VINCENT ALBAN VISUAL JOURNALIST

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EDUCATION

Rochester Institute of Technology - BFA - Photojournalism Class of 2023 Minor in Journalism Student in the Honors Program Dean's List, 2019-2023, Magna Cum Laude College of Art and Design Undergraduate Graduation Delegate

WORK EXPERIENCE

The Boston Globe, Boston, MA. | Summer 2023 Photography Intern

Photographed a wide variety of news including catastrophic flooding in Vermont and many feature stories, all filed from the field, many of which were on tight deadlines

The Baltimore Sun, Baltimore, Md. | Summer 2022 Visuals Intern

Photographed a wide variety of events, ranging from community block parties to The Preakness Stakes, as well as stories focusing on housing and the LGBTQIA+ community

RIT Center For Public Safety Initiatives Rochester, N.Y. | 2022 - Present

Student Photographer and Researcher

Photographed a variety of stories throughout the City of Rochester focusing on the impact of gun violence on residents and researched the root causes of the topic to connect the images to the history of segregation and inequality within minority communities

Two Palms Press, New York, N.Y. | Summer 2021 Studio Printmaking and Photography Intern

Assisted printmakers with various tasks such as silk screening, pressing prints, and mixing inks Assisted in the process of photographing and cataloging artwork produced in the studio

RIT Sportszone, Rochester, N.Y. | 2019 - 2020 Sports Photographer

Photographed on-campus sporting events with hourly filing deadline for publication on RIT Athletics website and social media

RIT School of Photographic Arts and Sciences Rochester, N.Y. | 2020 - Present

Equipment Cager and Imaging Systems Lab Print Specialist Assists students and faculty with checking in studios, cameras,

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Knowledgeable of all camera systems, computers and software, portable/nonportable lighting equipment, and printing

AWARDS & HONORS

80th Pictures of the Year International (POYi) Finalist, Community Awareness Award - 2023 Award of Excellence, Local Photographer of the Year - 2023

College Photographer of the Year (CPOY)

77th College Photographer of the Year, Gold, Portfolio - 2022 Gold, Documentary Photographic Project- 2022 Finalist, Sports Portfolio - 2022

White House News Photographers Assocation

Student Still Photographer of the Year - 2023

Eddie Adams Workshop XXXV

Getty Images Sports Assignment Award Recipient - 2022

The Alexia Student Grant - Runner Up - 2023

Atlanta Photojournalism Seminar

Dave Martin Student Grant Award Recipient - 2022

RIT NPPA Chapter "What We Do" Annual Contest Best Portfolio - 2022, 2023

National Press Photographers Foundation

Jimi Lott Scholarship - 2022 Bob East Scholarship - 2023 Col. William J. Lookadoo Award - 2023

National Press Photographers Assocation

Student Quarterly Clip Photographer of the Year - 2021

Rochester Institute of Technology

Jack Renfro Memorial Scholarship - 2021 RIT ART OUT Student Artwork Show - 2019, 2022

National YoungArts Foundation

Honorable Mention in Photography - 2019, 2020 Group exhibition, Sotheby's Auction House, NY, 2019

Congressional Art Competition

First Place in the 17th District of NY - 2019

SKILLS

FAA Part 107 Licensed Drone Pilot Profoto and Broncolor lighting gear Video and Audio Capturing FTP Filing Photo Mechanic, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Premiere