**Education:**

Truman State University, Kirksville, Missouri

Bachelor of Arts in Communication Cumulative GPA: 3.03

Emphasis on Journalism Minor: Sociology May 2013

**Skills:**

* Communication
* Leadership
* Teamwork
* Reporting and Interviewing Experience
* Videography Experience
* Computer Skills
* Video Editing Experience
* Audio Editing Experience
* Broadcast Production Experience.
* Experience with Avid Media Composer, Adobe Audition, EZNews

**Field Work:**

Covered the events for the 2012 Iowa Caucus for News36 KTRM-TV

Coverage Included:

* Candidates’ campaign rallies
* A precinct caucus in Des Moines, Iowa

**Examples of work:**

Examples of reporting, anchoring and other productions

*www.visualcv.com/*

*morgansimpson*

**Experience:**

*New36 KTRM-TV*

Producer/Director (April 2012-May 2013)

* In charge of pre-production of weekly news broadcast
* Stack the show in EZNews
* Write the full script and readers for broadcast
* Edit copy turned in by reporters
* Approve all packages for broadcast
* Responsible for having all packages ready for playback on air
* Directed studio production of weekly newscast

Reporter/Videographer (Sept 2010-May 2013)

* Interview sources for news packages for weekly news broadcast
* Shoot footage for news packages
* Write and edit copy for scripts
* Edit video and record voice-overs for packages

*Truman State University Communication Department*

Teacher’s Assistant (Jan 2013-May 2013)

* Critique students’ class projects
* Assist professors in teaching the editing program Avid Media Composer
* Assist in teaching control and studio positions
* Help students with any problems they had with class projects

Discussion Facilitator (Jan 2011-May 2012)

* Lead group discussions for students in the Mass Communication course
* Help students understand concepts in the course
* Grade students’ work

**Special Projects:**

Donald Books

Filmed and produced 5 videos of the release weekend for the book “Kirksville” by Bob Mielke. Videos included poetry readings and coverage of the release weekend events.

Truman Media Network

Produced the Truman Media Network’s 2-hour live election coverage show for the 2012 election, which aired on November 6th. Was also the floor director during the production.

Link to show:

<http://www.ustream.tv/channel/election-coverage-2012>

**References**

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Dr Yaquinto was my academic advisor and the faculty advisor for News36. I have also had numerous courses with her as the professor.

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Dr. Smith is the professor for Truman’s broadcast production course which covered broadcast journalism and studio productions. I was also Dr. Smith’s teaching assistant for the Spring 2013 Broadcast Production course.

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Paul is the former executive producer for News36 and a former coworker. Paul also trained me as a reporter and producer for News36.