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## **WORK**

- Nov. 2016 - present**      **The Trace**      **New York, NY**  
Senior investigative reporter for national news outlet covering gun violence. Use extensive sources, public records and data to unearth exclusive stories about crime and policing. Partnered with New York Public Radio to expose a massive unregulated database of citizen DNA in New York City, and with VICE News to break stories on undisclosed policy changes at the Bureau of Alcohol Tobacco and Firearms under the Trump Administration. Shoot and edit videos to supplement print packages.
- Sept. 2013 – Nov. 2016**      **NBC 4 New York**      **New York, NY**  
Investigative producer. Won two New York Emmys for stories exposing government corruption and housing discrimination. Conceived and reported stories, wrote scripts, oversaw shoots and edits and created interactive packages for the web. Hired and managed interns and oversaw station's partnership with New York Public Radio.
- Apr. 2001 - Aug. 2013**      **Newsday**      **Mineola, NY**  
Staff reporter covering criminal and civil courts in Nassau County. Consistently outpaced the competition in covering high-profile cases. Also covered New York City Hall and the state legislature in Albany. Assisted as an editor on the website and assignment desk.
- Oct. 1998 - Apr. 2001**      **Orlando Sentinel**      **Orlando, FL**  
**May 1997 - Oct. 1998**      **The Patriot Ledger**      **Quincy, MA**  
**Sept. 1995 - Apr. 1997**      **Napa Valley Register**      **Napa, CA**

## **EDUCATION**

- 1995**      **Washington University**      **St. Louis, MO**  
Bachelor's degree in English literature. Minor in Japanese language.

## **OTHER SKILLS**

- **Computer Assisted Reporting:** Use Excel, Access, Tableau and mapping software to develop investigative stories.
- **Video:** Shoot and edit video packages using DSLR and professional grade cameras. Edit in Adobe Premiere, Avid and Final Cut Pro.
- **Web:** Familiar with most Web and blog content management systems.