# **Reid Carter**

Writing, Editing, and Social Media Management

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#### **SKILLS**

Typing speed: 95 WPM

Strong oral and written communication.

Excels in deadline-based work environment.

Familiar with a wide variety of social media platforms.

Comfortable collaborating with team members and working alone.

Familiar with Microsoft Office, Google Analytics, Google AdWords, and MailChimp.

### AWARDS

Interlochen High Achievement Award, Fiction

Award presented by Fiction Writing faculty at Interlochen Center for the Arts.

Berkeley Fiction Review Sudden Fiction Contest -2nd Prize

1st runner-up in the short fiction contest held by the University of California - Berkeley's short fiction magazine.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## **Carnegie Museum of Natural History** - Pittsburgh, PA Advancement and Community Engagement Assistant

May 2016 - PRESENT

- Provided administrative and writing support for the fundraising team.
- Wrote and edited grant reports and applications, donation acknowledgements, and meeting minutes.
- Communicated with multiple departments to develop plans for events, exhibit openings, and fundraising campaigns.

### **90.5 WESA, NPR News & Talk** - Pittsburgh, PA Programming, Essential Pittsburgh & Web Content Fellow

April 2013 - May 2015

- Pitched, wrote, and copy-edited stories for online distribution.
- Worked with "Essential Pittsburgh" producers to craft content for a live radio talk show.
- Developed social media strategies and planned campaigns on Twitter and Facebook via Hootsuite.
- Prepared reports on site traffic and listener engagement to optimize the station's content and programming decisions.

### **Steeltown Entertainment Project -** Pittsburgh, PA *Production Intern*

January 2015 - May 2015

- Assisted the Production Manager at a busy Pittsburgh production company and industry pipeline.
- Edited video and audio files for pitch meetings, community presentations, and screenings.
- Managed the organization of company files and storage facilities.
- Performed on-site production and camera work at company events.

#### **EDUCATION**

**University of Pittsburgh,** Pittsburgh, PA — B.A. in English Writing, Sociology, and Film Studies

August 2011 - April 2015

Graduated magna cum laude with coursework focusing on writing, communication, and the modern media landscape.