**Andrew Katz**

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Internship Availability Summer 2024: June 5th - September 8th

**EDUCATION**

**Northwestern University** *Evanston, IL*

*Bachelor of Science in Journalism; Minors in Creative Writing and Business Institutions Expected Graduation* *June 2025*

*Integrated Marketing Communications Certificate*

Cumulative GPA: **3.7/4.0** — Dean’s List

Relevant Coursework: Journalism, Writing and Speaking in Business, Economics

**Southern Methodist University** *Dallas, Texas*

*Visiting Student during Gap Year August 2020 - December 2020*

Took courses in Sports Marketing, Microeconomics, and Film Criticism to prepare for college level courses.

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**WPSD Local 6 - NBC**  *Paducah, KY*

*Sports Reporter June 2023 – September 2023*

* Covered a variety of local high school and college sports including, but not limited to, basketball, volleyball, football, soccer, trapshooting, cross country and baseball.
* Learned how to operate a camera for interviews, b-roll, standups, and highlights.
* Familiarized myself with editing platforms and learned how to put together packages that spanned from 90 seconds to two minutes.
* Anchored for the station’s high school football show, “Gridiron Glory,” announcing highlights of games I shot that night.

[**Grizzly Bear Blues**](https://www.grizzlybearblues.com/search?q=Andrew+Katz)*Remote*

*Senior Staff Writer January 2022 - Present*

* Cover Memphis Grizzlies basketball games through pregame and post-game articles.
* Write feature pieces going in-depth on the Memphis Grizzlies, many of which are reposted on Best of SB Nation NBA.
* Appear on podcasts within the Grizzly Bear Blues podcast network.
* Run the Grizzly Bear Blues Twitter account with over 20.6 thousand followers during games.

**West Kentucky Star** *Paducah, KY*

*Newsroom Intern May 2020 - August 2020*

* Wrote 5-8 articles a day using sources emailing local news to the station.
* Provided timely traffic updates, police reports, and public health policies.
* Covered mayoral debates and city council meetings as a representative of the West Kentucky Star.
* Recorded radio clips covering local news for the station’s afternoon updates.

**Clubs and Organizations**

**North by Northwestern** *September 2022 – Present*

*Staff Writer*

* Wrote a profile on Boo Buie, Northwestern’s star point guard.
* Wrote a deep dive on Spider-Man: No Way Home.
* Wrote a review of Ozark Season Four Part One.

**Northwestern Crossword Team** *October 2021 - Present*

*Wellness Chair and member of Recruitment Committee*

* Offer wellness checks at weekly practices.
* Create the team’s application for the Fall and Spring recruitment processes.
* Evaluate and review applications for Fall and Spring recruitment process.

**Alpha Epsilon Pi**  *January 2022 - March 2023*

*House Manager*

* Collected and communicated relevant housing information to brothers of Alpha Epsilon Pi.
* Submitted maintenance requests and took care of all housing needs.
* Held the master key helping brothers into rooms when locked out or in emergency situations.
* Worked shifts for AEPi Dog Days fundraiser for the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention.

**Interests**

Analytical sports fan with journalism experience, an interest in business and marketing, a love for writing and a deep understanding of the current state of football, basketball, and pop culture.