Journalism-Reporter Intern

ORGANIZATION DESCRIPTION:
The Union-Bulletin is committed to serving the Walla Walla Valley by being its indispensable local news and information provider - distributing this in a way that best meets each individual's needs. The U-B will assume a leadership role in improving the quality of life of the Valley. Company Vision. The Union-Bulletin will be the preferred and most trusted source of local news and information for everyone in the Walla Walla Valley. We will achieve excellence in everything we do and be among the best in the nation compared to media companies our size.

PURPOSE OF POSITION:
Are you an English or communications student interested in using your skills to support the creation of a vibrant, healthy community? The Union Bulletin is recruiting interns to write news stories/multimedia stories. This unpaid position is a great opportunity to produce external communications and work on the ground on community issues. We hope to provide a portal for neighborhood news and events to better inform local residents.

KEY RESPONSIBILITY AREAS:
- Gather story ideas and write/produce news stories
- Work with staff to generate copy -- stories, journalism, event calendar, rewrites, etc. -- for print and digital publication.
- Fact check, proofread, format, and edit as necessary.
- Create videos and other multimedia communications to supplement news stories
- Performs related duties as required
- Position will likely involve assignments for stories outside the office that would also include interviewing techniques and meeting coverage.

Knowledge, Skills & Abilities:
- Pursuit of a Bachelor’s degree in English or Communications.
- Excellent writing, editing, and organizational skills.
- Attention to detail.
- Self-starter who can take direction and contribute ideas.
- The ability to work independently on projects while meeting deadlines.
- Photography and video skills a plus.
- Knowledge of standard workplace technology.

REQUIREMENTS:
- Current English or Communications student enrolled as either a Junior or Senior.
- Candidates should have strong interest in furthering their experience in the news, journalism, communications or related field.
- Excellent attention to detail
QUALIFIED CANDIDATES SHOULD EMAIL A RESUME AND COVER LETTER TO:

Interns should expect to complete 10-15 hours per week for 10 weeks during the term of internship. We understands the demands of class attendance and coursework, therefore we offer a degree of flexibility to our interns to ensure their continued success at University.

This is an unpaid internship.

We are proud to be an equal opportunity employer.

To Apply:
Email your resume and brief cover letter explaining why you are interested in this internship opportunity. List 3-4 learning objectives for your internship and describe your career objectives.

Send emails to:

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