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EDUCATION

Craig Newmark Graduate School of Journalism, CUNY: M.A. candidate in social journalism. Expected: Dec. 2019

University of Perugia, Perugia, Italy: MBA in business and economics, Nov. 1990

U.S. EXPERIENCE

Independent Multimedia Journalist, Producer — New York, N.Y. 2015-present

Via Atalanta Productions, LLC - Founder

Covered immigration, focusing on policy, detentions, deportations, and malemployment of skilled immigrants. Outlets included [Global Nation](#) the immigration desk of [PRI The World](#) and [PRI.org](#); [NJ Spotlight](#); [Feet-in-2-Worlds](#).

Life in a New World, TV Magazine Aired on BronxNet — Bronx, N.Y. 2013-2014

Writer, Producer, Editor/Host — Selected episodes published on www.Lifeinaneeworld.com

Developed a 13-episode series for foreign-born New Yorkers. Topics included: cultural adaptation; careers in the U.S.; surviving forced migration; emotional displacement and the psychological vulnerability of Latina girls.

The Levin Institute, SUNY Global Center — New York, N.Y. March-Sept. 2013

Feature Writer and Media Consultant

Interviewed alumni, faculty members and public officials for a feature series about JumpStart NYC, a program funded by the NYC Economic Development Corp. under Mayor Michael Bloomberg, to help job-seeking professionals start new careers. Stories served as a successful fundraising tool.

Freelance Work (Including National Writers Union) — New York, N.Y. 2011-2013

Bronx Family (Courier Life Publications, Inc./News Corporation) — Bronx, N.Y. 2007-2011

Reporter

Established Courier Life's presence in the Bronx. Covered family issues. Stories included: pediatric heart transplants and genetic discoveries at the Children's Hospital at Montefiore; grandparents raising grandchildren; Fish Parade in Hunts Point.

Lightworks Producing Group /Hallmark Channel — New York, N.Y. 2001-2004

Coordinating Producer: New Morning/Daily Show (2002-2004) and Associate Producer: New Morning (2001-2002)

Produced inspirational human-interest segments. Booked and produced guests for taped segments in the studio and the field. Co-produced and wrote weekly Almanac segments. Identified and acquired the poetry series [United States of Poetry](#). Hired, trained and supervised two production assistants and one website coordinator.

ABC NEWS — New York, N.Y. 1999-2001

Production Associate: News Production — Production Coordinator: Special Events News Coverage

Brought foreign-language and intercultural skills to research on the papacy; pitched news stories that resulted in successful journalistic segments; booked interviews for Discovery Health and TLC for both news magazines and long-form. Assisted in office and field operations at both the Republican and Democratic National Conventions in U.S. 2000.

PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE and INTERNATIONAL MEDIA

Skyview Media, Italian TV and radio Channel, Marketing Manager — Fort Lee, NJ. Jan. - Aug. 1999

RAI Radio Televisione Italiana, Weekend News Producer — New York, N.Y. 1997-1999

The Hebrew Home for the Aged at Riverdale, Assistant Director of PR — Bronx, N.Y. 1995-1997

Il Messaggero, national Italian newspaper - U.S. Bureau, Booker/Researcher — New York, N.Y. 1991-1995

SKILLS & AFFILIATIONS

Software: Adobe, ProTools, FinalCutPro X

Hardware: Canon C100, certificate in studio production/control room (Bronxnet)

Research: Dataminr, NYC Community Districts, TRAC Immigration

Languages: Native fluency in Italian; full professional fluency in English; conversant in French

Member: Producers Guild of America (PGA) and the Society of Professional Journalists (SPJ)