

# ADRIANA URBANO

MULTIMEDIA & MULTILINGUAL JOURNALIST

## SKILLS

Adobe Audition

Adobe Premiere Pro CC

Radio, TV & print journalism

Wordpress

Podcasting

Social media

Interviewing & live presenting

Investigative reporting

## LANGUAGES

English & Italian - native;

French - fluent (DALF B2, C1 courses)

Sicilian - fluent

German - conversational (ZDJ, B1)

Spanish - learning

## EDUCATION

**CITY UNIVERSITY, London**  
**MA INTERNATIONAL JOURNALISM,**  
**BROADCAST & INVESTIGATIVE**  
**specialism (upper 2.1)**

editor of student blog

produced radio and TV reports

20+ TV & radio news shows as  
sub-editor, reporter,  
presenter, correspondent.

**THE UNIVERSITY OF EXETER**  
**BA (HONS) PHILOSOPHY & POLITICS**  
**(UPPER 2.1)**

Dissertation: Sicilian Mafia  
and religion, first class.

**SCIENCES PO, PARIS, EXCHANGE**  
Exchange year, Magna cum Laude

**LICEO LINGUISTICO GOZZANO, ITALY**  
**DIPLOMA, 95/100**  
Modern Languages Diploma

## PROFILE & AWARDS

Versatile, adaptive and thorough journalist.  
Produced The Take-Away podcast on EU politics.

**Journalism Award for Data Visualization proposal,**  
Centre for Media Pluralism and Freedom (2020).

**Best Feature Award** at the Student Publications  
Association's National Competition (2016).

## EXPERIENCE

### FREELANCE JOURNALIST

Florence | Oct 2019 - present

Bylines in LEFT, The New Arab, The Local Italy,  
interviewed by LBC radio and filmed a video diary for  
Mtvari TV, a national Georgian TV channel.

### JOURNALIST TRAINEE - EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY INSTITUTE

Florence | Oct 2019 - Oct 2020

Produced The Take-Away podcast on The State of the  
Union, the EUs annual conference;

Wrote bi-weekly newsletter, sent to over 4,000  
readers;

Interviewed experts covering range of social science  
topics (i.e.: economics, Big Tech, gender);

### VIDEO INTERN - AGENCE FRANCE PRESSE

London | Aug 2019

Shot & edited videos (i.e.: Notting Hill Carnival)

### ADDITIONAL REPORTER/FIXER - THE SUNDAY TIMES

London, Palermo | 2017, 2018, 2019

Bylines in articles covering sex trafficking in Italy  
from Nigeria, the early release of UK criminals and  
Italian left-wing guerilla groups in France;

### FOUNDER & CONTENT CREATOR - THE OTHER REPORTING

Palermo | 2017

3,000 + Views for live interviews on Mediterranean  
migrant crisis (Facebook);

### STUDENT JOURNALIST - EXEPOSÉ

Exeter, Sicily | 2015 - 2017

Reporting. Highlight: live coverage 2016 US elections.