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Paul-Anton Krüger, 29, studied journalism, international relations and law at the Free University of Berlin from 1998 to 1999, and at the Ludwig-Maximilian-University in Munich from 2000 to 2005. He earned his diploma, comparable to a master's degree, in journalism writing his thesis on the U.S. National Security Strategy.

During his studies, Paul received journalistic training at the German School of Journalism in Munich. In 2001, he started working as a freelance reporter and editor for the online outlet of the *Süddeutsche Zeitung*, a major national newspaper based in Munich, Bavaria.

Since 2002, he has been working for the paper's news desk as part-time editor and contributed as a reporter to multiple sections of the paper. In 2005, he joined the trainee program at the *Süddeutsche Zei-*

tung and has been mainly working for the news and politics departments including assignments as reporter to the paper's Berlin and Brussels bureaus. He is going to join the paper's foreign news staff on returning from the U.S.

Paul also did internships at *La Provence*, a French regional daily in Marseille and at *Der Standard*, an Austrian daily in Vienna.

He has been living in Munich for the last six years but also enjoyed his recent stays in Berlin and Brussels very much.

The Burns fellowship will give Paul a chance to further broaden his journalistic experience and to explore U.S. politics, culture and way of life first-hand. He is hoping to contribute to the creation of mutual understanding through his writing, both in the U.S. and Germany.