



## ZHAKI ABDULLAH

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### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### Singapore Press Holdings, The Straits Times

*Journalist, The Straits Times*

*August 2015 to Present*

- As a reporter with The Straits Times, I cover local news, with a focus on Singapore's transport sector. During my time with ST, I built a sizeable network of contacts and extensively covered developments in the growing micromobility and ride-hailing sectors, including Uber's exit from the South-East Asian market and oBike's departure from Singapore. In addition to writing, I also shoot and edit mobile videos for my stories.
- I covered major events such as Singapore's 2015 General Elections, and landed numerous exclusives for the newspaper, in addition to writing commentaries and analyses of the transport sector.
- I contributed features on Singapore languages and landmarks to the Community section of the paper, and am also a regular columnist, who writes for ST's regular columns on parenting and millennial concerns.

#### Nanyang Technological University, Energy Research Institute @ NTU (ERI@N)

*Executive, Administration & Events*

*March 2012 to March 2015*

- I was responsible for the production of annual reports and brochures, including sourcing for design agencies, ensuring design quality and adherence to corporate identity guidelines. I also wrote and edited content for the ERI@N website, as well as research reports and other materials. As an event coordinator, I worked as part of a team providing planning, administrative and logistics support for seminars, workshops and other events.
- Member, Supportive Workplace Committee 2013
- Member, Green Committee 2014

#### Mendaki Social Enterprise Network Singapore (SENSE) Pte Ltd

*Business Development Executive*

*May 2009 to February 2012*

#### Management Development Institute of Singapore (MDIS)

*Corporate Communications Executive (Temporary)*

*June 2008 to February 2009*

#### Freelance Writer

*2007 to 2015*

- Writing and editing of articles for online and print magazines covering a variety of topics

### EDUCATION

#### Bachelor of Arts (Hons) English

*2003 to 2007*

*Goldsmiths College, University of London*

- Graduated with Second Class Honours (Lower Division), subjects taken include Approaches to Text, Post-Colonial Literature, Modern American Literature

### SKILLS AND ABILITIES

#### Languages

- English (Written; Fluent) (Spoken; Fluent)
- Malay (Written; Fluent) (Spoken; Fluent)