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JOURNALISM EXPERIENCE

The Kitsap Sun, part of the USA Today Network

Washington, US
(Nov. 2022-Present)

Military Reporter

- Reporting on military affairs related to Naval Base Kitsap, the U.S. Navy's third largest installation in the U.S.
- Embarked with USS Nimitz to conduct 12 exclusive interviews with sailors and the aircraft carrier's new commanding officer for 4 days in 2023 on the Pacific Ocean as the only media professional invited onboard during the journey.
- Reported on NavalX Northwest Tech Bridge's contribution to commercializing new technologies and scouting those capable of solving combat-related problems for the Navy.
- Covered the Navy's Shipyard Infrastructure Optimization Program and its impact on Kitsap County and the nation's defense strategies.

Breaking News Reporter

(July 2021-May 2022; July 2022-Nov. 2022)

- Wrote one to five news stories per week for Kitsap County's largest daily newspaper. Topics included real estate, business, local politics, education, and social issues.
- Specialized in the localization of global affairs, which included the local impacts of Russia's invasion in Ukraine, U.S. military's evacuation in Afghanistan, and missionaries kidnapped in Haiti.

The Arizona Republic, part of the USA Today Network

Arizona, US
(Jan. 2021-May 2021)

Breaking News Intern Reporter

- Produced one to four breaking news stories per working day for the largest newspaper in Arizona.
- Contributed to in-person reporting and photography in southern Arizona in the coverage of sports, public health, racism and border issues as the only breaking news intern based in Tucson.

Radio Free Asia Mandarin Service

(Remote) Washington D.C., US

Intern Reporter

(Dec. 2020-Jan. 2021)

- Researched, wrote scripts, voiced and produced 18 radio news stories in Mandarin for radio broadcasts in five weeks under daily deadlines. Covered topics related to human rights, press freedom and U.S.-China affairs.

Taipei Times

Taipei, Taiwan

Website Editing Assistant (part-time)

(Sept. 2017-Jan. 2019)

- Uploaded daily news stories and photos to the website of Taipei Times, consistently meeting deadlines.
- Participated in several weekly meetings for interns on the Features desk and published a feature about Southeast Asian migrant workers in Taiwan.

The Jordan Times

Amman, Jordan

Intern

(May 2017-Jul. 2017)

- Proofread an English-language newspaper for Jordan, Middle East, World, Op-ed, Business, Sports and Life sections.

Insight Post International Affairs

Taipei, Taiwan

Contributing Writer

(Jan. 2016-Feb. 2017)

- Wrote explainer articles about Arab culture and language in Mandarin Chinese.

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

Amnesty International Taiwan Chapter

Taipei, Taiwan

Translation Intern (English - Chinese)

(April 2019-Jul. 2019)

- Translated articles related to human rights issues from English to Mandarin Chinese.

Reporters Without Borders, Taipei Representative Office

Taipei, Taiwan

Editorial Intern

(Oct. 2018-Jan. 2019)

- Monitored news in Mandarin Chinese and English and drafted statements about press freedom in East Asia.
- Researched and drafted China's global media influence for RSF's China report.

EDUCATION

Westcliff University

California, US

Master of Business Administration | Concentration: Data-Driven Decision Making, Global Business (June 2022-Present)

The University of Arizona

Arizona, US

Master of Arts | Major: Journalism

(Aug. 2019-May 2021)

Master's Project: A documentary recording how Taipei, Seattle and Houston-based Hong Kong activists promoted the liberty of Hong Kong in 2020 after the city's anti-extradition protests in 2019.

National Chengchi University

Taipei, Taiwan

Bachelor of Arts | Major: Arabic Language and Culture

(Sept. 2014-Jan. 2019)

Also participated in 2016 Summer Study Abroad program at Peking University, China.

University of Jordan

Amman, Jordan

Exchange Student

(Sept. 2016-May 2017)

Course: Modern Standard Arabic in level 5, level 6 offered by Language Center.

AFFILIATIONS

Asian American Journalists Association (AAJA) Member (May 2021-Present)
Military Reporters & Editors Member (Nov. 2022-Present)
Gannett Employee Resource Group | **Asian American Forward** Member (Aug. 2022-Present)
| **Military Forward** Member (Feb. 2023-Present)

AWARDS

SPJ Northwest Excellence in Journalists First Place Award, Racial Equity Reporting, 2023 Washington, US
Issued by the Society of Professional Journalists Western Washington Chapter to recognize Lin's series of reporting on Latino parents accusing North Kitsap schools of discrimination on the Kitsap Sun.

Excellence in International Journalism Award, 2021 Arizona, US
Presented by The University of Arizona School of Journalism to recognize contributions to border reporting or overseas work of a student.

Arizona Press Club Scholarship, 2021 Arizona, US
Awarded by Arizona Press Club to student journalists based on their work and merits as a reporter.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATION

Asian Congress for Media and Communication International Conference Taipei, Taiwan
Oral Presentation (Oct. 2018)
Investigative Journalism in Jordan: Development and Challenges in post-Arab Spring era

SKILLS

Languages: Mandarin Chinese Native Speaker, fluent in English, a basic knowledge of Modern Standard Arabic.
Multimedia: Adobe Premiere Pro, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Audition, shooting with DSLR.
Social Media: CrowdTangle, TweetDeck.
Writing: AP Style, news reporting
Website: Wordpress.org, Wix.com