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Experience

Studies in Poverty and Inequality Institute, SADC socio-economic equality think-tank

Advocacy officer | January 2016 – present

- Direct SPII's national, regional and international advocacy and campaigns
- Manage the organization's online platforms, publications and other media

South African National Editors Forum, Largest association of editors in South Africa

Ordinary member | October 2015 – present

- Provide input into organization's operations from workplace observation
- Use available media platforms to promote journalism ethics

GAYLE magazine, South Africa's first online publication for LGBT of colour

Editor-in-chief | September 2015 – February 2016

- Volunteered time to set up the magazine's editorial operation
- Edited and designed all editions while at the magazine

The loveLife Trust, South Africa's largest, cutting-edge HIV prevention campaign for youth

UNCUT magazine Editor-in-chief | November 2014 – December 2015

- Edited loveLife's youth lifestyle magazine, 100,000 copies per edition
- Established the magazine's digital platforms and social media

Head of Department: Print and Digital | February 2013 – October 2014

- Managed all print and digital platforms and publications, including *UNCUT*
- Developed cutting edge digital campaigns focused on youth sexual health

Senior Content Producer: Print and Digital | January 2012 – January 2013

- Produced news content focused on sexual health and youth leadership
- Conceptualized and coordinated with photoshoots and graphic design

Playboy South Africa, leading lifestyle magazine for men

Writer | April 2011 – present

- Wrote lifestyle features and covered events relevant to the target audience
- Secured high-profile interviews, including a 20Q with Marvel's Stan Lee

Media24, Africa's biggest publishing house

toplus magazine: Writer | April 2010 – March 2011

- Wrote entertainment news, including local and international celebrity interviews
- Produced interactive content for the magazine's social media pages

The Witness newspaper: Journalist | December 2008 – February 2010

- Broke several news stories which were republished by other media
- Fast became the feature and event writer of choice, covering all major events

Levi's Original Music Magazine, Web-based portal for music news and reviews

Writer | February 2008 – November 2008

- Wrote entertainment news and event reviews for online

Reporter.co.za, web-based citizen journalism portal by South Africa's biggest Sunday paper

Contributor | July 2006 – November 2008

- Wrote news and features highlighting the work of local nonprofit organizations
- Reviewed the latest movies and CDs released through South Africa distributors

Education

Honours in Journalism & Media Studies, University of Witwatersrand, Johannesburg

Bachelors of Arts, University of Witwatersrand, Johannesburg

Varsity honors: Wits Journalism Best Production Award 2008, A-Class Pass Award for *Photojournalism*, A-Class Pass Award for *Media Studies*, A-Class Pass Award for *isiZulu*

Awards

*Fullbright Hubert H. Humphrey
Fellowship*

**UMD Journalism Fellow
2016/17**

*Nelson Mandela Community
Leadership Awards*

**Young Leadership Runner-up
2014**

*New Generation Digital & Social
Media Awards*

**Best Low Budget 2013
Nomination**

Skills

Journalism

★★★★★

Cause communication

★★★★★

Content and production

management

★★★★★

Editing

★★★★★

Art direction

★★★★★

Digital campaigns

★★★★★

Social media content strategy

and development

★★★★

Business development

★★★

Relationship building

★★★★

Tailor-made solutions

★★★★★

Public relations

★★★★★

Event co-ordination

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