

CURRICULUM VITAE

TERRANCE ARMSTARD

[ACADEMIC SITE](#)

[PORTFOLIO SITE](#)

105 North Caraway, #1642
State University, AR 72467
(318) 557-1876
tarmstard@hotmail.com

EDUCATION		
University of Louisiana at Monroe Communication / Master of Arts (2006)		
		Monroe, LA
University of Louisiana at Monroe Photojournalism / Bachelor of Arts (2001)		
		Monroe, LA
WORK EXPERIENCE Academic		
<p>PRESENT</p> <p><i>from</i></p> <p>August 2019</p>	<p>Multimedia Journalism Instructor Arkansas State University</p> <p>Jonesboro, AR</p> <p>A college instructor teaching courses in journalism, photojournalism, multimedia journalism, photography and graphic communication; Advisor for A-State Society of Professional Journalists, A-State Photography Club and Delta Digital News Service; Conducting summer workshops; Creating new programs; Building professional relationships; Creating academic and professional opportunities for students; Advising students.</p>	
	{Courses Taught}	
	Basic Digital Photography Honors Photography Reporting Images	
	Photo Storytelling 1 Multimedia Reporting Civic Reporting	
	Editing for Publications & Web (<i>News Editing & News Design</i>)	
	News Practicum 1, 2 & 3	
	Intro to Desktop Publishing Digital Publication Design	
	<p>August 2019</p> <p><i>from</i></p> <p>June 2016</p>	<p>Media and Speech Instructor South Arkansas Community College</p> <p>El Dorado, AR</p> <p>A college instructor teaching public speaking, social media and digital photography courses at South Arkansas Community College. Utilizing Blackboard for teaching, teaching traditional and non-traditional students, as well as concurrent enrolled high school students online and face to face; Classroom management; Syllabus and course development and design.</p>
{Courses Taught}		
Public Speaking Social Media Marketing		

WORK EXPERIENCE Photojournalism Journalism Media		
August 2019 <i>from</i> September 2016	News Editor El Dorado News-Times	El Dorado, AR
	As an editor: Responsibilities include editing all print and digital content; managing staff resources, including delegating duties and overseeing special projects; strategizing ways to increase subscriber base and optimize social media use; working with others in the company to improve content, products and customer outreach; contributing ideas to the overall company; writing headlines; and reporting on stories relevant to our communities in south Arkansas. Generating the essential elements for 1A/A1 and other sections-duties include writing headlines, cutlines, deks, kickers, etc.; Proofreading stories for Associated Press Style, grammar, spelling, etc.; Pagination and checking proofs for design guidelines. Posting content strategically to social media accounts, Choosing wire stories for the daily budget. Working as a journalist, duties include gathering and editing content for daily use, i.e. interviewing sources, writing news stories, gathering news and stock photos/graphics and videos.	
July 2017 <i>from</i> May 2017	Managing Editor (Interim) El Dorado News-Times	El Dorado AR
	Administering the duties of managing editor at a daily newspaper. Duties included, but were not limited to: Setting the daily budget, selecting wire stories for the daily budget, pagination, checking proofs and negatives, social media posting, timecard approvals, conducting staff meetings, planning committee meetings, coordinating with advertising to generate content for special sections.	
September 2016 <i>from</i> March 2015	Staff Photographer El Dorado News-Times	El Dorado, AR
	A staff photographer for the El Dorado News-Times, a WEHCO Media owned daily newspaper in El Dorado, AR. Gathering daily photo and video content for use in print and online (website and social media).	
May 2015 <i>from</i> August 2014	Photography Instructor Excellence Academy	Monroe, LA
	A charter school instructor teaching basic principles of photography and photojournalism to grades 6 th through 8 th in the inner city for disadvantaged youth.	
March 2014 <i>from</i> November 2010	Digital Media Coordinator / University of Louisiana at Monroe	Monroe, LA
	Setting the overall visual narrative on campus, as a public relations and marketing photographer, I provided editorial and feature images for print and online to promote faculty, students and staff. Athletic photographer covering men's and women's sports.	
November 2010	Staff Photographer The News-Star (Gannett USA Today Network)	Monroe, LA

