

# ALANIS KING

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## SUMMARY

**The University of Texas at Austin**  
Bachelor of Journalism, May 2017  
GPA: 3.9569

Editor at Business Insider, via Jalopnik and the Moody College of Communication at the University of Texas.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

**Editor**  
**Business Insider, Insider Inc.**  
January 2020 - present

Oversaw Business Insider's transportation and freelance verticals, managing writers in addition to writing news, features and investigative reports.

**Staff Writer**  
**Jalopnik, G/O Media**  
May 2017 - January 2020

Covered breaking news, did investigative stories, wrote features, reviewed cars, participated in video series, and trained staff for the weekend-editor role as a full-time writer on staff.

**Weekend Editor**  
**Jalopnik, G/O Media**  
September 2015 - August 2017

Edited and wrote content for the former Gawker Media outlet's blogs on Saturdays and Sundays. Wrote weekly feature stories, covered breaking news and ran Jalopnik's social media.

**Contributor**  
**Autoweek Magazine**  
July 2015 - June 2017

Wrote weekly "Racing Roundup" articles for the website and features for the print magazine during college, including the annual "Under 30" issue for writers under 30 years of age.

**Contributor**  
**National Speed Sport News**  
March 2015 - July 2017

Wrote motorsports-related news, feature and editorial articles for print and online publication while in college.

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## WORK SAMPLES:

**[NASCAR raced to return during COVID. Then, some say, it started to fall behind.](#) *Insider***

**[The most innovative thing about the Mazda Miata is how it never truly changes.](#) *Insider***

**[Driving a \\$430,000 Rolls-Royce Ghost reminded me opulence has no limits and neither does my mediocrity.](#) *Insider***

**[The tale of Longhorn Speedway, the forgotten ghost track in the shadow of Circuit of The Americas.](#) *Jalopnik***

**[My mom knew what she had.](#) *Jalopnik***

**[I took my mom off-roading and I don't know if she'll ever forgive me.](#) *Jalopnik***

**[Here are some of the manly things I did after watching Ford v. Ferrari.](#) *Jalopnik***

For samples of works published only in print or for any other works, please contact Alanis.

## AWARDS:

**Group Exercise Instructor of the Year**  
Aerofit Health & Fitness Centers, 2014

**University Honors List, based on GPA**  
University of Texas at Austin: Fall 2014, 2015, 2016; Spring 2015, 2016, 2017

**Dean's Honor List, based on GPA**  
College of Communication at the University of Texas: Fall 2014, 2015, 2016; Spring 2015, 2016, 2017

**Distinguished College Scholar**  
The University of Texas at Austin, top four percent of graduating class: 2015, 2016, 2017 academic years

**StandoUT Award, Cactus Yearbook**  
The University of Texas at Austin, chosen as a student who "embodies the spirit and values of the University" by representatives from the faculty, Dean of Students, and Student Government