

# MARLEE CRAWFORD

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## EXPERIENCE

### *Photojournalist, [Valley News Live](#)*

Sept. 2018 - June 2020

- Breaking news, event, feature and live coverage
- Field videographer for Valley Today morning show
- Shoot and edit video on hard deadlines

### *Photo Intern, [University of Mississippi Communications](#)*

Sept. 2016 - Aug. 2018

- News, event, feature and sports photography coverage
- Studio portraits
- Complete photo requests for clients in a timely manner

### *Photo Editor, [The Daily Mississippian](#)*

Aug. 2017 - April 2018

- News, feature and sports photo coverage for print and online
- Manage staff of 15 student photographers
- Lead workshops and teach for staff members to grow in skills

## SPECIAL PROJECTS

### *[Into the Storm](#), Hurricane Harvey coverage*

Sept. 2017

- Feature and news coverage for online and print content
- Try to humanize the disaster and spread awareness of the recovery process
- Be open-minded and sympathetic while covering a sensitive subject

### *[Ole Miss in Sri Lanka](#), in-depth report*

Aug. 2017

- Feature and news multimedia coverage for magazine and website
- Work in a new environment with a language barrier to portray a different culture
- Cover a country transforming from a civil war that lasted about three decades

### **Kentucky Derby 2017**

- Assist Bill Frakes with [ESPN](#) and Laura Heald with Sports Illustrated
- Help set up and take down about 35 cameras used to photograph the two-minute race and be in charge of two cameras during the race

## EDUCATION

*The University of Mississippi, 2014 - 2018*

*Oxford, Mississippi*

*Bachelor of Arts in Journalism*

*Minor in Psychology*

*The University of Leicester, Spring 2016*

*Leicester, England*

## AWARDS

- Hearst 2017-2018 Multimedia Team Reporting - Top 20
- Society of Professional Journalists 2017 Region 12 Mark of Excellence Award - Breaking News Photography - 1st place
- Southeastern Journalism Conference 2018 On-site Sports Photography - 1st place
- 2017 Louisiana-Mississippi Associated Press contest - Documentary Video (group) - 2nd place
- Southeastern Journalism Conference 2018 Best of the South - Best Press Photographer - Ranked 5th
- Lambda Sigma Award 2018 for best all-around journalism student | University of Mississippi School of Journalism and New Media
- MSU/SND Design Contest 2018 - Digital Storytelling (group) - 3rd place

## SKILLS

- FAA Part 107 Drone Pilot License
- Adobe Photoshop
- Adobe Premiere Pro
- Adobe InDesign,
- Adobe After Effects
- Adobe Audition
- EDIUS
- Photo Mechanic
- WordPress/CMS
- Microwave Truck