

# LUIZ LOPES

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**Education**     **University of British Columbia (UBC) • Vancouver, Canada**  
Master of Journalism (2017)

**Federal University of Alagoas (UFAL) • Maceió, Brazil**  
Bachelor of Arts in Communications (2015)

**Kwantlen Polytechnic University (KPU) • Surrey, Canada**  
Communication Studies, exchange student, *scholarship* (2013)

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**Experience**     **The New York Times ([nytimes.com](http://nytimes.com)) • Vancouver, Canada**  
*Freelancer* — September 2017  
Freelanced for The Daily 360, the virtual reality channel of The NYT.

**Global Reporting Centre ([globalreportingcentre.org](http://globalreportingcentre.org)) • Vancouver, Canada**  
*Journalist, Project Manager* — September 2016 to June 2017  
Managed multimedia projects of solutions-oriented journalism through international partnerships. Supervised and edited stories produced by collaborators around the world. Developed e-newsletter, updated content on website, designed graphics.

**The Globe and Mail ([theglobeandmail.com](http://theglobeandmail.com)) • Vancouver, Canada**  
*Intern* — December 2016  
Pitched, researched and reported multimedia stories. Won a Jack Webster Award for best breaking news.

**Outcasts Project ([outcastsproject.com](http://outcastsproject.com)) • Vancouver, Canada**  
*Web Developer* — June 2016  
Developed the website through Wordpress and CSS customization. Edited the multimedia content of the website.

**CBC Television - The National ([cbc.ca/thenational](http://cbc.ca/thenational)) • Toronto, Canada**  
*Intern* — April to May 2016  
Assisted producers, writers and reporters at the flagship nightly news and current affairs program from Canada's public broadcaster. Wrote voiceovers, filmed, assembled and edited news packages for broadcast and wrote online stories.

**The Associated Press ([ap.org](http://ap.org)) • Rio de Janeiro, Brazil**  
*Global News Intern* — June to August 2015  
Contributed to The AP's text, video, photo and interactive reporting.

**Gazeta – Globo TV 7 affiliate ([g1.com](http://g1.com)) • Maceió, Brazil**  
*Trainee* — August 2014 to May 2015  
Produced and edited news packages, wrote stories for broadcast. Coordinated live hits from the control room. Operated the teleprompter.

**Folha de S. Paulo ([folha.com](http://folha.com)) • Fortaleza, Brazil**

*Freelancer* — June to July 2014

Freelanced for Brazil's largest newspaper during the 2014 FIFA World Cup and VI BRICS Summit.

**The Now ([thenownewspaper.com](http://thenownewspaper.com)) • Surrey, Canada**

*Multimedia Intern* — May to September 2013

Produced and edited video stories for interactive pages.

**Government of Alagoas ([trabalho.al.gov.br](http://trabalho.al.gov.br)) • Maceió, Brazil**

*Communications Intern* — May to September 2013

Wrote press releases, responded to journalists' inquiries, monitored public opinions, social networks and media coverage of State policies.

**NEPEC research group • Maceió, Brazil**

*Research Assistant* — June 2010 to December 2012

Organized the project Social Metamorphosis, which purpose was to identify the main problems faced by poor communities surrounding the campus, offering solutions through qualitative research, events and video documentaries (funded by the Brazilian Ministry of Education).

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**Skills**

- **Software/online tools:** Adobe Photoshop, Premiere Pro, InDesign and Audition, Final Cut Pro and Pro X, Avid Media Central, Audacity, Mail Chimp, Canva, Hootsuite, Storify, Fusion Tables, Microsoft Office Suite, ENPS, iNews, Tableau, Mac O.S. and Windows.
- **Virtual Reality:** Autopano Video Pro and Giga, Samsung Gear 360.
- **ENG:** Panasonic P2HD, Canon and Nikon DSLR's, professional lighting.
- **Transmission:** LiveU, BGAN satellite, FTP.
- **Web development:** Wordpress, Google Trends, Analytics.
- **Languages:** Portuguese (native), English (fluent), Spanish and French (basic).



**Additional training:**

- Doing Journalism with Data – European Journalism Centre (2014)
- Fundamentals of Regional Integration: Mercosur – Brazilian Senate (2014)
- Hootsuite Professional Certification (2016)

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**Awards**

- Jack Webster Award for Best Breaking News Reporting (2017)
- UBC Faculty of Arts Graduate Award (2015, 2016 and 2017)
- Dean's Honour Roll: Kwantlen Polytechnic University (2013)
- Science without Borders full scholarship: Brazilian Government (2012-2013)