



Zulekha Nathoo



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EXPERIENCE

USA Today, Humankind

Producer/Host

2021 — Present

- Host of Humankind Connection and other network news specials on USA Today's OTT channel
- Pitch uplifting news stories, conduct on-camera interviews, produce broadcast scripts, voice pieces, write digital articles and develop social media language for Twitter, Facebook, YouTube, Tiktok and more
- Contributor to USA Today's 5 Things news podcast
- Responsible for approving scripts, managing social media accounts, monitoring monetization and tracking engagement
- Involved in candidate interviewing process when necessary as executive member of USA Today's diversity and inclusion committee

BBC.com, Atlanta, GA

Contributing Writer

September 2020 — Present

- Pitch and write original stories for BBC Worklife

CBC News, Los Angeles, CA

Correspondent

November 2015 — July 2020

- Correspondent for digital and broadcast
- Generated enterprise stories related to pop culture and lifestyle
- Curated CBC Entertainment page and edited copy by junior staff
- Recent multi-platform coverage: COVID-19, Harvey Weinstein trial, death of Kobe Bryant, Oscars, racial inequality

CBC News, Toronto, Canada

Network Reporter

September 2010 — October 2015

- Reported on original and hard news stories for digital and TV
- Pitched ideas, conducted interviews, wrote scripts and articles

CBC News, Calgary, Canada

General Assignment Reporter

November 2005 — August 2010

- Reported on local news and human interest stories
- Shot, edited, wrote and presented reports for newscasts

EDUCATION

Western University, London, Canada

May 2002 — April 2003

Master of Arts in Journalism

- Received prestigious CBC Joan Donaldson scholarship upon graduation

University of Ottawa, Ottawa, Canada

Sept 1997 — Dec 2001

Bachelor of Arts in History

- Specialized in American history, minor in Criminology

Awards

- Atlanta Press Club 2022 Award of Excellence-Digital News "Why people of color are so often misidentified"
- Atlanta Press Club 2022 Award of Excellence-Podcast "Feet in 2 Worlds: A Better life?"
- Golden Crane Award, Asian American Podcasters Association, 2021
- Southern California Journalism Award, 2021
- National Arts & Entertainment Journalism Award, 2021
- UN Alliance of Civilizations fellow, 2013 (Middle East)
- Aga Khan Foundation Canada media fellowship 2008-09 (Kenya)

Skills

- Highly proficient in TV, radio and digital news
- Frequent user of Polopoly, INEWS, AP style, social media
- Fluent in French
- Experience working in Canada, USA and Kenya

Social Media



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2.5K followers



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