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EDUCATION

FULBRIGHT U.S. STUDENT PROGRAM, Salvador da Bahia, Brazil (2025)

- Awarded competitive research grant to produce a documentary exploring Afro-Brazilian identity, culture, and the impacts of the trans-atlantic slave trade.
- Conducting independent field research, including interviews, ethnographic observation, and community engagement.
- Collaborating with local artists, historians, and cultural organizations to build authentic narratives and character-driven storytelling.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL, Chapel Hill, USA (2020 - 2024)

- B.A., Hussman School of Media and Journalism - Video Journalism Concentration
- **Honors:** Renwick Academic Achievement Award (2021), Dean's List (2023)

SALZBURG GLOBAL SEMINAR, Salzburg, Austria (2023)

- Joined the likes of Ruth Bader Ginsberg, Hillary Clinton, and Makaziwe Mandela as a Salzburg Global Fellow following my participation in the Salzburg Global Academy on Media & Global Change.
 - Engaged in insightful discussions and workshops focused on media pedagogy, digital storytelling, and the social impact of AI in journalism and education.
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SKILLS

- **Media:** Adobe Premiere Pro, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Express, Color Correction & Grading, Audio Mixing & Editing, Scriptwriting, WordPress, HTML, CSS
 - **Languages:** Fluent Portuguese and English, Conversational Spanish
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PROJECTS

Producer, *Pieces of a Legacy* (April 2024)

- Conceptualized, filmed, and edited a compelling video project highlighting the groundbreaking tenure of the first Black female mayor of Durham, North Carolina.
- Directed all aspects of pre-production, production, and post-production including research, scriptwriting, storyboard creation, camera operation, editing, and delivery.

Co-Producer, *Isla De Fuerza* (March 2023)

- Collaborated in the production of an award-winning documentary shedding light on the issue of beach privatization in Puerto Rico.
 - Led translation efforts to effectively convey the message from Spanish to English, ensuring broader accessibility and outreach.
 - **Honors:** Anthem Awards for Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion — Gold Winner (2023)
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ACTIVITIES

MINORITY ADVISING PROGRAM, UNC Chapel Hill — (2022-2024)

- Offered mentorship to help students navigate challenges unique to minority populations in higher education, including academic, social, and personal concerns.