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**Why I’ve reached out to you:**

***With an ever-growing and continuously refined skill set of writing, researching, interviewing, and analysis, my objective and responsibility as a journalist is to compellingly inform people about the important and underreported issues around us—from shady politicking to overlooked social injustices to complex environmental processes.***

**What you can look forward to:**

* Excellent prose and composition
* Fast turnaround and proven ability to juggle multiple assignments
* Professional and graduate level research experience
* Punctual nearly to a fault
* Passion for the Oxford comma

**Where I’ve been:**

**Noozhawk | General Assignment Reporter**

Santa Barbara, CA; 2016 – 2017: Breaking news, local government, business, environment, education, wildfire, features, human interest pieces

Fast-paced, all-online, considerable independence, average 10+ stories a week, shot and edited own photos

**The Santa Barbara Independent | Intern, Freelancer**

Santa Barbara, 2015 – 2016: Local news, features, city life, Isla Vista columnist

**The Bottom Line | Staff Writer, Opinions Editor**

UC Santa Barbara, 2013 – 2015: Op-eds, pitched stories, guided writers

**Where I’ve studied:**

**UC Santa Barbara**, 2015

Bachelor of Arts in Geography

Minor in Professional Writing, Civic Engagement

**Where I’m studying:**

**UC Berkeley Graduate School of Journalism**, 2019

Master of Journalism, Narrative Writing

Report and produce weekly text and multimedia news stories on San Francisco police. Production methods include video, audio, photo, maps, and data visualization.