<i>from</i> May 2006	A staff photographer for The News-Star newspaper, a Gannett owned daily newspaper in Monroe, La. gathering daily photo and video content for use in print and online (website and social media).	
WORK EXPERIENCE Photography		
December 2008 <i>from</i> November 1998	Manager, Retail Associate Ritz/Wolf Camera November 1998 – December 2008 (10 years 2 months)	Monroe & Lafayette, LA
	A position in camera retail sales and imaging processing industry. Filling every position from store manager to sales associate and lab manager. Duties include, but are not limited to camera sales, photo-finishing, one-hour lab maintenance, customer service, employee training, technical troubleshooting, work scheduling, budget management.	
December 2000 <i>from</i> May 1999	Studio Assistant University of Louisiana at Monroe May 1999 – December 2000 (1 year 8 months)	Monroe, LA
	A student worker for the University of Louisiana at Monroe Photo Services Department under the tutelage of University Photographer Richard Lupo. Duties include, but were not limited to: Shooting student, staff and faculty head shots; Mixing chemicals for color/ black and white darkroom; Studio management (background and lighting set up, metering subjects, cleaning camera equipment, negative filing, Printing contact sheets.); Photographing sports (football, basketball, baseball, softball, tennis, soccer, volleyball), student life, campus scenery.	
August 1998 <i>from</i> November 1997	Laboratory Technician Fox Photo & One Hour Lab November 1997 – August 1998 (10 months)	Monroe, LA
	Working as a lab technician, duties included, but were not limited to camera sales, photo-finishing, one-hour lab maintenance, customer service, employee training, technical troubleshooting.	
ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES		
	{Teaching: Program and/or Course Development}	
For Summer 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Japan 2022 Photojournalism Summer Hub with Thilla Sivakumaran, Ph.D Vice Chancellor of Enrollment Management and Global; Courtney Sears, Assistant Director of Study Abroad; and Dr. Beverly Boals Gilbert 	
Summer 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • El Dorado-Zentsuji Sister City Internship Developed the El Dorado-Zentsuji Sister City Internship with El Dorado Mayor Veronica Smith-Creer to help foster relations between sister cities within the state of Arkansas and Japan 	

Summer 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digital Photography Summer Bootcamp Created, developed and taught the summer Digital Photography Bootcamp workshop for teens.
Spring 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poynter Co-created "The Photographer and the Mob" Professor's Press Pass teaching module. February 12, 2021
Fall 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AOS Developed and designed online Basic Digital Photography course, MDIA 2043 with Ashlee Walker of AOS for Creative Media Production.
{Teaching: Guest Speakers in Class}	
Fall 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kesley Chanler of the Texas Legends Texas Legends photographer and graphic designer Kelsey Chanler spoke to the MDIA 3093 Photo Storytelling 1class about working as professional female sports photographer. 12-02-2021
Spring 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brittany Williams of The Jonesboro Sun Brittany Williams of the Jonesboro Sun spoke to the MDIA 3013 Multimedia Reporting class about working with diverse skillsets and technology. 04-02-2021
Fall 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jonathan Reeves of KASU Jonathan Reeves of KASU spoke to Delta Digital News Service student workers about professional audio capture. 09-11-2020
Spring 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kevin Pieper as Joel Gambill Distinguished Speaker Distinguished Joel Gambill Speaker Series guest speaker Photographer Kevin Pieper. 03-10-2020
Spring 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Travis Clayton of Arkansas State University University Photographer Travis Clayton spoke to MDIA 3043 Reporting with Images class about working as a professional marketing and advertising photographer. 05-02-2020
Fall 2019	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quentin Winstine of The Jonesboro Sun Quentin Winstine of The Jonesboro Sun spoke to MDIA 3043 Reporting with Images class about being a professional photojournalist. 08-26-2019
{Inclusion of Topic of Diversity}	
Spring 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For All The World To See Students were required to attend "For All The World To See" Civil Rights Movement visual exhibition at the Arkansas State University Museum. Students took photos of 5 things that stood out to them and produced a presentation-lecture.
{Service: Institutional Committees}	
Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning Advisory Board Chair Ruth Owens
Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • College of Liberal Arts Recruiting Committee Chair Gina Hogue, Ph.D
Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School of Media & Journalism Recruiting Committee Chair Brad Rawlins, Ph.D
Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School of Media & Journalism Technology Committee Chair Galen Perkins
{Service to the University other than Committees}	

Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Faculty Advisor Delta Digital News Service
Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Faculty Advisor A-State SPJ Student Chapter
Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Faculty Advisor A-State Photography Club
Fall 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School of Media & Journalism Providing marketing photos
Fall 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • College of Education Providing photographic services for the college's annual alumni dinner
Summer 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • College of Engineering Providing photographic services for the college's annual alumni dinner
Spring 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A-State PRSSA Photographic Services / Assisted students with Public Relations Student Society of America with studio lighting for interviewing and recording alumni.
Spring 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School of Media & Journalism Free DemGaz Delivery Contacted executives with Arkansas Democrat-Gazette to get free access to El Dorado News Times and free Sunday delivery of the ADG for the School of Media and Journalism.
	{Service to Professional Organizations}
Fall 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AP Contest Judge Hired by AP Contest Coordinator Becky Day to judge entries in the 2019 New York State Associated Press Association Broadcast Contest for college contestants for the AP BNC (Better Newspaper Contest)
Spring 2019	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AP Contest Judge Hired by AP Contest Coordinator Becky Day to judge entries in the 2018 Pennsylvania Associated Press Media Editors Contest for the AP BNC (Better Newspaper Contest)
Fall 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AP Contest Judge Judged entries in the Associated Press Managing Editors Contest for the AP BNC (Better Newspaper Contest)
Spring 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SAAC Photography Contest Judge Judged entries in the 2018 South Arkansas Arts Center "The Viewfinder" photography competition
	{Service: Community}
Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tai Chi with T Providing T'ai chi chu' üan lessons in the Yang Family 10 & 24 and 108 forms
	{Service: Other}
Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • East Arkansas Area Agency on Aging Tai Chi Instructor / A volunteer instructor teaching Tai Chi for health to seniors.
	{Professional Development}
Spring 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SPJ FLA Facebook Journalism Project This 90-minute session led by SPJ past president, Lynn Walsh. (26) Lynn Walsh LinkedIn She co-leads the Trusting News Project and more info on their work can be found here: The Trusting News Team – Trusting News 11-12:30 PM - Jan. 6, 2022

Fall 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SPJNE: Uncovering Stephen Glass and Jayson Blair Attended SPJ New England’s Zoom discussion with Charles Lane and Macarena Hernández Dec 20, 2021 07:00 (East)
Fall 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SPJ FLA Google News Initiative’s “Google Tools & Data Journalism” Attended via Zoom SPJ’s Google News Initiative’s Google Tools & Data Journalism seminar hosted by Mike Reilley Dec. 9, 2021
Fall 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Atlanta Photojournalism Seminar Attended the online Atlanta Photojournalism Seminar Nov 12 – 13, 2021
Fall 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SPJ FLA (Future Leaders Academy) Selected to attend the SPJ FLA workshop. Carmel, ID Nov. 5 – 7, 2021
Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professor’s Press Pass by Poynter Continued training in journalism with current up-to-date case studies
Spring 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Zoom Meetings for Education Attended a 45 minute "Zoom Meetings for Education" to learn how to teach more effectively online. <i>Description: Audience: All Duration: 45 minutes Prerequisites: An understanding of e-mail and video conferencing principles is helpful. In this session you will learn: 1) How to download the Zoom applications and join a Zoom meeting; 2) How to schedule a meeting and send out invitations; 3) In-meeting controls and differentiation tools (including the waiting room, share screen, breakout rooms).</i> March 16, 2020
Summer 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Virtual Teachapalooza Attended Virtual Teachapalooza 2020, a virtual conference online at Poynter's News University e-learning website July 8, 2020
Summer 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Photographing Vulnerable Populations in Public Spaces: The Ethics of Protest Coverage Brent Lewis, photo editor at the New York Times, Tara Pixley, assistant professor at Loyola Marymount University and Carlos Gonzalez, photojournalist at the San Francisco Chronicle, led a discussion moderated by Leah Millis, photojournalist at Reuters, on photographing vulnerable populations in public spaces. July 10, 2020
Summer 2007	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The 13th Annual Cliff and Vi Edom Truth with A Camera (TWAC) Photojournalism Workshop Norfolk, VA August 11-17, 2007
Spring 2007	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poynter Institute’s News University
Spring 2007	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Poynter Institute’s “Compelling Photojournalism: Reporting & Editing” by Kenny Irby St. Petersburg, FL March 18-23, 2007
Fall 2007	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ASMP “Get Your DAM Stuff Together” by Peter Krogh New Orleans, LA January 2007
Fall 2006	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The NPPA 49th Annual Flying Short Course North Little Rock, AR. October 2006

