# AMANDA FLORIAN

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Member of JAWS (The Journalism & Women Symposium) NAHJ (National Association of Hispanic Journalists)

Other Projects: Wrote, Edited and Produced "Someplace Like Home," a 20-minute documentary on homelessness in Johnson City, Tennessee.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

**Editorial Intern** Jan. 2017 - April 2017 Backstage Magazine – New York, New York Wrote 2-4 stories daily, worked on features and advice pieces for web and print, covered awards shows, covered film festivals and interviewed performers in New York City.

Editor in Chief Jan. 2016 - Jan. 2017

The Stampede – Johnson City, Tennessee Managed staff of 19, assigned and edited stories, created lineups for print, organized meetings and staff events, wrote for web and print, re-designed website.

Graphic Designer, The Stampede Aug. 2015 - Dec. 2015 Reporter, The Stampede Jan. 2015 - Jan. 2017

News Intern June 2016 - Aug. 2016 The American Journalism Center - Washington, D.C. Wrote news stories and features daily, worked on multimedia pieces, reported from The Supreme Court, recorded a podcast at the State Department, reported on the 2016 presidential election.

Collegiate Correspondent Jan. 2016 - May 2016

USA TODAY - Global Worked on news pieces on a weekly basis, pitched original story ideas, shot and edited video packages, recorded podcasts, traveled to cover rallies, protests and college events.

Contributing Writer, USA TODAY College Aug. 2015 - Jan. 2016

News Intern Aug. 2015 - Jan. 2016 WJHL-TV (CBS/ABC News Station) - Johnson City, Tennessee Gathered information for news stories, worked on TV scripts, worked with ENPS, captured footage, wrote for web, edited video with EDIUS.

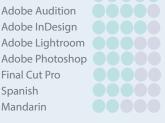
Radio Host Aug. 2013 - May 2016 WUMC 90.5 FM – Johnson City, Tennessee Co-hosted "Live with Tiffany and Amanda," a weekly radio show.

Performer Aug. 2014, July 2015 Ryan Seacrest Studios – Charlotte, North Carolina Performed at a children's hospital for the anniversary of Seacrest Studios.

Performer April 2013 NBC - Los Angeles, California Starred on NBC's "The Winner Is."

## SKILLS

Adobe Premiere Pro Vocalist Adobe Audition Adobe InDesign Final Cut Pro Spanish Mandarin



## **EDUCATION**

**B.A. Communications** Multimedia Journalism, **Film Studies** 

Johnson City, Tennessee Milligan College ('17)

**McCandlish Phillips** Journalism Institute -New York, New York The King's College (NYCJ)

#### **AWARDS**

Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges (2017)

Outstanding Journalism Award (2016) Milligan College

The Stampede Leadership Award (2016)

**Outstanding Communications** Student Scholarship Award (2015) Milligan College

Dean's List (2013-2017)

### **VOLUNTEER WORK**

Festa Italiana – Charlotte, North Carolina Performed at annual charity event that benefits Nevins Inc. (May 2008-2016)

Merit Badge Moviemaking Seminar – Johnson City, Tennessee Held a cinematography seminar for boy scouts. (Jan. 2016)

Hillsong NYC Film Team – New York, New York Worked on creative video projects for Hillsong Church. (Jan. 2017 - Present)

Grace Fellowship Church – Johnson City, Tennessee Operated cameras for productions and services. (Sept. 2014 - Jan. 2017)