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Employment

KTBC (FOX 7), Austin, Texas, June 2008 – August 2008

News Reporter- Intern (Nightside)

- Generated enterprise stories for reporters
- Field-produced stories for anchors
- Shadowed reporters for live shot, storytelling experience

KXAN Austin News (NBC), Austin, Texas, January 2008-May

New Media Reporter Intern/Broadcast (Dayside)

- Originated local stories for websites
- Posted AP stories
- Researched topics for daily web polls; posted daily web polls
- Shadowed political reporter during Presidential primary 2008

Chemonics International, Inc., Washington, D.C.

Paid Internship, Middle East Region

June 2002 – August 2002

June 2001 – July 2001

- Edited proposals for economic development projects
- Developed projects for communications department

USAID- AMIR Program, Amman, Jordan

Paid Internship

May 2004-August 2004

June 2000-July 2000

- Public relations for communications department
- Edited technical manuals for small business loan applicants

Education

The University of Texas at Austin

B.A. August 2008

Political Science (Major), English (Minor)

Internship Focus: Broadcast Journalism

Representative Coursework: Suicide Terrorism, Political Violence of South Asia, Sociology of Criminal Justice, Politics of Contemporary Africa, Indian Foreign Policy, International Relations

The New York School for Film and Television, July 2003

Skills

Computer: Proficient in iNews, Avid Instinct, Avid NewsCutter, Microsoft and Mac office productivity software

Background

Born in Sri Lanka and adopted by an American family; Became a U.S citizen; Lived in South Africa during the end of apartheid; Lived in The Gambia until the Coup of 1994; Evacuated from Jordan during the 2003 American invasion of Iraq. Have also lived in Hawaii, Louisiana, Jamaica and Austin, and Washington, D.C.