

# NATHAN HALE

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## EDUCATION

### **Columbia University, Graduate School of Journalism, New York**

Master of Science, May 2001

### **Columbia University, Columbia College, New York**

Bachelor of Arts, History, May 2000

### **Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass.**

Graduated, June 1996, Honor Roll

### **Parsons School of Design, New York**

Studied graphic design theory and computer skills, 2005

## HONORS

### **New Jersey Press Association**

**Editorial Contest**, 3rd Place, Design and Presentation, Feature Section

Page Design Portfolio (2006)

**Robert Shellow Gerdy Prize** for performance and commitment working for a student publication at Columbia University (May 2000)

## EXPERIENCE

### ***The Record and Herald News, New Jersey***

**September 2005–January 2010**

*Copy production editor (July 2009–January 2010)*

Built sections, designed pages and copy edited stories for business, features, travel and real estate sections for North Jersey Media Group's two daily papers, working with various editors, and photo, graphics and Web staffs.

*Copy editor (June 2008–July 2009)*

Served on joint news/features copy desk for *The Record* and *Herald News*, copy editing stories, writing headlines and captions. Also filled in as Web producer for northjersey.com, maintaining the site and covering desk at night.

*Acting assistant city editor (August 2007–June 2008)*

For *Herald News* city desk, managed four reporters, served as Sunday editor, attended news meetings, posted breaking news to Web, coordinated 2007 election coverage, helped redesign Web site and launch City Desk blog, and ran training sessions. Several of my reporters won awards for stories we worked on together.

*Features copy editor (September 2005–July 2007)*

For *Herald News* features department, served as copy editor/page designer for daily sections; was fully responsible for weekly sections for teens and children; served as liaison with local schools, NJPA and company's Newspapers in Education program.

### **Major League Baseball Properties, New York**

**February 2000–present**

*Freelance copy editor/writer, project editor/writer, intern*

Serve as chief copy editor for projects including All-Star Game, League Championship Series and World Series programs. Have handled story rewrites, maintained company stylebook, and developed and written features.

### **Arthur Frommer's Budget Travel, New York**

**May 2005**

*Freelance copy editor*

### **Asbury Park Press, Neptune, N.J.**

**September 2001–December 2003**

*Sports copy editor, sports coordinator for Reporter sections, sports staff writer for Reporter*

Worked on sports copy desk and wrote "On the Ball" Sunday column, featuring my take on the week in sports. Previously edited sports for nine zoned, weekly *Reporter* sections, handling all stages of assignment and production, including page design. Originally hired as lead *Reporter* sportswriter covering high school sports.

### **Newsday, Melville, N.Y.**

**Summer 2000**

*Intern, Sports Department*

Covered Mets, Yankees, MetroStars, LPGA, minor league baseball, Baseball Hall of Fame induction ceremonies and Empire State Games as a staff writer.

### **Columbia Daily Spectator, New York**

**September 1996–May 2000**

*Editor in chief (1999), sports editor (1998), associate sports editor (1997), sports staff writer (1996)*

As editor in chief, led corporate board, managing board and staff of over 150 at 10,000-circulation daily covering Columbia University and the surrounding community.

### **The Idea Logical Company, New York**

**June–December 1999**

*Intern*

Wrote, edited and helped produce online features on baseball history for CBS Sportsline.

### **The New Yorker, New York**

**Summer 1999**

*Intern in Art Department and Cartoon Department*

## SKILLS

**Computer:** Mac and PC, including Quark XPress, Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign), WordPress, TypePad, Clickability, basic HTML, LexisNexis, AGT photo system

**Foreign Language:** French