

Rina Nakano

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Experience

Multimedia Journalist, KCBS, Los Angeles, CA

January 2022 – Present

Reporter/MMJ, KGTV, San Diego, CA

March 2018 – Present

- Contribute multiple news story ideas daily
- Shoot, write, edit packages and short form stories
- Develop and cultivate key news sources
- Consistently post on multiple social media platforms

Reporter/MMJ/Fill-in Anchor, KTXL, Sacramento, CA

January 2014 – January 2018

- Pitched multiple hard news stories
- Heavy emphasis on live breaking news coverage
- Assigned to be point person to cover the Japanese American experience

Freelance Reporter, KSWB, San Diego, CA

July 2013 – January 2014

- Produced multiple stories daily
- Posted content to station social media platforms

Bilingual Reporter, NHK World Newslines, Tokyo, Japan

August 2011 – March 2013

- Covered daily news for Japan Public Broadcasting's 24-hour English News Service

Anchor/MMJ/Forecaster, KCWY, Casper, WY

July 2009 – July 2011

- Anchored evening newscasts
- Wrote and edited stories for newscasts
- Produced and delivered radio topical promotions

Full-time Intern, CNN International, Tokyo, Japan

June 2008 – September 2008

- Conducted interviews and translated information
- Field produced
- Edited news packages

Summer Intern, KGTV, San Diego, CA

June 2007 – September 2007

- Assisted digital correspondents with production of content

Education

University of California, San Diego (UCSD), La Jolla, CA

Double Bachelor of Arts in Communication & Japanese Studies, Minor: Music

Skills

- Languages: Native English and Japanese
- Sony DSR, HDV, NXCAM, JVC
- OPUS, TONS, CNN NewSource, iNews, Final Cut Pro X, Adobe Premiere Pro, Avid Newscutter

Recognition

- 2017 Winner: Alliance for Women in Media Example of Excellence: On-Air TV/Radio Personality
- 2010 Wyoming Association of Broadcasters Best Anchor
- 2010 Wyoming Association of Broadcasters, Best News Piece: "*From Foes to Friends, A Look Into Heart Mountain*"
- 2009 UCSD "Intern of the Year": CNN Tokyo Bureau

Affiliations

- NPPA: National Press Photographers Association
- AAJA: Asian American Journalists Association