{Consultation/Outside Employment Activities}	
1.5 Hours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consultant WEHCO Discussion with <u>WEHCO President of Digital Media Jay Horton</u> about diversity workshops and news coverage for the company's news editorial staff. Fall 2021
3 Days	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Freelance The Guardian Hired by <u>Deputy US Editor Susan Smith-Richardson</u> to document barber and Pastor Rev. Kenneth Thomas for a story on COVID in African American Communities. Summer 2021
1 Hour	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consultant El Dorado High School Conference with <u>El Dorado High School Journalism Teacher/Advisor Lauren Cross/McCarn</u> and her students via Zoom about the A-State MMJ Program, Delta Digital News Service and the <u>Report for A-State</u> Scholarship Program. Fall 2020
1 Hour	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consultant The Poynter Institute Conference with <u>Poynter Institute's Director of College Programming Barbara Allen</u> about how to survey some of our regular users and fans to better serve them in the future in some out-of-the-box ways. Fall 2020
4 Hours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Freelance Arkansas Democrat Gazette Hired by Jeff Mitchell of the Arkansas Democrat Gazette to cover tornado damage. Spring 2021
4 Hours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Freelance The Advocate Baton Rouge Hired by Assistant DOP Michael Dunlap to cover the A-State vs. ULL football game. Fall 2019
24 Hours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consultant Fox Creative School Assisted Millard Cover's 5th and 6th grade classes with developing the "Fox Meadow News Sentinel" newspaper for Nettleton Fox Creative School. Fall 2019
4 Hours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Freelance Arkansas Democrat Gazette Hired by Jeff Mitchell of the Arkansas Democrat Gazette to cover the A-State v. Georgia Southern football game. Fall 2019
SKILLS Software & Platforms	
{Platforms}	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Blackboard
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Faculty 180
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WordPress
{Software}	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adobe Creative Cloud (<i>Primarily – Acrobat, Audition, Lightroom, Photoshop/Bridge, InDesign/InCopy, Premiere, Illustrator</i>)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fetch/Cyberduck

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keynote
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Microsoft Office
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Photo Mechanic
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Photo Ninja/Noise Ninja

HONORS & AWARDS	
	{El Dorado Fire Department}
May 2019	<u>Media Person of the Year 2019</u> Issued by El Dorado Fire Department • May 2019 Associated with El Dorado News-Times The inaugural award for media personnel given by the City of El Dorado Fire Department.
	{Arkansas Press Association}
June 2019	1st Place, Single Sports Action Photograph Issued by Arkansas Press Association • June 2019 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Press Association Better Newspaper Editorial Contest, 1 st Place: Single Sports Action Photograph/2019
June 2019	2nd Place, Single Sports Action Photograph Issued by Arkansas Press Association • June 2019 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Press Association Better Newspaper Editorial Contest, 2 nd Place: Single Sports Action Photograph/2019
June 2019	3rd Place, Single Feature Photograph Issued by Arkansas Press Association • June 2019 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Press Association Better Newspaper Editorial Contest, 1 st Place: Single Feature Photograph/2019
June 2019	3rd Place, Single Sports Feature Photograph Issued by Arkansas Press Association • June 2019 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Press Association Better Newspaper Editorial Contest, 1 st Place: Single Sports Feature Photograph/2019
June 2019	3rd Place, Picture Page/Photo Essay Issued by Arkansas Press Association • June 2019 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Press Association Better Newspaper Editorial Contest, 1 st Place: Picture Page/Photo Essay /2019
June 2019	Honorable Mention, Single Sports Action Photograph Issued by Arkansas Press Association • June 2019 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Press Association Better Newspaper Editorial Contest, 1 st Place: Single Sports Action Photograph/2019

