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COMMUNICATIONS SPECIALIST

More than 35 years of experience as a journalist, including copy editing for the print and online editions of newspapers, department management and reporting. Adept at writing and editing blogs for websites and posting on Facebook, Twitter and LinkedIn.

SKILLS PROFILE

- Proven performance in multiple aspects of print and online journalism and production.
- Thorough knowledge of news, sports, business and features sections of newspapers.
- Ability to multitask, often editing multiple stories simultaneously.
- Excellent organizational skills and attention to details.
- Proficient in all aspects of editing.
- Can write and edit blogs for websites, posts for social media.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Signature Medical Group (Sept. 2016-Jan. 2018)

- **Editor, communications specialist:** Write and edit blogs and press releases for our website. Write posts on Facebook, Twitter and LinkedIn.

St. Louis Post-Dispatch (July 1984 – Sept. 2016)

- **2012-2016: News copy editor and wire editor:** Budget and edit national and international news and sports stories; news copy editor; edit and write headlines; sports wire and sports copy editor.
- **2007-2012: Features, business, news and sports copy editor:** Edit stories and write headlines for features, business, news and sports sections; compile wire stories.
- **2007-2012: Internet business producer:** Compile and edit business stories for website.
- **2001-2007: Sports copy editor:** Edit and write headlines for local and national sports copy; compiled stories from the national and international sports wires.
- **Also served as Sports Editor, St. Charles Bureau:** Covered high school and college sports for the St. Charles area; supervised staff and reporters and photographers; handled budgets. Was beat writer for **St. Louis Ambush Soccer team.**

EDUCATION

- B.S. in journalism from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.