BRANDON M. QUESTER

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Photojournalism, reporting and multimedia production for innovation in accountability journalism

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

New Media Innovation Lab – Phoenix Spring semester 2012 Mobile application researcher, designer and developer Entrepreneur: research, design and develop photo slideshow technology **Cronkite News Service** – Phoenix Fall semester 2011 Reporter, photographer and multimedia producer: environment beat National News21: Food Safety - Phoenix Fellow 2011 Reporter, photographer and multimedia producer Stateless in the Dominican Republic Spring 2011 Reporter, photographer and multimedia producer National News21: Transportation Safety - Phoenix Fall semester 2010 Photographer/multimedia producer Wyoming National Guard – Cheyenne, Wyo. Feb. 2009 - June 2010 Public Affairs Specialist (civilian): photographer, reporter and multimedia specialist Wyoming Tribune Eagle – Cheyenne May 2007 - Jan. 2009 Reporter/photographer: military and religion beat reporter, staff photographer and multimedia specialist **Associated Press** – Cheyenne June 2008 - June 2009 Photographer: freelancer East Valley Tribune - Mesa, Ariz. June 2005 – May 2007 Photographer: Contract freelancer, photo internship SWEAT Magazine - Scottsdale, Ariz. June 2004 – May 2007 Staff (previously an intern): Writer/photographer Olympic National Park - Olympic Peninsula, Wash. Summer/Fall 2006 Student Conservation Association backcountry ranger, Quinault District Wild land firefighter: ONP fire crew Howard G. Buffett Grant: Children of the Borderlands - Tempe, Ariz./Sonora, Mexico Spring 2006 Photographer: Documentary State Press - Tempe Fall semester 2005 Photo editor: Arizona State University student newspaper State Press Magazine - Tempe Spring semester 2005 Photographer: Arizona State University student magazine Arizona Highways Magazine - Phoenix Fall semester 2004 Internship: Writer and fact-checker for Arizona guidebook

EDUCATION

Arizona State University – Masters Candidate: Walter Cronkite School of Journalism and Mass Communication
Arizona State University - The Walter Cronkite School of Journalism and Mass Communication
Bachelor of Arts in journalism and mass communication, emphasis on photojournalism

Spring 2012
Winter 2005

<u>AWARDS</u>

- 1st Place Student Interactive Multimedia, Broadcast Education Association's Festival of Media Arts: "State of Change"
- Best of Show, Broadcast Education Association's Festival of Media Arts: "State of Change"
- 2nd Place Photo story: Wyoming Press Association state-wide competition
- 1st Place Western Regional: Society for Professional Journalists for Children of the Borderlands photo documentary
- National Finalist: Society for Professional Journalists for Children of the Borderlands photo documentary
- 1st Place Western Regional: Society for Professional Journalists for student Web site cronkitezine.asu.edu/Mexico
- National Finalist: Online News Association Awards for student Web site cronkitezine.adu.edu/Mexico

SKILLS

- Adobe Creative Suite Photoshop, Bridge, Dreamweaver, Flash, InDesign, and Illustrator as well as Macintosh and Microsoft operating systems
- Proficient in Final Cut Pro and Soundtrack Pro
- Experience with Nikon and Canon film and digital photographic equipment, as well as large and medium format cameras
- Skilled in Web design and development, using Flash, Dreamweaver, Content Management System operations, CSS, PHP