June 2017	1st Place, Single Feature Photograph Issued by Arkansas Press Association • June 2017 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Press Association Better Newspaper Editorial Contest, 1 st Place: Single Feature Photograph/2016
June 2017	1st Place, Single Sports Action Photograph Issued by Arkansas Press Association • June 2017 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Press Association Better Newspaper Editorial Contest, 1 st Place: Single Sports Action Photograph/2016
June 2017	2nd Place, Single Feature Photograph Issued by Arkansas Press Association • June 2017 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Press Association Better Newspaper Editorial Contest, 2 nd Place: Single Feature Photograph/2016
June 2017	3rd Place, Feature Story Issued by Arkansas Press Association • June 2017 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Press Association Better Newspaper Editorial Contest, 3 rd Place: Feature Story/2016
June 2016	2nd Place, Picture/Page Photo Essay Issued by Arkansas Press Association • June 2016 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Press Association Better Newspaper Editorial Contest, 2 nd Place: Picture Page Photo Essay/2015
	{Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors}
June 2018	1ST Place General Excellence 2018 Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2018 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 1 st Place: General Excellence 2018
June 2018	1ST Place Special Project • Community Service 2018 Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2018 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 1 st Place: Special Project • Community Service 2018
June 2018	1st Place, Feature Photo Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2018 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 1 st Place: Feature Photo 2017
June 2018	1st Place, Feature Sports Photo Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2018 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 1 st Place: Feature Sports Photo 2018
June 2018	1st Place, Photographer's Portfolio Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2018 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 1 st Place: Photographer's Portfolio 2017
June 2018	1st Place, Spot News Photo Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2018 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 1 st Place: Spot News Photo 2018

June 2018	1st Place, Spot Sports Photo Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2018 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 1 st Place: Spot Sports Photo 2018
June 2018	2nd Place, Feature Photo Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2018 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 2 nd Place: Feature Photo 2018
June 2018	2nd Place, Feature Sports Photo 2018 Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2018 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 2 nd Place: Feature Sports Photo 2018
June 2018	2nd Place, Special Project-Community Service Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2018 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 3 rd Place: Special Project-Community Service 2018
June 2018	2nd Place, Spot News Photo Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2018 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 2 nd Place: Spot News Photo 2018
June 2018	2nd Place, Spot Sports Photo Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2018 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 2 nd Place: Spot Sports Photo 2018
June 2018	3rd Place, Feature Photo Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2018 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 3 rd Place: Feature Photo 2018
June 2018	3rd Place, Spot News Photo Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2018 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 3 rd Place: Spot News Photo 2018
June 2018	3rd Place, Spot Sports Photo Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2018 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 3 rd Place: Spot Sports Photo 2018
June 2017	1st Place, Feature Photo Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2017 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 1 st Place: Feature Photo 2017
June 2017	1st Place, Photographer's Portfolio Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2017 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 1 st Place: Photographer's Portfolio 2017

June 2017	1st Place, Spot News Photo Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2017 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 1 st Place: Spot News Photo 2017
June 2017	3rd Place, Feature Photo Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2017 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 3 rd Place: Feature Photo 2017
June 2017	3rd Place, Spot Sports Photo Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2017 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 3 rd Place: Spot Sports Photo 2017
June 2017	3rd Place, Special Project-Community Service Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2017 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 3 rd Place: Special Project-Community Service 2017
June 2016	2nd Place Spot News Photo Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2016 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 2 nd Place: Spot News Photo 2016
June 2016	3rd Place Photographer's Portfolio Issued by Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors • June 2016 Associated with El Dorado News-Times Arkansas Associated Press Managing Editors, 3 rd Place: Photographer's Portfolio 2016
	{Louisiana Press Association}
June 2010	Honorable Mention, Best Photo Package Issued by Louisiana Press Association • June 2010 Associated with Gannett • USA Today Network • The News-Star LPA 2010 Better Newspaper Competition: Best Photo Package, Honorable Mention
June 2007	1st Place, Best Feature Photo Issued by Louisiana Press Association • June 2007 Associated with Gannett • USA Today Network • The News-Star LPA 2007 Better Newspaper Competition: Best Feature Photo, 1 st Place
June 2007	Honorable Mention, Best Feature Photo Issued by Louisiana Press Association • June 2007 Associated with Gannett • USA Today Network • The News-Star LPA 2007 Better Newspaper Competition: Best Feature Photo, Honorable Mention
	{Associated Press Managing Editors of Louisiana & Mississippi}
June 2010	2nd Place, Division III: Photo-Portrait Issued by Associated Press Managing Editors of Louisiana & Mississippi • June 2010 Associated with Gannett • USA Today Network • The News-Star APME of La. & Miss., 2 nd Place, Division III: Photo Portrait/2009
June 2010	3rd Place, Division III: Photo-Multi-picture Issued by Associated Press Managing Editors of Louisiana & Mississippi • June 2010 Associated with Gannett • USA Today

