

Joe Timmerman

Photojournalist

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Experience

Greater Project, Cincinnati-based non-profit
Photographer and Filmmaker | July 2021
Document the people and work Greater Project is involved with in Kenya, organize and direct interviews, edit pictures for the non-profit's use

Cincinnati Enquirer, Pulitzer Prize-winning daily newspaper in Greater Cincinnati
Photojournalist Intern | Jan. – May 2021
Photograph, pitch, produce and edit daily assignments for print and online news, collaborate with staff photojournalists, editors and reporters

National Press Photographers Association Ohio University Chapter
Vice President | July 2020 – Present
Introduced collaborative member zine: co-led project from picture editing to print production, organized professional photojournalists for presentations, executed interactive weekly meetings with both community and career building themes

The Post Athens, Ohio University's independent and student-run newspaper
Freelance Photojournalist | Sept. 2019 – Present
Photograph assignments for news, write, research, and interview for articles, pitch feature photo stories

Loveland Magazine, Loveland, Ohio's independently owned online newspaper
Freelance Photojournalist | Dec. 2018 – Aug. 2021
Frequently pitch and produce photo essays, photo illustrations, write stories, collaborate with editor

Skills

Ability to learn and grow from feedback, collaborate with others, be a leader, organize and plan ideas, follow through with projects, and edit work

Adobe softwares, digital and analog photography, Photo Mechanic, Sony camera systems, AP style

Education and Accolades

School of Visual Communication and
E.W. Scripps School of Journalism in the Scripps College of Communication, Ohio University
Majors: Photojournalism and Journalism
BS in Visual Communication, 2023
BS in Journalism, 2023

Ohio News Photographer Association
First place, Issue Illustration, POY 2020

Ohio University Honors Program
Dean's List: spring 2020, fall 2020, spring 2021
Mentor to two underclassmen, fall semester 2020

Charles L. Scott Scholarship
"Students elected to receive this scholarship have demonstrated excellence within the field of Visual Communication, as well as within the school and university," awarded by OU VisCom faculty, 2021

Loveland High School, honors graduate, 2019

References

Cara Owsley
Director of Photography at the Cincinnati Enquirer
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Stan Alost
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Molly Roberts
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