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FELLOWSHIPS & GRANTS

FELLOW

Alicia Patterson Foundation, 2020-2021

A six-month grant funded my reporting on the world's most endangered archives.

AFRICA GREAT LAKES FELLOW

International Women's Media

Foundation (IWMF), 2014-2018

A five-year long fellowship funded my reporting from the DR Congo, Rwanda, Uganda & South Sudan.

GRANTEE

IWMF

I reported on migration and conflict in Guatemala and El Salvador.

GRANTEE

The Gates Foundation, 2014

I reported on the Syrian refugee crisis in Jordan.

EDUCATION

SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM AND COMMUNICATIONS: MAGAZINE AND ELECTRONIC MEDIA

University of Oregon, 2008 -
2012

TRAINING

Hostile Environment and First
Aid Training, 2014 & 2016

10-week Intro to Documentary
Production Workshop, 2016

EXPERIENCE

STAFF WRITER

National Geographic magazine / November 2015 – July 2023

As a staff writer covering conflict, migration, human rights & culture I've worked widely across Africa and Central America. I've followed the migrant caravan, reported from the world's largest refugee camps, and joined Prince Harry on his royal tour of southern Africa. My stories have been turned into podcast episodes and a segment of the TV show *Explorer*.

I've also launched a series to tell forgotten stories from the archives—from a Nazi who infiltrated *National Geographic*, to the first American female photographer to die in combat.

CO-FOUNDER

The Milaya Project / April 2019 – Present

I am the cofounder of the Milaya Project, a nonprofit that started as an assignment for National Geographic. It supports South Sudanese refugees making traditional hand-embroidered textiles and is based in Bidibidi settlement in Uganda, the second largest refugee camp in the world.

REPORTER

The Daily Beast / April 2012 – October 2015

I covered breaking news with an emphasis on international affairs, and wrote a weekly column. My foreign reporting focused on Central Africa and the Middle East, where I wrote and photographed feature stories. During the *Newsweek* era, I also contributed to the magazine.

INTERNSHIPS

EDITORIAL INTERN

Newsweek & the Daily Beast / Winter 2011

ASME INTERN

Real Simple magazine / Summer 2011

COMMUNICATIONS INTERN

The Clinton Global Initiative / Summer 2010