



# DYLAN Z. LEPORE

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## ABOUT ME

Dylan Lepore is a freelance journalist living in Richmond Virginia. He started his career freelancing for smaller mediums such as Brutal Gamer and Radford University's newspaper The Tartan. He is self-taught in web design, Indesign, and WordPress. He lead the redesign and relaunch of Rutartan.com with a workable mobile website and the entire newspaper's organization.

## SKILLS

- AP Style
- Being direct, honest, and confident
- Building websites and social media accounts that stand out and work
- Getting the job done
- Adobe InDesign/Premiere/Photoshop
- iTunes/Soundcloud
- Leadership
- Podcasting
- Sony Vegas 14/YouTube/Canva

## EXPERIENCE

### STAFF WRITER • BRUTAL GAMER

•Writing freelance videogame news post's bi-weekly •Writing videogame reviews from 200 to 1,200 words •Interviewing people from Jeffrey Farber, owner of lup Forge, to Garry Schyman, the composer of BioShock

### EDITOR-IN-CHIEF/STAFF WRITER/PHOTOGRAPHER • THE TARTAN

•Building the Tartan from the ground up •Building up a team of editors and writers from just one to 25 •Solely teaching myself InDesign •Getting out the paper timely and with limited mistakes •Being very open to criticism and new ideas •Communicating with my team daily •Taking on the harder subjects •Capturing photos that pull the audience in •Conducting and coordinating a number of interviews

### COMMUNICATIONS & SOCIAL MEDIA ASSISTANT • RADFORD'S CARRER CENTER

•Monitored the front desk •Designing and creating advertisements for upcoming career fairs •Manage their Twitter account •Being a photographer at events and taking headshots

### Backpacks for the Homeless

•Homeless funding

## EDUCATION

### MEDIA STUDIES, B.S., JOURNALISM • RADFORD UNIVERSITY

Overall GPA 3.739 | Major GPA 3.94

•Outstanding Sophomore in Media Studies of the Year •Blake Edward Fought Student Media Scholarship •Dean's List •National Society of Collegiate Scholars

### DUAL-ENROLLMENT • JOHN TYLER COMMUNITY COLLEGE



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