

# Elise Reuter

— Reporter. Researcher.  
Multimedia storyteller.

## Professional Experience

**The Summit Daily News - Frisco, CO**  
Staff Reporter, March 2015 to present

- Produced weekly business section, including features, monthly sales tax and real estate updates and industry profiles.
- Covered crime beat, including three felony trials in one summer.
- Pushed breaking coverage on a medical helicopter crash, with continuing coverage including video and research-intensive features.

**The Kansas City Business Journal - Kansas City, MO**  
Intern, May 2014 to August 2014

- Created daily web and weekly print content, with a focus on business policy and legislation.
- Planned and created print packages, including a centerpiece on Kansas tax policy.

**The Kansas City Star - Kansas City, MO**  
Editorial Intern, September 2013 to December 2013

- Wrote columns and produced editorial videos for *The Kansas City Star's* opinion section.
- Proofread pages, copy edited stories and updated *The Star's* website.

**KU Statehouse Wire Service - Topeka, KS**  
Statehouse Correspondent, January 2014 to May 2014

- Reported on Kansas legislation for the KU Statehouse Wire Service and the *Lawrence Journal-World*.

**The University Daily Kansan - Lawrence, KS**  
Copy Chief, August 2013 to December 2013

- Managed a staff of four copy editors for *The Kansan's* Monday edition.

Copy Editor, January 2013 to May 2013

News Correspondent, September 2011 to November 2012

**The Gazette - Colorado Springs, CO**  
Intern, June 2012 to August 2012  
Intern, August 2010 to June 2011

- Wrote features covering the Waldo Canyon Fire, one of the most destructive wildfires in Colorado to date.
- Reported on sports, recreation and land use for [outtherecolorado.com](http://outtherecolorado.com)

## Special Projects

**Takehashi Youth Exchange Project - Tokyo, Japan**  
June 23 to July 3, 2014

- Created a [video](#) to document a cultural exchange program with the Laurasian Institution and the Japan Foundation.

**CRISIS (Center for Remote Sensing of Ice Sheets - Lawrence, KS)**  
Staff Writer, March 2014 to May 2014

- Wrote articles following NSF research in Antarctica and Greenland.

## Contact

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## Education

**University of Kansas**

Lawrence, Kan.  
Bachelor of Sciences in journalism  
Bachelor of Arts in French  
Minor in international studies  
University Honors Program  
Graduation: December 2014

**Université Catholique de l'Ouest**

Angers, France  
Sept. 2014 – Dec. 2014  
Study abroad: French language

## Awards

**Colorado Press Association**

- Best online breaking news, class 7:  
Awarded for a July, 2015 breaking news story on a deadly helicopter crash
- Best news story, class 1:  
For coverage of a recent murder suicide.

## Skills

**Video**

- Proficient with Final Cut Pro, Adobe Premier and iMovie editing software

**Editing**

- Proficient in AP Style

**Research**

- Find company financials and shareholder information using SEC documents (10K, DEF 14A, 10Q, etc.)
- Find nonprofit balance sheets on Guidestar (Form 990).

**Web**

- Proficient with Dreamweaver.
- Create websites with HTML5 and CSS3
- Basic SEO
- Social: Facebook, Twitter, Hootsuite, LinkedIn, Instagram and YouTube

**Languages**

- French: Full professional proficiency