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About Me

I'm looking to expand my knowledge in the broadcast field, with a growing interest in multimedia and producing. I aim to apply an interdisciplinary approach to any situation I face thanks to my background in music, leadership, sociology, writing and volunteer efforts.

Skills

- News Connect
- iNews
- Media Central
- Otter
- Storytelling
- Blox
- AP style

Awards

- NBCU Academy Scholarship
Recipient - 2024
- INN Community Champion Finalist:
OCN Voter's Guide - 2023
- Miami Herald Silver Knight
Honorable Mention in Journalism -
2022
- WB Journalism Leader
Scholarship Recipient - 2022
- Congresswoman Debbie
Wasserman Schultz Citizenship
Award for School and Public
Service - 2021
- NSPA First Class Yearbook for
"Off Script" - 2022
- FSPA All Florida Concept for "Off
Script" - 2022



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Experience

- Jan. 2023 - Present **STEM/Space beat reporter | The Charge, UCF**
- Fall 2024: Covered space, AI, engineering and computer science.
 - Gathered research and conducted interviews.
 - Pitched, developed and published original story ideas.
- Nov. 5, 2024 **Election Coverage Correspondent | Orlando Sentinel**
- Covered the general election from precinct 506 in Orange County.
 - Published four pieces in live rolling blog during morning shift.
- June - Aug. 2024 **News Group Intern | NBC National News, Miami Bureau**
- Provided editorial support to the news assignment desk - made phone calls, gathered story elements and logged press conferences and interviews.
 - Served as a PA for MSNBC shows and correspondents - helped research topics, organized guest lists and printed scripts.
 - Published an article and contributed toward rolling blog.
- Aug. - Dec. 2023 **Editorial Intern | Oviedo Community News, Oviedo**
- Conducted extensive research on referendum items, mayor and council candidates to create Oviedo's Voter guide.
 - Attended City Council meetings and reported on agenda items.
 - Collected events and created weekly community listing.
- Jan. 2023 - Present **Production Assistant | Knightly Latino, UCF**
- Associate produced spanish webcasts.
 - Shot B-roll and prepared over-the-shoulder graphics for news cast.
 - Gained basic understanding of Premiere Pro, Rundown and Wirecast.
- Aug. 2021 - June 2022 **Editor-in-Chief & Journalism 1 Teacher Assistant | The Edge Yearbook, West Broward High School**
- Fought against school and district administration censorship regarding BLM content in 2021 book.
 - Managed the newsroom and created lesson plans and workshops.
 - Trained two years of staff in design, interviewing and AP style writing.
 - Served as Junior editor (2020), Academics, Organizations and co-copy editor (2020-21), and EIC, Design and co-copy editor (2021-22).

Education

Undergraduate

University of Central Florida

June 2022 - (Estimated) May 2026

- Majoring in journalism (digital track)
- Minorng in sociology
- GPA 3.82
- Dean's List Fall 2022 - Spring 2024
- President's Honor Roll Spring 2023

Organizations

New York Times Corps

Sept. 2024 - Present

- One of 20 students selected for competitive talent-pipeline program.

National Association of Hispanic Journalists

Jan. 2023 - Present

- Attended NAHJ Miami Conference July 2023.

University Band

Jan. 2024 - Present