

Adam Richins

Photography, Video, & Multimedia

Education:

Rochester Institute of Technology – Rochester, New York
School of Photographic Arts & Sciences
Major: Photojournalism
Minor/Concentration: Criminal Justice
Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree: May 2007
Grade Point Average: 3.30
Professional Field of Study GPA: 3.36

Work Experience:

Newspapers:

Staff Photographer & Multimedia Journalist at the *Pocono Record*, September 2007 – present;

Internships:

Photography Intern at *Newsday*, June – August 2007;
Photography Intern at the *Democrat & Chronicle*, January – May 2006;
Photography Intern at the *Poughkeepsie Journal*, December 2004 – May 2005.

Freelance:

Photography assignments for the *Associated Press*, *Cleveland Plain Dealer*, *Democrat & Chronicle*, *Ma'ariv* (Tel-Aviv, Israel), *New York Daily News*, and *Poughkeepsie Journal*.

Other:

Contributing Photographer for *Minor League Baseball & MLB.com*, April 2007;
Sports Photographer for *ActionPhotos* – Rochester, NY, weekends, October 2005 – May 2006;
Photo & Design Editor for the SUNY-New Paltz student newspaper, *The Oracle*, spring/fall 2004;
Staff Photographer for the SUNY-New Paltz *Oracle*, fall 2003;
Employed by the Dana Hall Maintenance Department, summers and school vacations, 2000 – 2006.

Professional Memberships:

National Press Photographers Association, Inc.

Photography Honors, Awards, and Achievements:

Photo-Story, "*Farm Project: Marc Krieger*," featured in May 2007 issue of *Reporter Magazine*;
Photos, "*In The Dirt*" and "*Cloud of Snow & Ice*," on exhibit at RIT's School of Photographic Arts & Sciences 2007 Student Honors Show;
Photo, "*Cloud of Snow & Ice*," recipient of a SPAS 2007 Student Honors Show, Purchase Award, May 2007;
Photos, "*Changing Skins*," on exhibit at RIT's School of Design 2007 Student Honors Show;
Photographs on exhibit in the juried NPPA: "*What We Do*" show, Rochester, NY, April 30 – May 12, 2007
2nd Place, Photo-Story, "*Farm Project: Marc Krieger*"
3rd Place, Feature Image, "*Urban Scouting*;"

Selected as "Photographer" and participated in Adobe's *Project: Photoshop Lightroom. A Day-In-The-Life* project on the Strong-National Museum of Play, Rochester, New York September 26 – 27 2006;
Photo, "*Man with Cat*," on exhibit at RIT's School of Photographic Arts & Sciences 2006 Student Honors Show;
Photographs on exhibit in the juried NPPA: "What We Do" show, Rochester, NY, May 1 – May 15, 2006;
Photo selected for Nikon Campus Challenge - Best of April, "*Man with Cat*," May 2006;
Earned 3rd place in the National Press Photographers Association – Student Quarterly Clip Contest for feature photo, "*Man with Cat*," April 2006;

Recognized by the Society for Collegiate Journalists (2005) : "The Society annually conducts a national contest for which awards are made. This is the only college media competition judged exclusively by professionals in the field."

1st Place, Page Design (Hard News), "Warhawks vs. Peaceniks"
2nd Place, Spot News Photography, "RNC Protest"
3rd Place, Feature Photography, "The Edge"
Honorable Mention, Photo Essay, "Clash in Kingston."

References:

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