	Network • The News-Star APME of La. & Miss., 3 rd Place, Division III: Photo-Multi-picture/2009
June 2009	1st Place, Division III: Photo-Feature Issued by Associated Press Managing Editors of Louisiana & Mississippi • June 2009 Associated with Gannett • USA Today Network • The News-Star APME of La. & Miss., 1 st Place, Division III: Photo-Feature/2008
June 2009	1st Place, Division III: Photo-Spot News Issued by Associated Press Managing Editors of Louisiana & Mississippi • June 2009 Associated with Gannett • USA Today Network • The News-Star APME of La. & Miss., 1 st Place Division III: Photo-Spot News/2008
June 2009	2nd Place, Division III: Photo-General News Issued by Associated Press Managing Editors of Louisiana & Mississippi • June 2009 Associated with Gannett • USA Today Network • The News-Star APME of La. & Miss., 2 nd Place, Division III: Photo-General News/2008
June 2009	3rd Place, Division III: Photo-Portrait Issued by Associated Press Managing Editors of Louisiana & Mississippi • June 2009 Associated with Gannett • USA Today Network • The News-Star APME of La. & Miss., 3 rd Place, Division III: Photo-Portrait/2008
June 2008	1st Place, Division III: Photo-Portrait Issued by Associated Press Managing Editors of Louisiana & Mississippi • June 2008 Associated with Gannett • USA Today Network • The News-Star APME of La. & Miss., 1 st Place, Division III: Photo-Portrait/2007
June 2008	2nd Place, Division III: Photo-Sports Action Issued by Associated Press Managing Editors of Louisiana & Mississippi • June 2008 Associated with Gannett • USA Today Network • The News-Star APME of La. & Miss., 2 nd Place, Division III: Photo-Sports Action/2007
June 2008	3rd Place, Division III: Photo-General News Issued by Associated Press Managing Editors of Louisiana & Mississippi • June 2008 Associated with Gannett • USA Today Network • The News-Star APME of La. & Miss., 3 rd Place, Division III: Photo-General News/2007
June 2007	3rd Place, Division III: Photo-General News Issued by Associated Press Managing Editors of Louisiana & Mississippi • June 2007 Associated with Gannett • USA Today Network • The News-Star APME of La. & Miss., 3 rd Place, Division III: Photo-General News/2006
June 2007	3rd Place, Division III: Photo-Multi-Picture Issued by Associated Press Managing Editors of Louisiana & Mississippi • June 2007 Associated with Gannett • USA Today Network • The News-Star APME of La. & Miss., 3 rd Place, Division III: Photo-Multi-Picture/2006

	{National Press Photographers Association}
August 2009	3rd Place, Region 8: Feature Multiple “ River Baptisms ” Issued by National Press Photographers Association, Region 8 • Dec. 2009 Associated with NPPA NPPA Monthly News Clip Contest/August 2009
December 2008	2nd Place, Region 8: Spot News “ <i>A Smoky Warning</i> ” Issued by National Press Photographers Association, Region 8 • Dec. 2008 Associated with NPPA NPPA Monthly News Clip Contest/December 2008
MEMBERSHIPS Academic & Professional	
	{Academic}
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication
	{Professional}
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • American Society of Media Photographers • National Association of Black Journalists • National Press Photographers Association • Society of Professional Journalists • Society for News Design • The Society of Publication Designers
	{Other}
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Independent Tai Chi Instructors Association
CERTIFICATIONS	
	{Tai Chi for Health Institute}
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tai Chi for Arthritis Instructor • Tai Chi for Osteoporosis Instructor • Tai Chi for Arthritis and Fall Prevention Instructor • Seated Tai for Arthritis Instructor
EDITORIAL WORK FOR HIRE Pre-Academic	
<i>{Note: For more recent work, look at category Consultation/Outside Employment Activities above.}</i>	
	{Newspapers/Wire}
2011 to 2014	Stringer/Associated Press/2011 – 2014

