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**Professional Summary**



*Vision-driven change agent with a demonstrated record of journalism, travel journalism, mindfulness instruction and mentorship, nature photography, and editing with an overall focus on biodiversity and climate change.*

Proven talent for aligning marketing and journalism strategies and objectives with established communications strategies to achieve maximum impact with minimum resource expenditures. Growth-focused thought leader with expertise spanning travel journalism, photography, digital and print communications, creative writing, and technology solutions, as well as an extensive educational background in medical engineering. Currently engaged with two major nature and climate activism projects: Collaborating with an international team to host a conference on biodiversity, targeting youth, in China, parallel to the UN’s COP conference; and assisting the leader of a Shiwiar community in the Ecuadorian Amazon to construct a tourism proposal focused on maintaining land occupation for the group and protecting the property from petroleum company acquisition.

**Professional Experience**

Summit (Summit.Co), Remote and In Person, August 2018 to Present
**EDITORIAL PRODUCER AND JOURNALIST**

* Author biographies on spotlighted speakers
* Facilitate interviews with speakers, leading to the creation of editorials focused on those interviews
* Participate in the flagship event in Los Angeles

International Tribe Design, Remote and In Person for Events, August 2018 to Present
**INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALIST, PHOTOGRAPHER**

* Facilitate the scheduling around event attendance, capturing visuals, and authoring articles to review and recap events
* Photograph key elements of major events; deliver high-quality post-processed photography as marketing material
* Focused on events as part of International Tribe Design, with one key collaboration in Mt. Baker

Princetonow Education Services, Inc., Remote, February 2018 to Present
**COLLEGE COUNSELOR, ESSAY SPECIALIST**

* Champion the efforts of international students to develop narratives, essay composition, and overall preparation for American universities
* Implement best practices in writing mechanisms and writing across the curriculum
* Follow set standards and protocols for counseling students in university preparation

Hillel Day School, West Bloomfield High School, etc., Detroit, MI, September 2017 to Present
**PUBLIC SPEAKER**

* Coordinate and deliver presentations to a variety of schools
* Prioritize effective presentation techniques to cover travel, wellness, and entrepreneurial experiences
* Presented information sessions for the Bonderman Fellowship, as well as Ghafari, a global company in India

Perspectives Magazine, NatureWriting.com, Breathe With B, etc., Remote, October 2016 to Present
**FREELANCE WRITER**

* Serve as primary contributor to websites and magazine publishing on wellness, cultural relativity, and modernization
* Compose content for various companies, promoting devices and ideologies
* Achieved Honorable Mention for one of 64 essays recognized in the International Essay Competition for Young People; prompt was “What can we learn from nature?” and attracted over 15K submissions from over 150 countries
* Featured as a Youth Poet in the periodical Acumen Poetry

Mysore Santa Cruz, Clerhp Structuras, Advance Plumbing, Etc., Remote, October 2016 to Present
**FREELANCE PHOTOGRAPHER**

* Direct the design of a marketing catalog, primarily photography, to promote yoga classes offered in-studio
* Photograph all buildings for Clerhp, the largest construction company in Bolivia, to document construction across 30+ buildings
* Collaborate with a National Geographic Photographer as part of a mentorship
* Coordinate lifestyle shoots for families, yoga practitioners, and entrepreneurs
* Negotiate payment terms and offer creative input on photography content

Vie Fitness, 1 on 1 Athletic Club, Awaken Ann Arbor, etc., Global, August 2015 to Present
**MEDITATION, NATURE BASED FITNESS & MINDFULNESS TEACHER, WORKSHOP FACILITATOR**

* Teach meditation and nature-based mindfulness to fitness club communities, yoga studios, and schools
* Develop and lead wellness workshops for adults and adolescents
* Facilitate the goals for a student wellness organization and its surrounding community for de-stressing measures, resulting in a healthier and more successful university experience
* Teach “Green Exercise,” a nature-based fitness class in parks and nature reserves

First Contact Head Cover, Southfield, MI, December 2014 to Present
**DESIGN PARTNER**

* Collaborated on a project to create customizable 3-D carbon fiber mold for helmets to combat the incidence of brain injuries
* Crafted reports with a summary of the scientific literature translated into business language
* Presented findings to university researchers and professors

MeditationWorks.Com, Detroit, MI, October 2017 to January 2018
**WELLNESS WRITER, PHOTOGRAPHER, CONTENT CREATOR**

* Delivered weekly content with photography and writing with a focus on meditation, well-being, and nature-based practices for clients to bring mindfulness into their daily routines
* Produced digital text according to set parameters for the company

Bonderman Fellowship, Around the world, August 2016 to August 2017
**FELLOW**

* Exhibited leadership as one of four fellows accepted to travel to non-Westernized regions, alone, for eight months
* Formalized documentation structures for blogging, storytelling, photography and poetry (@haberscott, [www.scotthaber.com](http://www.scotthaber.com))
* Crafted and delivered corporate speeches on travel and well-being
* Volunteered for community development initiatives; taught English, yoga, nature-based mindfulness, and meditation
* Accomplished travel and language proficiencies: 10 distinct countries and four languages
* Advised incoming and current fellows; presented information sessions to the group

**CO-FOUNDER**

* Co-founded a start-up company to improve an established medical product: a new vaginal speculum designed to increase the quality of ob-gyn care
* Achievements:
	+ Chosen as top biomedical engineering product at the University of Michigan
	+ Earned distinction as 2nd place winter in the National Student Medical Design Excellence Awards

Public Health Community Development, Clarksdale, MS, May 2016
**PROJECT LEADER**

* Prioritized statistics for aiding underserved communities in the Mississippi Delta
* Researched demographics and fiscal data for creating a project centered on community development
* Implemented established protocols for fostering conversations between community members and politicians with goals of improving community development

Healthy Kids & Kidneys, Ann Arbor, MI, September 2012 to September 2014
**FOUNDER, UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN CHAPTER**

* Created an organization through National Kidney Foundation of Michigan and Detroit Partnership for university students to teach health education to underserved Detroit students
* Taught eight 2-hour courses to Detroit public school students

Startify, Ann Arbor, MI, February 2013 to August 2014
**FOUNDER**

* Devised a web-based platform to link start-up companies with engineering and business talent
* Earned acceptance into TechTown Detroit, a top tech-based business accelerator, securing $7500 in funding

Crowd 313, Ann Arbor, MI, May 2012 to May 2014
**CO-FOUNDER and PROJECT LEADER**

* Coordinated events designed to connect the city of Detroit to University of Michigan students
* Built a successful internship platform with 20+ companies across various industries
* Enhanced the liaisonship by offering and marketing Detroit-based internship opportunities to University of Michigan students

**Education**

Master of Science Engineering (MSE) in Cellular Molecular Biology/Biomedical Engineering, 2016

 *University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI*

Bachelor of Science Cellular Molecular Biology (BS), 2016

 *University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI*

 *Supplemental coursework: Mindfulness, Meditation, Nature-based Spirituality, Environment-*

 *Based Education, Contemplative Writing*

**Volunteerism**

* Volunteer, Tel Aviv, Israel, Summer 2012
	+ Completed 100 hours of training and coursework for ambulance volunteer duty
	+ Participated in 8-hour shifts for six weeks

**Additional Information**

**Languages:** English, Spanish, Hebrew (fluent); basic knowledge of Hindi, Khmer, Nepali and Thai

**Technical Proficiencies:** Microsoft Office Suite, Lightroom

**Interests:** Hiking, travel, reading, yoga, biking, basketball, tennis, frizbee; played semi-professional basketball in Bolivia

*References available upon request*