



# Ellina Abovian



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## Honors/Awards

- 2019 Huntington Beach Parade
- 2019 Recipient of Armenian Influencer Award
- 2015 Emmy Nominee
- 2015 Rose Parade
- **AGBU (ARMENIAN GENERAL BENEVOLENT UNION)**  
Volunteer for special panels/charities involving Armenian causes.
- **ANCA (ARMENIAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE OF AMERICA)**  
Volunteer for special panels/charities involving Armenian causes.

## Skills

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

## Education

**School of Television, Media & Film California State University, Los Angeles 2011**


Bachelors degree in Broadcast Journalism

## Social Media

 EllinaAbovian

 @EllinaKTLA  
11.4K followers

 @EllinaKTLA  
3.5K followers

 @ellina\_abovian  
13.9K followers

## EXPERIENCE

### KTLA, Los Angeles, CA

Reporter/MMJ

July 2015 – Present

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

### KSWB-TV, San Diego, CA

Reporter/MMJ

June 2014 – July 2015

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

### KMPH-TV, Fresno, CA

Reporter/MMJ

April 2013 – May 2014

- Generate stories and produce taped and live stories
- Develop sources
- Shoot, edit report stories

### KSBY-TV, San Luis Obispo, CA

Freelance Reporter

Feb 2013 – April 2013

- Shoot, edit and report stories as assigned

### COOLSTATELA.COM Eagle I Views Campus News, Los Angeles

Anchor, Reporter, Writer, Producer

June 2010 – Sept 2011

- Anchored weekly 1-hour newscast
- Produced and reported newscasts as directed
- Set up for shots, wrote and edited packages while meeting deadlines
- 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

### GEM1TV, Los Angeles

Host, Writer, Producer

Nov 2009 – Dec 2011

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

### CBS Television, Los Angeles

Guest Relations Assistant

Jan 2009 – Aug 2009

- 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

Multi-media journalist

April 2007 – Jan 2009

- Produced and hosted weekly viral videos on various subjects covering LA 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 LinkedIn for the online magazine
- Edited, wrote and published daily Los Angeles lifestyle stories