

# SAVANNAH SCHULTZ

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## PROFILE

Visual storyteller and journalism student with experience in environmental and community-focused reporting, editorial production, and visual storytelling. Familiar with Adobe Creative Suite and publication-ready formatting, with an emphasis on accuracy, organization, and clarity. Known for a careful, methodical working style and strong follow-through. Interested in roles that value thoughtful storytelling, environmental awareness, and responsible communication.

## EXPERIENCE

### Staff Writer & Photographer – The OU Daily

Norman, OK | Spring 2025 – Present

- Report culture and community stories for digital platforms, with an emphasis on accuracy and context
- Collaborate with editors and peers through revisions and story development
- Edit and format content for publication-ready style, consistency, and quality control

### Freelance Journalist – Various Publications

Oklahoma | 2025

- Produce environmental and community feature stories with supporting photography and videography
- Develop written and visual content through interviews, research, and careful revision

### Founder & Graphic Designer – Look Alive Customs

Tehachapi, CA | 2021 – 2023

- Deliver branded graphics and custom merchandise for small business clients
- Manage client communication, revisions, and project timelines with organization and follow-through
- Prepare organized, publication-ready design assets with attention to detail

## SKILLS

### Writing & Editing

- Writing and copy editing focused on clarity and accuracy
- Careful revision and attention to detail

### Research & Organization

- Research-driven reporting
- Organized workflow and information synthesis
- Quality control and dependable follow-through

### Collaboration

- Clear, respectful communication with editors and teams
- Adaptable to feedback while maintaining quality

### Design & Tools

- Adobe Creative Suite and Canva

## EDUCATION

### University of Oklahoma – B.A. Journalism, Minor: General Business

Aug 2023 – Present | Dean's List

**Relevant Coursework:** Visual Storytelling, Digital Web Design, News Writing & Reporting, Media Law, Long-form Storytelling