Mary Klein

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Profile

I am a lifelong and seasoned writer with a BA in journalism that has sharpened my skills in reporting, multimedia storytelling, and content creation. I'm committed to sharing engaging and important narratives while also meeting the unique goals of each publication. I am a strong believer in the inherent value of long-form media, while also understanding the prevalence and impact of social networks and trends. Finally, my education is complemented by my experience at Cincinnati Magazine, contributions to campus publications, passion for literature, and attention to the arts.

Professional Experience

Editorial Intern

Cincinnati Magazine September 2024 - December 2024

- ★ Fact-checked stories for accuracy
- ★ Pitched story ideas for web publication
- ★ Took on several writing and reporting assignments
- ★ Worked on a hybrid office-remote schedule three days a week consistently
- ★ Used softwares such as Microsoft Word and Basecamp

Contributor

The News Record September 2023 - March 2025

- ★ Produced feature articles and op-eds relevant to campus life while utilizing AP style
- ★ Conducted interviews with sources
- ★ Attended weekly meetings and met article deadlines

Staff Writer

Title Magazine **August 2021 - January 2023** (*Issues 006-007*)

- ★ Interviewed a variety of artists for articles and videos
- ★ Supplied poetry and editorial work
- ★ Attended staff and group meetings
- ★ Assisted with photoshoots

Education

Bachelor of Arts, Journalism

University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH. August 2021 - April 2025

- ★ Honors and Awards: College of Arts & Sciences Dean's List (Fall 2021, Spring 2022, Fall 2022, Spring 2023, Fall 2023, Spring 2024, Fall 2024, Spring 2025).
- ★ Relevant Coursework: Journalism Research Political Reporting Advanced Reporting Media Law & Ethics Creative Writing & Literary Publishing Visual Reporting Feature Writing Intro to Contemporary Art Art History Interpersonal Communications

Certificate, Digital Broadcast News

University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH. August 2024 - April 2025

* Relevant Coursework: Media Bureau - Writing Across Media - Multimedia Fundamentals

Key Competencies

Professional Writing & Magazine Writing & Creative Writing & Reporting - Interviewing & AP Style & Multimedia Skills (Photography, Videography) & Premiere Pro & Indesign & SEO & Editing and Feedback & Digital Literacy & Transcription & Research & Microsoft Office and Google Suite & Creative Input & Social Media & Collaboration

Personal Projects

Creative Writing

- ★ Formatted, printed, and distributed a collaborative poetry zine
- ★ Served as co-editor of the quarterly feminist zine *Braids*, also providing critical essay material
- ★ Served as a poetry editor for the Spring 2024 issue of *Short Vine*
- ★ Have had works published in literary magazines such as *Bruiser*.
- ★ Been a featured reader at several poetry readings at local bookstores such as Roebling Books, Conveyor Belt Books, and Household Books

Musicianship

- ★ Run effective social media strategies to advertise local music projects
- ★ Create flyers digitally and by hand
- ★ Work with local venues to book and organize live shows
- ★ Diligently calculate and track costs and expenditures to ensure that no money comes out of the musicians' pockets