

Callie Hardy

Freelance writer and editor

Summary

I am a New Media student and freelance writer with a passion for film, entertainment and literature. I have been consistently writing both independently and for various websites, especially since moving to Ireland. I have experience in proofreading and editing and while my first language is French, my English level is near fluency. I have a good level of knowledge about pop culture and art in general, especially film.

Experience

Teen Belle Magazine / Reader

MAY 2020 - TODAY

Work as part of a magazine team promoting the value of inclusion and building new spaces of expression for marginalised people.

Key responsibilities:

- Read submissions from contributors ranging from poetry, fiction, essays and informative pieces
- Give feedback and advice within a seven day period on pieces uploaded on the website
- Assist with selecting and giving feedback about pieces for specific issues and anthologies

Babylon Radio Dublin / Intern Journalist and Editor

FEBRUARY 2020 - MAY 2020 - DUBLIN

Work as part of an international team to produce articles for an audience of Irish audience.

Key responsibilities:

- Write weekly streaming picks for Irish audiences
- Write articles about current events in Ireland, come up with new pitches each week
- Proofread and edit articles from other journalists
- Attend and organise editorial meetings
- Help out new writers with SEO and Wordpress, help them develop their ideas

Dun Laoghaire Institute of Art, Design and Technology / Student Ambassador

SEPTEMBER 2019 - TODAY - DUN LAOGHAIRE

Work as part of a team of IADT students to encourage future students to join the college and answer their questions.

Key responsibilities:

- Attend events like student fairs to present the course and collect student information
- Attend school visits and prepare presentations
- Conduct campus tours
- Post on the college's social media pages

Partenaires Sociaux / Summer Intern

JULY 2019 - AUGUST 2020

Work as an intern to help out a team of developers and customer service experts in their daily tasks.

Key responsibilities:

- Digitise all paper client files into online database
- Classify files
- Help with distributing and posting mail as well as small tasks whenever needed
- Help with PowerPoint presentations about the company's key software

Formation

Dun Laoghaire Institute of Art, Design and Technology / Bachelor's in New Media Studies

SEPTEMBER 2018 - JUNE 2022 - DUN LAOGHAIRE

A comprehensive four year course to prepare media students to take their place in the new digital environment.

Key skills:

- Gain understanding of history of media and journalism
- Produce and write documentaries, films, radio broadcasts and podcasts
- Acquire skills in common softwares such as Adobe Premiere Pro and Photoshop
- Have capacity to develop online portfolio and social media presence

Skills and work

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- Editing
 - Plan articles, maintain editorial calendar, knowledge of SEO
 - Communication, especially with writers
 - Teamwork
 - Fluency in French and English, conversational level in German
 - Time management
 - Video and photo editing
 - Blogging

Work published for Babylon Radio:

<https://babylonradio.com/author/callie-hardy/>

Film reviews and essays for Screen Queens:

<https://screen-queens.com/2020/05/15/review-bad-education/>

<https://screen-queens.com/2020/06/01/pretty-women-garry-marshalls-damsels-in-distress/>

Personal essay published on Make Muse:

<https://www.makemuse.online/content/read/how-my-mothers-body-changed-the-way-i-saw-my-own>

Independent reviewing work on Medium:

<https://medium.com/@apocallieperse>