

Reporting (News)

Student will report to WGLT's News Director and will work with all members of the station's news team. Responsibilities may include covering news events, capturing photos and/or sound assets at those events; writing stories for on air and digital platforms; rewriting wire or news release copy for use on air and on digital platforms; editing and repurposing on air interviews for use on digital platforms; assisting with production of news stories and podcasts; maintaining newsroom story background files; updating quarterly FCC-mandated Issues and Programs filings; and providing staffing assistance at station fundraising events.

To qualify, student must have completed an introduction to reporting class, have experience with WZND, TV-10, the Vidette (or similar), and demonstrate an understanding of the basic principles of journalism.

Contact: R.C. McBride, WGLT General Manager, RCMcBride@IllinoisState.edu or 309-438-2713. Please indicate which internship in which you are interested so you can be forwarded to the correct department.