

## ABOUT ME

A driven, flexible and adaptable reporter who isn't afraid to ask the hard questions for a story.

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## EDUCATION

🎓 **OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY**  
B.A in Journalism  
2018

🎓 **WESTCHESTER ACADEMY  
FOR INTERNATIONAL  
STUDIES**  
2014

# LIZ HARDAWAY

## JOURNALIST

## EXPERIENCE

### GENERAL ASSIGNMENT REPORTER

#### **Sun Coast Media Group (Punta Gorda, Fla.)**

*(June 2018 - Present)*

Daily assignments range from shark fishing to pizza eating contests to legislative delegations. Also conducted long-term investigations with a heavy data element on water quality, effects of drug laws, poverty and health. Write on average two to three stories daily, along with corresponding photos, graphs and other multimedia elements needed to tell the story.

### INTERN

#### **Straus News (New York City, N.Y.)**

*(Sept. 2017 - Dec. 2017)*

Pitched hyper-local stories for Chelsea district. Story content ranged from local government initiatives, business profiles, covering events, and exploring the 2017 terror attack.

### ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT EDITOR

#### **The Transcript (Delaware, Ohio)**

*(Aug. 2016 - May 2017)*

Designed pages for bi-weekly student paper on InDesign, wrote 2-3 stories weekly including reviews of theater productions, events on campus, political updates, faculty meetings and a bi-weekly column on student government.

### INTERN

#### **Houstonia Magazine (Houston, Texas)**

*(May 2016 - August 2016)*

Writing topics ranged from local politics to Aboriginal art to restaurant owners challenging Food Network star Bobby Flay. Fact-checked articles daily and organized databases.

## SKILLS

Digital Media  
Feature Writing  
Data Journalism  
Social Media Management  
Photography  
Editing

InDesign  
Final Cut Pro  
Word, Excel, PowerPoint  
WordPress, Wix, Town News