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Summary

I have seven years of reporting experience with skills in communication, investigation and storytelling. With four years in non-profit organization, project management and public fundraising are also demonstrated. I can navigate diverse and challenging work environments.

Experience

🚳 Graduate Research Assistant

Penn State University Aug 2023 - Present (6 months) Research Chinese immigrant workers in the manufacturing sector in the U.S.

Independent Journalist

Freelance Apr 2022 - Jul 2023 (1 year 4 months) Working on independent investigations on social justice topics, such as social movements, women's rights, and environmental exploitation.

Journalist

Phoenix New Media Ltd. - ifeng.com Feb 2022 - Apr 2022 (3 months) Working on an investigative reporting team. Conducted a series of pandemic reports, including Fangcang workers' labor rights, Shanghai lockdown, and animal rights in lockdown areas.

Journalist

All Now Media (全现在)

Jul 2020 - Dec 2021 (1 year 6 months)

Participated in several important social news reports, for instance, the lockdown in the border city Ruili, rainstorm disaster, and epilepsy drug crisis.

Investigated and published an exclusive report on the first case of sexual harassment of a sanitation worker.

Several reports have been read by more than 100,000 people.

Received the first prize for reporting and several other awards in the internal jury.

Editor in Chief

NGOCN Jul 2017 - Jul 2019 (2 years 1 month) Responsible for formulating editorial guidelines, topic planning, and operation plans. Edited approximately 60 articles per year and produced 3 series of features. Designed the non-fiction writing project "The Voice Project"(声音计划) and successfully crowdfunded 200,000 RMB. Built an email subscription base of 20,000 members in one year.

Journalist

NGOCN May 2015 - Jul 2017 (2 years 3 months) Daily report writing. Collaborated with a law firm to produce occupational disease information.

Education

🔕 Penn State University

Master's degree, Labor and Industrial Relations Aug 2023 - Aug 2024

🙇 South China Normal University

Bachelor's degree, Communication, General Sep 2011 - Jul 2015

Licenses & Certifications

Certificate of Legal Professionals - Ministry of Justice of the People's Republic of China

Skills

Writing • Cooperation • Program Management • Program Design • Editorial • Analytical Skills • Fundraising • Communication • Team Leadership • Storytelling

Honors & Awards

True Story Awards 2023 Nomination - The True Story Foundation

Mar 2023

True Story Award is a global journalism prize. Kayi got nominated for the True Story Awards 2023 for a story that addresses women's rights and rural issues.