

Douglas R. Miller

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Professional experience

2017-present, web editor, **Spiro Ventures LLC**, Baltimore, Md.

I edit and publish copy and photos for the website of the Mid-Atlantic Sports Network, which carries the game telecasts of Major League Baseball's Baltimore Orioles and Washington Nationals franchises. My duties also include some writing.

2011-2013, 2014-present, **Freelance writer and voiceover**

I research and write features, news articles and opinion pieces for newspapers and magazines. From my home studio, I record and deliver voice work for audiobooks, marketing media, video games and commercials.

2013-2014, **Hibu Inc.**, King of Prussia, Pa.

I was a field publication manager, overseeing content and production for five monthly community magazines in Howard and Anne Arundel counties. I wrote copy and edited that of community contributors.

1988-2011, **Patuxent Publishing Co.**, Columbia, Md.

Over my 23 years with this company (now the Baltimore Sun Media Group), I worked as a reporter covering beats that included government and business, then in the 1990s made the transition to editing, overseeing various functions over the course of my tenure. I supervised staffers and freelance writers and saw to it that their work was informative and engaging. I also wrote the editorials and my own column and blog for the *Columbia Flier* and the *Howard County Times*. Regional and national press organizations regularly praised these publications as being among the best community weeklies and recognized my contributions on numerous occasions.

1987-88, **International Medical News Group**, Rockville, Md.

Copy editor for publications aimed at physicians in various specialties.

1985-87, **The Journal**, Martinsburg, W.Va.

Reporter and editor for daily and weekly newspapers.

Nonprofit experience

Fair Elections Howard

I served as grassroots coordinator for this effort to implement a public financing option for local election campaigns in Howard County.

Get Money Out-Maryland

I serve as board secretary for this all-volunteer group working to curtail the undue influence of moneyed special interests on our political system.

Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Columbia, 7246 Cradlerock Way, Columbia, Md. 21045

My wife and I have been members since 1991. My work there has included stints on the Board of Trustees and the Long-Range Planning Committee.

Phelps Luck Elementary School PTA, 5370 Oldstone Court, Columbia, Md. 21045

Served as PTA secretary 2003-05.

Professional awards (partial list)

2015: **Maryland-Delaware-D.C. Press Association**, circulation division E: first place, local column: critical thinking

2014: **Maryland-Delaware-D.C. Press Association**, circulation division D: second place, local column: feature or humor

2013: **Parenting Media Association**, Gold Award, ancillary publication feature

2011: **Local Media Association** (formerly Suburban Newspapers of America), circulation class C: second place, best entertainment/lifestyle section (editor); second place, best opinion column

Maryland-Delaware-D.C. Press Association, circulation division E: first place, best online commentary or blog; second place, best editorial

2010: **Suburban Newspapers of America**: first place, best opinion column; third place, best entertainment/lifestyle section (editor); third place, best editorial page (editor)

Education

Bachelor of Science, journalism, University of Maryland, 1984

References available upon request