



NATALIA YOUNG

MULTIMEDIA JOURNALIST AND COPYEDITOR

BASED IN LOS ANGELES, WILLING TO RELOCATE

CONTACT INFORMATION

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WEBSITE

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SKILLS

CMS:

- Adobe Acrobat
- ENPS
- NewsDesk
- Brightspot
- WordPress

Production:

- Microsoft (Excel, Word, SharePoint, Teams, PowerPoint, OneNote)
- Adobe (Premiere Pro, Audition, Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop)
- AP Style

Data:

- Python
- Tableau
- Datawrappier

EDUCATION

California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo

B.S. in Journalism - June 2025

Minor in Ethnic Studies

Deans List: Fall 2024

Completed coursework in multimedia journalism, editing and interactive storytelling, including modules in data journalism, statistics, mass media law and visual communications

RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE

Freelance Copyeditor

Dec 2025 - Present

- Edit, ghostwrite and conduct research for various clients, ensuring accurate, error-free and polished content
- Produce newsletters for a tech startup and refine print materials for industry conventions, enhancing the company's professional presentation
- Copyedit and conduct research for a client's memoir, delivering organized and verified research notes and publication-ready chapters within hours

Stringer

Aug 2025 - Nov 2025

KCBX FM, San Luis Obispo, CA

- Pitched, researched, interviewed for and wrote versatile radio stories for broadcast on an NPR-affiliate station, meeting multiple daily deadlines
- Covered protests, panel discussions, city council meetings and school district board meetings
- Sourced, scraped, and analyzed data for a story on San Luis Obispo County's noteworthy voter turnout in a special election

Multimedia Journalist

Sept 2024 - May 2025

Mustang News, San Luis Obispo, CA

- Produced weekly articles, TV packages and radio wraps by localizing national news, interviewing in-person and maintaining relationships with academic experts, community leaders, and politicians
- Anchored live TV and radio broadcasts with blind reads
- Collaborated with audience and editorial teams on social media videos and interactive multimedia digital articles to build engagement

News Intern

April 2024 - June 2024

KSBY TV, San Luis Obispo, CA

- Assisted reporters with story research and live, on-site news coverage
- Practiced producing, anchoring, weather forecasting, video producing, reporting and other newsroom roles
- Wrote approximately five digital articles with great attention to detail daily while applying SEO principles and consistently meeting deadlines

Copyeditor

Jan 2024 - May 2024

Mustang News, San Luis Obispo, CA

- Macro- and micro-edited, fact-checked and wrote punchy headlines for articles while multitasking in a breaking news environment
- Ensured adherence to relevant laws and newsroom and AP style guidelines; maintained a consistent tone across hard news stories
- Worked with audience and editorial teams as the sole copyeditor, utilizing strong news judgment, communication skills and organizational abilities

REFERENCES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST