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PEQUOT LAKES, MINN. NATIVE REPORTS FOR AWARD-WINNING TELEVISION SHOW

Olivia Faacks brings writing and audio operating skills to the television program, Studio One

GRAND FORKS, N.D.— Pequot Lakes, Minn. native, Olivia Faacks, is an intern for Studio One, an award-winning television show produced at the University of North Dakota. She is currently a news reporter and audio operator. In previous seasons, she worked as a news and feature reporter, floor manager and associate producer. “I have learned a lot about what it takes to advance in this industry. I have been given tools to be successful and been given the opportunity to work with some people who have already been successful in the industry,” says Faacks. She also received the Studio One Recognition of Excellence Award for her hard work and dedication to the program.

Faacks is the daughter of Colleen and Lonnie Faacks. She graduated from Pequot Lakes High School in 2009 and is a senior in communication at UND. After graduation, Faacks plans to work as a producer for a major network, talk-show, or television show.

Studio One is an award-winning news and information program produced at the University of North Dakota Television Center. The program airs live on UND Channel 3 on Thursdays at 5 p.m. Prairie Public Television airs Studio One on Saturday at 6 a.m. The program can also be seen by viewers in Bismarck-Mandan, Dickinson, Fargo, Jamestown, Minot, Ray and Steele, N.D.; Minneapolis, Minn.; Denver and Colorado Springs, Colo.; Winnipeg and Brandon, Manitoba and online at www.studio1.und.edu.

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