



Dylan Tarr

About Me

Dylan Tarr is a Grand Rapids-based writer, fiction junkie, and rock and roll purist. Besides writing he loves Jawbreaker, *Nine Stories*, the desert, and as an avid runner, enjoys confidently describing a five-mile jog as "relaxing."

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Education

Michigan State University/May, 2017

B.A. in English Literature & Editing, Publishing, Professional Writing

Experience

West Michigan Environmental Action Council/Sept.-Dec., 2018

Covered environmental current events in west Michigan, updated Wordpress site, and participated in WMEAC outreach events.

Grand Rapids Public Library/Oct., 2017-Current

Facilitate accessibility of all library resources in a frontline customer service position with patrons of all backgrounds while maintaining daily office up-keep.

REVUE/Nov., 2017-Current

Covering nationally touring music acts as a freelance writer in the Grand Rapids area.

City Pulse/May, 2017-Current

Progressing from intern to freelance writer, while covering topics from interviews with nationally touring musicians to local politics while maintaining communicative relationships with press contacts.

The Hard Times/April, 2017

Pitch and write satirical AP style news stories for the nationally recognized punk news website *The Hard Times*.

The Journal of Popular Culture/Aug., 2016-Dec. 2016

Edited, fact-checked, and proofread submissions to *The Journal of Popular Culture*, the official publication of the PCA.

Selected Work

"Porch Wine: Champions of the World"

SkipFiction: November, 2018

"A Decade of GTG Records"

City Pulse: January, 2018

"Cutting the Fat: Milo Aukerman talks Wienerschnitzel, passion and four decades of Descendents"

REVUE: November, 2017