	Hired by Gerald Herbert of Associated Press, New Orleans bureau to cover events in Northeast Louisiana on a per assignment basis
December 2009	Freelancer/Associated Press/December 2009
	Hired by Brian Schwanner of Associated Press, New Orleans bureau to cover the Louisiana Tech Lady Techsters vs. LSU Lady Tigers women's basketball game in Ruston, La.
May 2008	Freelancer/The Advocate/May 2008
	Hired by Director of Photography John Ballance to photograph environmental portraits of Mary Hendricks and her 10-year-old daughter Stacy Houston at their home in Vicksburg, Miss. for a story about National Missing Children's Month
August 2009	Freelancer/USA Today/August 2009
	Hired by Jud McCrehin to cover outdoor baptisms in Lake Providence, La. for a story about dwindling outdoor baptisms
March 2009	Freelancer/Associated Press/March 2009
	Hired by Bill Haber of Associated Press, New Orleans bureau to cover the 2009 Louisiana High School Athletic Association/State Farm Ladies Top 28 basketball Tournament in Monroe, La.
Fall 2005	Freelancer/The Times-Picayune/Fall 2005
	Hired by Dinah Rogers to cover Tulane University's football team and the challenges they have to go through after Hurricane Katrina
Fall 2005	Freelancer/Newsday/Fall 2005
	Hired by Jane Hwang to cover the life of Hurricane Katrina evacuees at the American Red Cross shelter in Monroe, La.
May 2006 <i>from</i> August 2001	Stringer/The News-Star/2001-2006
	Hired by Chief Photographer Margaret Croft to cover spot, sports and feature news events in Monroe, La.
	{Magazines Specialty Pubs}
Spring/Summer 2014	Contributor/The Journal of International Students/2014
	Encouraged by Dr. Krishna Bista to submit photos for the cover of The Journal of International Students [Volume 4 • 1 & Volume 4 • 3], an academic journal focusing on international students in higher education
March 2014	Freelancer/KoreAm Magazine/March 2014
	Hired by Julie Ha to conduct a photo shoot of ULM Asst. Women's Basketball Coach E. J. Ok for the May cover issue
December 2013	Freelancer/Daily Mail/December 2013
	Hired by Jolie Novak to capture photos of members and elements of A & E's Duck Dynasty

September 2010 & 2011	Freelancer/Louisiana Life Magazine/September 2010, 2011
	Hired by Kathryn Beck of Renaissance Publishing/Louisiana Life Magazine to take portraits of Dr. John Cooksey and Dr. Jason Read of Cooksey & Read Vision & Cosmetic Center in Monroe, La.
June 2008	Freelancer/Imagine Louisiana Magazine/June 2008
	Hired by Arthur Smith to photograph environmental portraits of real estate entrepreneur Melody Olson of Monroe, La.
January 2007	Freelancer/The Publication Coach/January 2007
	Hired by Daphne Gray-Grant to photograph environmental portraits of Weyerhaeuser employee Bill Fitch at their mill in Simsboro, La.

REFERENCES | Professional & Students

	{Professional}
	Michael Dunlap Photo Editor The Advocate of Baton Rouge 318-547-1462 mdunlap@theadvocate.com
	Randal Seyler News Editor The Courier News 870-219-1340 rseyler@couriernews.com
	Caitlan Butler Managing Editor The El Dorado News-Times 501-551-8891 cbutler@eldoradonews.com
	Quentin Winstine Freelance Photojournalist Self Employed 936-332-5638 quentin.winstine@gmail.com
	Kaitlyn Rigdon Marketing & Finance Coordinator The El Dorado-Union County Chamber of Commerce 903-461-9930 chamber@goeldorado.com
	{Students}
	Rangsiya Faihin A-State Staff Photojournalist for Delta Digital News Service 870-680-2996 rangsiya.faihin@smail.astate.edu
	Jessica McMillan A-State Photography & Photojournalism Student 501-213-5051 jessica.mcmillan1@smail.astate.edu
	Runa Takahashi A-State Photography Student & Applicant to the El Dorado-Zentsuji Sister City Program 870-219-0694 runa.takahash@smail.astate.edu
	Shona Nelson A-State Photography Student & President of the A-State Photography Club 615-818-5503 shona.nelson@smail.astate.edu
	Yoshika Shibata A-State Photography Student & Delta Digital News Service Worker Facebook Messenger yoshika.shibata@smail.astate.edu (NOTE: Currently out of the Country)

	Kagari Ito A-State Photography Student and El Dorado-Zentsuji Sister City Program Participant Facebook Messenger (<i>NOTE: Fall 2021 Graduate</i>)
--	--