# Ellina Abovian

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#### **EXPERIENCE:**

KTLA- TV, Los Angeles, CA

July 2015 - Present

## Reporter

- Generate stories and leads
- Develop sources
- Report live in the field

KSWB- TV, San Diego, CA

June 2014 – July 2015

## Reporter/MMJ

- Generate stories and leads
- Develop sources
- Shoot, edit report stories
- · Report live in the field

KMPH -TV, Fresno, CA

April 2013 - May 2014\J

## Reporter/MMJ

- Generate stories and leads
- Develop sources
- Shoot, edit report stories
- Report live in the field

KSBY-TV, San Luis Obispo, CA

Feb 2013 - April 2013\J

Freelance Reporter

· Shoot, edit and report stories as assigned

#### COOLSTATELA.COM

Eagle I Views Campus News, Los Angeles

June 2010 - Sept 2011\J

Anchor, reporter, writer, producer

- Anchored weekly 1-hour newscast.
- Produced and reported newscasts as directed.
- Set up for shots, wrote and edited packages while meeting deadlines.
- Submitted ideas for weekly news reports.
- Gathered information using community contacts, beat sources and leads.
- Produced a 2-hour news feature every quarter.
- Produced an award winning feature, State of Education.
- Combined audio, video and interstitial graphics for each piece.

GEM1TV, Los Angeles

Nov 2009 - Dec 2011

Host, writer, producer

- · Hosted weekly entertainment and music news show.
- Wrote, produced and hosted each show.
- Recruited special guests.

- Guest relations assistant
  - Provided administrative support to the production staff of the guest relations department of CBS Television City Studio.
  - Assisted in production for the following shows; Real Time with Bill Maher, The price is right, Dancing with the stars, American Idol, The Late Late show.

## LA2DAY.COM, Los Angeles

April 2007 - Jan 2009\J

Multi-media journalist

- Produced and hosted weekly viral videos on various subjects covering Los Angeles lifestyle
- Produced, wrote and hosted for the "Hollywood Minute," an entertainment channel of the website.
- Performed all social media campaigning via Digg, Facebook, Twitter, Youtube, and Linked in for the Unline magazine.
- Gathered story leads from PR News wire, industry contacts and Los Angeles based events.
- Wrote in SEO keyword compliance.
- Edited, wrote and published daily Los Angeles lifestyle stories. \U

#### SKILLS:

- Fluent in Armenian, Russian and French; both verbal and written \u20ad
- Shoot video
- Edit on Avid, Final Cut Pro

#### **EDUCATION:**

Bachelor's degree in Broadcast Journalism, 2011 School of Television, Media & Film California State University, Los Angeles \(\mathbb{I}\) References are available upon request.