ZAHRAA AYYAD



JOURNALIST

PERSONAL PROFILE

Committed, creative, tenacious and experienced journalist with superior knowledge of the latest software and the ability to meet deadlines. A professional with a passion for community journalism and a reputation for impeccable ethics. Covered a wide range of topics, including breaking and local news, crime and court proceedings.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Archivist

Ghalico GROUP | 2017 - 2019

- responsible for assembling, cataloguing, preserving and managing valuable collections of historical information
- storing and preserving perishable documents

News Editor

Midad Group | 2020 - 2021

- oversee the work of all the newspaper
- staff allocate space for articles

News Editor and Media Specialist

Elnashra News | 2021 - Present

- check for legal and ethical issues
- Writing and editing news stories for publication on the website
- creating and administering content on all social media platforms
- ensuring social media strategy to achieve channel goals

EDUCATIONAL HISTORY

Lebanese University

BA in Journalism and Media Studies I 2019 - 2021

Lebanese University

Masters in Journalism and Communication Arts | 2021

- Present
 - Digital Journalism

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SKILLS SUMMARY

- Project Management
- Software Development
- Writing skills
- Research
- Interpersonal skills

INTERNSHIPS

- Al Mayadeen Online
 - ability to monitor and mine various sources for breaking news.
 - understand of what drives interest on social media platforms.
- American University In Beirut
 - Worked on 12 environmental projects around Lebanon with the media team of Environment Academy in AUB and MTV team.

COURSES

- Al Jazeera Media Institute
 - Participated with 12 online certificated courses in: Effective Online Presence, News Editing, Content Creation, documentary filmmaking, body language, photoshop, mobile journalism and covering refugee stories

REFERENCES

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QUALITIES

- CREATIVITY
- Teamwork
- Critical thinking
- Computer literacy
- Communication
- Patience

LANGUAGES

English
French