# SAMANTHA STIDHAM

### Multimedia Journalist - Filmmaker - Storyteller



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### **EDUCATION**

### **BACHELOR OF ARTS**

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN MADISON 2020 - 2024

## **Achievements**

- IES Abroad Film Fest Winner 2023
- Jury Member IES Abroad Film Fest 2024
- Go Abroad Innovative Student Video Award 2024
- Panelist at the Wi Summit for Natural Resources 2024
- Graduate of Distinction

# **SKILLS**

- Writing
- Film
- Editing
- Adobe Suite
- Narrative Construction
- Info Gathering/Research
- Independent/Self Motivated
- Innovator
- Time Management
- Excellent Collaborator
- Professional
- Problem Solving

## **ABOUT ME**

I am a passionate and innovative storyteller with an eye for detail. I pride myself on being an outgoing, self-motivated individual who is driven to create timely media content guided by authenticity, empathy, and accuracy. I have experience as both a team member, and a team leader, and believe that communication is key to any work environment.

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### **MULTIMEDIA MARKETING INTERN**

**IES ABROAD** 

Jan 2025 - June 2025

- As an intern I worked with the marketing team on a variety of multi media projects from conception to release.
- Responsible for filming, editing, writing, pitching, web design, and distribution of digital content.
- Audience engagement, and content performance, research.
- Concept development, and research, offering new and innovative ideas.
- Collaboration with several different roles and aspects of the IES Abroad team.

#### FREELANCE MULTIMEDIA JOURNALIST

**VARIOUS ORGINIZATIONS** 

Dec 2023 - Present

- Content creation for Process Media, 350
  Wi, Southern Wi Bird Alliance, Wi Master
  Naturalists, and Imaginary People
  Productions.
- Responsible for filming, editing, interviewing, research, and concept development for a variety of platforms.
- Collaboration and communication between parties for successful products.
- Self motivated time management and scheduling.