# Parashar Das

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## **Career Objective**

To establish a career in Media, focusing on journalism. I am driven to report the news and ensure an informed Australian public.

## **Experience/Skills**

INTERN, AUSTRALIAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION WASHINGTON BUREAU, WASHINGTON DC (JULY 2013)

- Pitching and Researching breaking US news.
- Radio/TV grabs from White House briefings, Court cases, Congressional Hearings.
- Focus on FISA Surveillance, Trayvon Martin Rallies, US/Egypt relations, US/Syria Relations, Bradley Manning trial.
- Working with Foreign Correspondents Lisa Millar, Jane Cowan, Michael Vincent and Executive Producer Mark Yates.
- Cool Edit Pro training.
- Transcripting Interviews.
- Sound Assistance for Bradley Manning Rally interviews with Foreign Correspondent Ben Knight.
- Sound/Lighting Assistance for Catalyst special on AIDS.

PRODUCER (NEWS), RADIO ADELAIDE BREAKFAST, UNIVERSITY OF ADELAIDE (NOV 2012 - PRESENT)

- Pitching + Researching breaking news
- Scripting Radio Interviews
- Briefing Presenter
- Finding/Pre-Interviewing Talent
- trained in Radio Production

BAR STAFF, EXETER HOTEL (DEC 2010 - PRESENT)

- Glassie/Occasional bar service
- Coordinating and maintaining fun and vibrant Glassie team.
- Ensuring the bartenders are fully provided with glasses, stock and updated on the running of the pub.
- Helping/guiding customers
- Assisting with the bands + sound guy

IMPROVISATIONAL TRIO RESIDENCY @ TSUBU BAR, UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE (5-8 PM FRIDAY, MARCH - JUNE 2010)

- improvising a dynamic and engaging 3 hour performance
- being able to interact and judge the mood of the customers
- strict organization of transport, equipment and rehearsals

PART TIME DISHHAND, TRINITY COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE (AUG 2009-NOV 2010)

- working with industrial washing machine/handwashing
- collection of dishes, changing of bins
- cleaning of dining area
- serving platters and cleaning at functions.

### **Education**

Eynesbury Senior College — South Australian Certificate of Education, 2008.

Trinity College, University of Melbourne (Partial) — Bachelor of Arts (Psychology/International Relations), 2009-2011.

University of Adelaide — Bachelor of Law/Bachelor of Media (double degree program),

2011-present.

## **Academic Achievements**

- 2012 Student Ambassador for Faculty of the Professions
  - Distinction Average for Semester Two courses
- 2011- Recognition of High Achievement University of Adelaide
  - High Distinction in Critical Histories of the Image
  - Distinction in Story/Technology
- 2010 Distinction in Media, Politics, Society University of Melbourne

### Referrals

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