

# MEGAN RUYLE

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### *Production designer, The Hill*

**1-5 days a week • Washington, D.C. • March 2009-present**  
Acted as art director for The Hill's Monday "Start The Week" publication • Designed inside news pages and section fronts  
• Selected wire and file photos for news and features pages  
• Created promotional materials for special sections and events  
• Designed charts and infographics • Edited and created images and updated content for TheHill.com

### *Copy editor, Gannett Government Media*

**Weekly • Springfield, Va. • October 2008-March 2009**  
Designed inside news and features pages for four military editions • Wrote headlines and cutlines • Checked facts  
• Edited local and wire copy • Posted and managed web content for the various *Military Times* websites

### *Contract copy editor/designer, Stars & Stripes*

**Daily • Washington, D.C. • August 2008-October 2008**  
Designed inside news and features pages for five international editions • Wrote headlines and cutlines • Checked facts  
• Edited local and wire copy

### *Page designer, Sun Journal*

**Daily • Lewiston, Maine • June 2007-August 2008**  
Designed front pages, city and regional fronts, inside news and features pages • Wrote headlines • Selected wire copy and photos for news and features pages • Designed cover for Sunday features section • Worked with editors and reporters to determine features content and art • Conceptualized photos and illustrations for features section and Sunday centerpieces

### *The Missourian*

**Daily • Columbia, Mo. • August 2005-May 2007**  
Graduate Research Assistant, designer and copy editor for eMprint, a twice-weekly downloadable, enriched media PDF of the daily newspaper • Art director for MiniMo, weekly children's section; redesigned section from a 4-page tabloid section to a single page back-and-front broadsheet page • Photo editor for news, features and sports • Art director for New Sunday, a four-page section and cover for weekly tabloid edition of The Missourian • Designer for sports, features and news

### *Copy editor/designer, Star-News*

**Daily • Wilmington, N.C. • January 2003-August 2005**  
Designed front pages • Checked facts • Edited local and wire copy • Designed section fronts • Read proofs • Wrote headlines and cutlines • Designed inside pages • Selected wire copy and photos • Performed quality control on final pages

## EDUCATION

### *University of Missouri – Columbia*

Completed coursework for a Master  
of Arts in Journalism, May 2007

### *UNC Wilmington*

Bachelor of Arts in English, Dec. 2002