# TASNIM SHAMMA

# Multimedia Journalist

Atlanta, GA 30324



### **OBJECTIVE**

Investigate and produce data-driven online, print, and radio stories for local and national audiences

#### **EXPERIENCE**

WABE 90.1 FM // Atlanta's NPR News Station

Economy & Innovation Reporter // November 2014 - Present

Report local dailies and national feature-length technology, business and transportation stories

Princeton University Summer Journalism Program // Princeton, NJ

**Co-Director** // August 2006 - Present

Help low-income high school students pursue their ambition to work as professional journalists

WFAE 90.7 FM // Charlotte's NPR News Station

Multimedia Reporter // August 2012 - November 2014

Reported and produced daily news stories for broadcast – specializing in courts and crime Hosted *A Trifling Place* podcast, exploring the city's Southern traditions, history and culture

National Public Radio // Washington, DC & Miami, FL

Kroc Fellow // August 2011 - August 2012

Reported, produced and managed online content for NPR.org as web and multimedia producer Pitched story ideas, booked guests, edited segments as show producer for *All Things Considered* Reported and produced stories at NPR's National Desk for national shows like *Morning Edition* Broadcast local daily stories for four month reporting assignment at WLRN-Miami Herald News

#### TRAINING

ProPublica Data Institute / New York, NY / June 2017

The Star Tribune / Minneapolis, MN / Metro Desk Reporting Intern / June - September 2011

**Sports Illustrated** / New York, NY / Reporter Intern / January - June 2011 Fact-checked, reported and wrote magazine articles, also produced videos for iPad edition

**Newsweek** / New York, NY / Multimedia Intern / May - September 2010 Assisted indoor and outdoor shoots, produced and edited original video and slideshows

The Star-Ledger / Newark, NJ / Copy Editor & Reporting Intern / May - September 2009

The Daily Princetonian / Princeton, NJ / Multimedia Editor / September 2007 - February 2011

Chips Quinn Scholars Program For Diversity Multimedia Training / Nashville, TN / January 2010

#### **EDUCATION**

Princeton University // B.A. In English: Creative Writing & Journalism Track // May 2011

#### **AWARDS**

Technology Association of Georgia (TAG) Diversity in Technology GameChangers Award (June 2017) Georgia Associated Press Media Editors Award, Best Use Of Sound, Radio (June 2017)

First Place: Best Feature Reporting, Radio (June 2016)

Atlanta Press Club Awards of Excellence Finalist: Use of Sound (April 2016)

The Daily Princetonian Lawrence L. DuPraz Memorial Award (March 2011)

R.W. Apple '57 Award (April 2009)

Lewis Center for the Arts Award for Outstanding Work in Creative Writing (May 2010) National Press Club Persina Scholar; Gates Millennium Scholar (May 2007 – May 2011)

## **SKILLS**

Final Cut Pro, AV News, Adobe Audition, Core Publisher, Logic Pro, MultiTrack Editor, Audacity Fluent in Bengali, basic proficiency in Arabic and Spanish