

MYA CONSTANTINO

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KEY SKILLS

- Writing
- Reporting
- Communication + Interpersonal skills
- Interviewing
- Researching
- Video Editing - Adobe Premiere Pro, Final Cut Pro, After Effects, and Audacity
- Computer – SEO, WordPress, Google Analytics

HOBBIES

Salsa Dancing
Collecting miniature things
Eating tacos
Podcasting
Binge watching biographical musical films

A highly motivated multimedia journalist with a passion for impactful storytelling. Extensive knowledge in writing, reporting, video/audio editing, and creating impactful digital content. Outstanding communication skills when interacting with various types of people including musical artists, children, political leaders, and indigenous communities. Applies understanding of public opinion, social media, and traditional media use to create engaging, informative, and attention-grabbing stories.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

May 2021 - Current

Journalist *The Press Democrat*, Santa Rosa, CA

- Juggles and pitches 3-5 local news and features stories every week and carries them out for publication
- Writes traffic-driving stories every week that reflect local and national news
- Uses social media and produces videos to enhance storytelling
- Disseminates news content through social media for better engagement with audiences and faster reporting

November 2020 - April 2021

News Reporter Intern *The Review-Journal*, Las Vegas, NV

- Pitched stories that dug beyond headlines every week
- Reported story on COVID-19 grief which won first place in "News Slideshow" in Best of the West Competition in 2022
- Established and maintained relationships with credible sources
- Wrote COVID-19 obituaries and reported on environment, community, and breaking news

August 2019 - February 2020

Magazine Intern *Nevada Public Radio*, Las Vegas, NV

- Contributed ideas to weekly pitch meetings, fact-checked long form stories, and transcribed interviews for publication
- Assisted in production of news radio show
- Conducted live and taped interviews to obtain information
- Wrote and submitted accurate, engaging and fact-checked stories

August 2017 - September 2018

Editor and Writer *MIX247EDM Radio*, Las Vegas, NV

- Wrote weekly music articles
- Performed in-person and on-phone interviews with artists locally and globally
- Covered music events, fact-checked, and proofread music news stories for online publication
- Prepared, rewrote and edited pieces to improve readability and impact

EDUCATION

August 2020

Bachelor of Arts Journalism And Media Studies

University of Nevada, Las Vegas, NV

- Dean's List (2019)
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- Millennium Scholarship Recipient
- 3.7 GPA