

Grace L. Madigan

Multi-media Journalist

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Award-winning, energetic, and motivated reporter with experience producing daily news on a beat. Able to work on deadline while maintaining a meticulous eye for detail. Strong news sense and excellent at finding ways into stories important to listeners that are unique and interesting.

Work Experience

Freelancer | Seattle, WA | Present

Works with local publications and organizations on stories and projects. Draws on networks built over the years to pitch original ideas.

- Contributor to "The Seattle Times" with pieces about a new docu-series about professional female soccer players and the country dance craze seen in Seattle.
- Briefly served as an assistant producer for KEXP's podcast formerly known as Sound & Vision. Cut tape, mixed episodes, pitched and produced original features.

Arts and Culture Reporter *KNKX* | Seattle, WA | Nov 2021 - April 2024

A part of an eight-person news team that produced daily stories for the morning and afternoon on public radio. Focused on arts and culture and contributed weekly stories related to beat while pursuing long-term projects and web stories.

- Pitched, scripted, and produced weekly spot news stories for air. Identified interesting and relevant news stories for our listeners.
- Built a diverse network of sources and produced stories highlighting communities from all over and reflected the diversity of the region we covered.

Newsletter Writer and Director *The Evergrey* | Seattle, WA | Jul 2020 - Oct 2021

Wrote a daily newsletter sent to over 10K subscribers. Distilled important local news stories into a few sentences. Led the publication's social media and engaged with reader questions and feedback.

- Wrote guides and explainers on Seattle-specific subjects like a guide to the U-District, music venues around the city, The Wildrose bar, and more.
- Led coverage in a way that included different perspectives and reflected the diversity of the Seattle area.

Core Skills

Audio Storytelling | Writing | Editing | Investigative Journalism | Digital Journalism | Podcasting | Mix Audio | Radio Production

Education

University of Washington | B.A Journalism and Political Science | June 2016 - June 2019

Awards

Sigma Delta Chi, Radio Investigative Reporting | *Society of Professional Journalists 2024*

Investigative Reporting, First Place | *Public Media Journalists Association 2024*

Best Investigative Reporting | *Regional Edward R. Murrow Awards 20*

