

MATTHEW L. WRIGHT

EXPERIENCE

Daily Mail, New York, NY – *NY Online Reporter*

JULY 2016 – PRESENT

- Reports five to eight stories daily on breaking national and international news.
- Attends conference meetings and pitches stories pertaining to race, pop culture, entertainment and social justice.
- Conducted five months of in-depth feature reporting abroad in the U.K.
- Wrote five stories daily for the Showbiz desk, covering celebrity news.

Medill Marketing Department, Evanston, IL – *Marketing Intern*

JANUARY 2016 – JUNE 2016

- Designed Snapchat campaign and filters for Medill School of Journalism.
- Wrote notable alumni profiles and school updates for website.
- Designed logos and paraphernalia for students and visitors.

TheGrio, New York, NY – *Editorial Intern and Production Assistant*

OCTOBER 2015 – JANUARY 2016

- Wrote five stories daily and pitched stories on Black culture and news.
- Managed TheGrio's social media accounts during The Wiz Live.
- Operated cameras and audio equipment for interviews with Monica, Taye Diggs, Kirk Franklin and other notable celebrities.

Entertainment Weekly, New York, NY – *Editorial Intern*

AUGUST 2015 – OCTOBER 2015

- Published four articles daily about entertainment and pop culture.
- Attended regularly scheduled editorial meetings and pitched stories.

Medill Justice Project, Evanston, IL – *Editorial Intern*

JUNE 2015 – AUGUST 2015

- Did in-depth reporting on women in the prison industrial complex.
- Organized a trip into Coffee Creek Correctional Facility in Oregon.

EDUCATION

Northwestern University, Evanston, IL – *B.S. in Journalism and Political Science*

SPRING 2016

SKILLS

Proficient in CMS, Adobe Creative Suite, social media and Microsoft Suite usage. Savvy in photography, video as well as SEO and HTML. Speaks conversational Chinese.