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Richmond 2015: The Summary

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I am a Broadcast/Journalism major and I was so excited this past summer when I saw the email about an opportunity for VCU student's to get involved with the UCI Worlds. I had already planned to apply for credentials and photograph the event but once I was selected to work with Richmond Times-Dispatch (RTD) it took my excitement to the next level.

Working with RTD was truly a wonderful opportunity. I had so many questions because I'm so eager to learn, and the RTD staff was very kind and informative. Each staff member I engaged with had great tips to offer me and detailed instructions on how to improve my photography mechanics as well as my storytelling through photography. I learned some priceless information during the UCI Worlds and I am now able to add yet another great experience to my resume.

The closets event I've covered on this magnitude of a scale would be the USA Basketball Women's National Team last year. This consisted of the top professional athletes in the United States competing for the opportunity to represent our country overseas, where they ended up winning the Gold Medal. During that even I had the opportunity to travel to Annapolis, Maryland at the Naval academy and also to the University of Delaware.

The UCI Worlds was definitely a new experience for me. I haven't seen a bike race in person before, and for it to be of this magnitude it was awesome. The online components of the class were kind of weird, but they were helpful as well. Being told how to tweet was the awkward part, but the hashtags and classmate support was beneficial. I also knew nothing about Storify before this class; that was a pretty cool way of telling the story.

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- I am studying Broadcast/Journalism at VCU and I will be graduating in December 2015.
- I am interested in music, sports, photography and video production.
- I signed up for this course to add to my experience in the field I plan to pursue full-time after graduating. I also realized how big of an event this will be, couldn't pass up an opportunity like this so I planed to photograph the events even if I wasn't selected. Being selected is truly an honor and shows that hard work pays off.
- I do casually bike, however I haven't in quite some time. I don't have prior experience with bicycle racing other than watching on television, so I'm excited to see what it looks like in person at this magnitude of an event.
- I am most active on Instagram; it is where I display my photography work and other things going on in my life. You can find me on Instagram or Twitter at the same handle, @TravieTrav_DMV . I tend to use Facebook to keep in touch with relatives and former high school friends.