

Christopher Butler

Journalist

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Experience

The Enterprise

Staff Reporter

Brockton, MA

April 2022 - Present

- Cover education, healthcare, mental healthcare, employment, housing and homelessness for the City of Brockton and surrounding towns including East and West Bridgewater
- Publish 2-4 news stories and 1-2 feature stories per week for the daily newspaper
- Use social media to maintain relationships with local communities
- Take original photographs and videos to accompany stories

Boston.com

Freelance Reporter

Boston, MA

Sept. 2021 – March 2022

- Provided local news coverage for the greater Boston area and general Massachusetts community focusing on community issues such as education, entertainment, cannabis and sports
- Pitched and wrote 1-3 news articles and in-depth features per week
- Took original photographs to accompany stories

AskMen

Freelancer

New York City, NY

June 2021 – Feb. 2022

- Write 1-2 articles per month in topics such as entertainment, men's lifestyle and mental health
- Interview celebrities for Q&A articles

GovSight

Contributor

Boston, MA

Feb. 2020 – Oct. 2020

- Pitched and wrote 1-2 articles per week providing context and analysis of current political events
- Interviewed politicians for weekly podcast series CheckIn
- Wrote and recorded news hits for weekly podcast series Insight

CNBC

Assignment Desk Intern

Englewood, NJ

Aug. 2019 – Dec. 2019

- Pitched and wrote articles for CNBC's special reports section focusing on electric vehicles and tech industry start-ups
- Aided reporters and producers on the breaking news desk by conducting man-on-the-street interviews, filming B-roll, fact checking, transcribing interviews, recording notes and editing footage
- Assisted with show production at the New York Stock Exchange for shows including "Squawk Alley" and "Closing Bell"

Education

Northeastern University

Bachelor of Arts degree in Journalism

Boston, MA

Dec. 2021

- Minor in Psychology

Achievements

Editor-in-chief of The Huntington News – Northeastern University's only independent newspaper – from Dec. 2019 – May 2020. Founding editor-in-chief in 2016 of The Trojan Voice, McDowell High School's (PA) only student-led news publication.

Skills

Interviewing, reporting, breaking news, feature writing, opinion writing, copyediting, podcasting, photography, AP style, fact checking, WordPress, Wix, Carbon, social media marketing & analytics, basics of Adobe InDesign, Final Cut Pro, Photoshop, Tableau, iNews, Stratus