

YUTAO CHEN

MULTIMEDIA JOURNALIST

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

11.2020 - Present | Washington, D.C.

The Washington Post | News Designer

Design and develop digital projects that deliver rich story experiences.

Collaborate with photo, video and graphics team to conceptualize and produce multimedia stories.

07.2019- 11.2020 | Little Rock, AR

Arkansas Democrat-Gazette | Multimedia Editor

Designed and developed multimedia projects and data visualization.

Edited and curated daily news videos.

Trained reporters and editors in multimedia storytelling.

06.2018 - 08.2018 | Deerfield Beach, FL

South Florida Sun Sentinel | Photo/Video Intern

Photographed daily assignments including spot news, features and sports.

Shot and edited videos under deadlines.

SKILLS

Multimedia

Adobe Premiere Pro, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Lightroom, Photo Mechanic, Adobe Audition, Adobe After Effects, Drone piloting

Design & development

HTML, CSS, JavaScript, React, jQuery, Bootstrap, AMP Stories, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe InDesign

Data & mapping

D3.js, R, SQL, QGIS, Mapbox, OpenRefine, Leaflet, Excel, Tableau

Language

English, Mandarin Chinese

EDUCATION

08.2017- 05.2019

University of California, Berkeley | Master of Journalism

08.2015- 08.2017

University of Missouri-Columbia | Bachelor of Journalism

Honors: Kappa Tau Alpha, *Magna Cum Laude*

08.2013- 06.2015

Shanghai University | Majored in Journalism

AWARDS

Society for News Design's Best of Digital Design Competition

Line of Coverage: Other, *Silver*

Line of Coverage: Environment, Health & Science, *Bronze*

Design: International, *Bronze*

Portfolio: Story Page Design (Individual), *Award of Excellence*

Design: International, *Award of Excellence*

Design: Business, *Award of Excellence*

Format: Use of Data, *Award of Excellence*

Combination Print & Digital, *Award of Excellence*

Story Design (Sports), *Award of Excellence*

Inside Pages (Sports), *Award of Excellence*

Line of Coverage: Breaking (Unplanned), *Award of Excellence*

Line of Coverage: Business, *Award of Excellence*

Elements: Photography Design, *Award of Excellence*

Infographics: Environment & Science, *Award of Excellence*

Environment & Science, *Award of Excellence*

2023 Online Journalism Awards

General Excellence in Online Journalism, Large Newsroom, *Winner*

2023 Visa d'or franceinfo Award for the Best Digital News Story

Finalist

2022 Online Journalism Awards

Feature, Large Newsroom, *Finalist*

2022 Pulitzer Prize

Public Service, *Winner*

2021 Asian American Journalists Association Journalism Excellence Awards

Excellence in Online/Digital Journalism – Immersive Storytelling, *Final runner up*

2020 Telly Awards

Online: Documentary, *Silver*

Online: Aerial Cinematography, *Silver*

Tulsa Press Club Foundation Great Plains Journalism Award

Multimedia & Web: Multimedia Graphic, Project or Series, *Winner*

Online Project, *Winner*