, Philadelphia</i> 01/04 – 06/04 <i>ABC News, New York</i> 06/03 – 08/03 <i>CNN America, Inc., Washington, DC</i> 06/02 – 08/02
EDUCATION	Northwestern University, Medill School of Journalism M.S. Journalism 12/05 <i>Specialty:</i> Spirituality, Religion and Ethics <i>Awards:</i> Lilly Foundation Award, Board of Advisors Scholarship, Third Place: SPJ General Reporting, Medill Editorial Scholarship <i>Religion, Spirituality and Ethics Program</i> Filmed, wrote and edited half-hour documentary on HIV/AIDS and Christianity Temple University, School of Communications and Theater B.A. Communications 05/04 <i>Major:</i> Journalism, Public Relations, & Advertising; <i>Concentration:</i> Broadcast Journalism; <i>Minor:</i> Business Administration <i>Awards:</i> Graduated Cum Laude, University and Business Honors, Jim Gardner broadcasting prize, <i>Leadership:</i> President: Radio-Television News Directors Association, Vice President: American Marketing Association
SKILLS	Professional at: Final Cut Pro, Avid NewsCutter, linear video, iMovie, Audition, Sony Vegas Proficient in: Photoshop, InDesign, Dreamweaver, ENPS & Egyptian Arabic Intermediate Knowledge of: Flash, Aperture, Italian, Spanish & French languages
