

Eva Chillura, Journalist

Charleston, S.C., (843)670-7260, evachillura@gmail.com

LINKS

[Portfolio](#), [LinkedIn](#)

PROFILE

I am a journalist with four years of experience. I am driven by telling the stories of others and giving a voice to the silenced through my work and has a deep desire to pursue how digital media and journalism can connect us.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

- Jan 2024 — Present **Story Contributor, Planet Forward** Washington, D.C.
I submit sustainability and climate-related reporting to the online publication in a freelance capacity. My work for Planet Forward consists of reporting, writing and photography around the D.C. local area.
- Aug 2021 — Present **Captain, Cranes DC** Washington, D.C.
I serve, food run and have food training responsibilities at a One Star Michelin restaurant in D.C. My responsibilities include having a vast and dynamic understanding of the food and wine/sake lists while being able to communicate the complex menu and create a memorable guest experience. I am also tasked with the responsibility of training all new front-of-house staff.
- Jun 2023 — Dec 2023 **Talk Programming Intern, SiriusXM/POTUS Channel** Washington, D.C.
In my internship with the POTUS channel, I assisted with production on all shows from Laura Coates Show to the Michael Smerconish Program. I edited and produced promos, news clips, and on-air interviews, as well as helped book and call guests. I also researched headlines and news daily for each show.
- Jun 2021 — Aug 2021 **Content Digital Media Intern, SCETV/SC Public Radio** Columbia, S.C.
I had responsibilities in the newsroom that span from covering SC congressional meetings to producing episodes as a part of running series. The internship was full time for 10 weeks where I learned and worked for digital media journalists in the field and contributed to the work they produce.
- Feb 2021 — May 2021 **Research Assistant , George Washington University School of Media and Public Affairs** Washington, D.C.
Working directly under Professor Ethan Porter, I conducted research for a large scale discrete study within the department. My responsibilities included completing tasks on time, conducting safe and secure research of delicate topics, navigating social media and utilizing data and coding resources available.

EDUCATION

- May 2020 — May 2024 **B.A. Journalism and Mass Communications, George Washington University** Washington, D.C.
Relevant Coursework: Media Law, Journalism Ethics, Reporting in a Digital Age, Sustainability Reporting, Feature Writing
Student Journalism: Host of WRGW Radio Show "The Flaneur," 2021-2023
- Aug 2016 — May 2020 **High School Diploma , Wando High School** Mount Pleasant, S.C.
Graduate with an AP Academy degree of Highest Distinction
Editor in Chief of the Tribal Tribune, Pacemaker winner 2018 & 2020

SKILLS

Ability to Work in a Team
Video & Audio Editing
Data Analysis (R, Python, Microsoft Excel)
SEO and Research Knowledge
Communication Skills

RECOGNITIONS

Planet Forward Story Fest Finalist Best Feature Story, 2024
South Carolina Journalist of the Year, 2020
Al Neuharth Free Spirit Award Recipient, 2019
NSPA First Place Feature Story, 2018

