# **DONESHA M. ALDRIDGE**

## **Multimedia Journalist - Web Content Producer**

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### **EXPERIENCE**

WEB CONTENT PRODUCER, WJTV 12, JACKSON, MS-APRIL 2014 - PRESENT

- Write breaking news stories, manage the websites and social media pages for WJTV.com and WHLT.com
- Arrange videos, text, and images for Internet publishing and app pushes
- Generate techniques to increase user activity and page views by analyzing web traffic
- Produce newscasts for the WJTV Afternoon News Brief (Sept. 2014 March 2015)

DIGITAL JOURNALIST, WHLT CBS 22, HATTIESBURG, MS — OCTOBER 2012 - APRIL 2014

- Report, shoot, and edit breaking news and enterprise stories daily
- Produce and anchor 10 p.m. newscast throughout the week (Oct. 2012 Oct. 2013)
- Train interns how to write, edit, and shoot news stories out in the field

#### **EDUCATION**

MEDILL SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM, NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY EVANSTON, IL Master of Science in Journalism, August 2012 Video Broadcast Track

THE UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE AT KNOXVILLE KNOXVILLE, TN
Bachelor of Science in Communications, May 2011
Journalism and Electronic Media, Major
Spanish, Second Major

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Trained in shooting video with professional cameras
- Experienced in interviewing and reporting on a daily deadline
- Skilled in editing in FinalCut Pro, News Edit, Adobe Premiere Pro, and Edius
- Proficient at using Search Engine Optimization for web stories
- Knowledgeable at using WordPress and WorldNow web software

#### **AWARDS**

3rd Place Best Website, MS Associated Press Broadcasters 2016
1st Place Best Website, MS Associated Press Broadcasters 2014
3rd Place Best Investigative Reporting, MS Associated Press Broadcasters 2014