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**EDUCATION**

**University of Utah,** Salt Lake City, UT

***Communications Major, Business Minor*** May 2018

**Honors**

* GPA: 3.7, Utah Honor Roll 2014-present, Pac-12 All-Academic Team Selection

**RELATED COURSEWORK**

* *Television Journalism Class:* Acquiring skills to efficiently conduct a television broadcast, learning how to put together a reel tape for myself that will be done this December
  + Salt Lake City, UT, Fall 2017
* *Video Production Course:* Learned how to use all lighting equipment, video cameras, and Adobe Premiere software to compile video projects
  + Salt Lake City, UT, Spring 2017
* *Sports Reporting Class:* Acquired skills for writing all types of sports stories (column, feature, etc.)
  + Salt Lake City, UT, Fall 2016
* *Radio Journalism Class:* Worked with Adobe Audition software, experienced deadline pressure, gained a conversational style of writing through radio broadcasts
  + Salt Lake City, UT, Spring 2016
* *News Writing Class:* Developed advanced writing skills, Completed a “final project” that taught how to act independent by forming relations with various sources 
  + Salt Lake City, UT, Fall 2015

* *Public Speaking Class:* Learned to speak from memory, attained confidence speaking to large groups
  + LaGrange Park, IL,2012-2013

**INTERNSHIPS**

**University of Utah Sports Broadcaster:**  Reported on women’s gymnastics, soccer, basketball, and softball. Allowed me to learn the various ways to cover particular sports.

* Salt Lake City, UT, Spring 2016-Spring 2018

**Utah Athletics Facebook Live Interviewer:**  Facebook live interviews with athletes weekly, where I conducted a series of interviews that would be shared through athletics on a live broadcast.

* Salt Lake City, UT, Fall 2016-Spring 2018

**Big Ten Network, “New Media Intern”:** Managed Big Ten social media accounts, participated in Big Ten Football media day. Selected to work the Twitter Mirror at that event, allowing interactions with Big Ten coaches and players. Teamwork was necessary in making the events successful.

* Chicago, Il, Summer 2015

**EXPERIENCE**

**University of Utah Women’s Tennis Team** Salt Lake City, UT, August 2014-May 2018

Full-Scholarship Athlete

Senior Captain of Tennis Team

2017-2018 Pre-Season Poll: Ranked in the top 100 singles players in the nation

* Managed time effectively to exceed in the sport and in school, while running team social media accounts. Assumed leadership role in motivating the team and encouraging a collaborative environment. Balanced a heavy work and class load in addition to going on roughly 15 trips during season

**Crimson Council (SAAC) Executive Board:** *Social Media Chair* Salt Lake City, UT, Fall 2016-Spring 2018

* Oversee and facilitate all social media posts through the student athlete advisory committee, and served as a voice for athletics on the board that meets every other week.

**Utah Soccer Color Analyst and Sideline Reporter on Pac-12 Live Stream:** Salt Lake City, UT, Fall 2016 & Fall 2017

* Worked the color analyst position on Pac 12 Networks Live Stream while also doing pre-game, halftime, and post-game interviews

Was able to work the first round of the NCAA soccer tournament (Fall 2016) when Utah hosted

**Utah Gymnastics and Softball Interviewer** Salt Lake City, UT, Spring 2016-Present

* Conducted questions for interviews, while being in quick-thinking situations during live broadcasts

**Utah Women’s Basketball Games on ESPN 700 and Utah Radio Sports Network (100.7 Rewind):** Salt Lake City, UT, Winter 2016/Spring 2018

* Administered the color commentating on Utah’s most popular sports radio, alongside play-by-play partner Tyson Ewing

**Pac-12 Spring Conference Student-Athlete Representative:**  Phoenix, Arizona, Spring 2017

* Selected to represent Utah athletics at the Pac-12 Spring conferences, serving as a voice for student-athletes and the future of the conference

**High School Cube:** *on air commentator*Chicago, IL, 2013-2014

* Performed excellent live coverage of broadcasted high school basketball games, effectively improvised and developed fast decision making and thinking.

**Nazareth Academy** LaGrange Park, IL, October 2010-May 2014

* Chosen as All Area Player, East Suburban Catholic Conference Player of the Year, Illinois High School Association State Finalist, Nazareth Academy Athlete of the Year. Honor roll student 2010-2014.

**ACTIVITIES**

**Glendale Middle School/Lincoln Elementary School:** Volunteer speaker, interacted with children and teenagers about the benefits of college and what the demands are of a student athlete

* Fall of 2016-Fall of 2017

**Clearbrook:** Interacted with children aging from birth to five years of age with developmental delays, while teaching them how to socialize with others

* July 2014

**Caring Place for Kids:** Volunteered to help with activities where leadership skills were required, helped tutor children

* May 2014

**St. Cletus Daycare:** Supervised children and assisted with tasks around the school

* November 2012-January 2013

**AJJ Foundation:** Fundraised money for pediatric research at Children’s Memorial Hospital, Cooperated with the founders of AJJ, my parents, to provide resources to the hospital

* November 2010

**Feed My Starving Children:** Packed food for hundreds of malnourished children around the world

* January 2009

**INTERESTS**

* Love the outdoors: hiking, water sports, biking, and running are all activities I enjoy in my free time
* Traveling: I hope to explore the world as much as I can, as other cultures and traditions fascinate me