# Taylyn Cogswell

BA MEDIA ARTS, JOURNALISM

# GENERAL OVERVIEW

An enthusiastic Media Arts graduate who majored in news writing and digital media, currently working full-time in Digital Marketing and looking for full-time remote opportunities in an exciting, fast-paced and creative work environment.

## **WORK HIGHLIGHTS**

# DIGITAL MARKETING

Kiara Sky & Glam and Glits. | Feb 2020-present

- PR Coordinating for product campaigns, authored blog posts, YouTube scripts, product descriptions, brand mission statement, customer-service auto-responses and more.
- Helped launch new e-commerce site on Shopify.
- Styled products and manages social media presence & engagement.

#### **WEB DESIGN**Creator and administrator | March 2018-present

- Created multiple business and portfolio webpages
- Provided original content, logos, icons, downloadable files, letterheads, business cards, SEO, and photographs to owners

#### FREELANCE PHOTOGRAPY

#### Self-employed | March 2016-present

- Travel photography, product photography, headshots & portraits
- Skilled in Adobe Photoshop, Lightroom.

#### SOCIAL MEDIA MANAGEMENT

#### Stockdale Radiology | September-November 2019

- Independently contracted to manage social media accounts and promote Breast Cancer Awareness, Rad Tech Week, relevant events, as well as advertise promotions
- Gained followers, significant engagement with existing audience, and increased traffic to the physical office.

#### **STAFF WRITER**

#### The Arbiter | Aug 2018-Dec 2018

- · Identified research strategies
- Conducted interviews with sources
- · Cold-called potential sources
- · Compiled information and wrote articles for print and web

# **MY EDUCATION**

# BOISE STATE UNIVERSITY

#### Communication Department, Graduated December 2019

- BA in Media Arts; Emphasis in Journalism
- Distinguished Honors, Magna Cum Laude (GPA: 3.7)
- Member of Phi Kappa Phi Honors Society
- Completed degree requirements in 2.5 years
- Thesis: The Splintering Influence of Columbine: An Application of Cultivation Theory, Cultural Scripts and Current Public Perception of Mass School Shootings

# ACHIEVEMENTS & AWARDS

#### Boise State Univerity:

Dean's List with Honors Spring 2019. Dean's List with High Honors Fall 2017 & Fall 2018. Dean's List with Highest Honors Spring 2018.

Liberty High School:

California State Seal of Biliteracy 2017 Golden State Seal Merit Diploma AP Scholar with Honor Award & Distinction Award

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