# VIANCA FUSTER

JOURNALIST | FILMMAKER

### PROFILE

Vianca Iliana Fuster is an award-winning video producer and documentary filmmaker from Milwaukee's South Side. She earned her Bachelor's Degree in Journalism, Advertising, and Media Studies and began her career as a multimedia producer at a local non-commercial radio station. Fuster was awarded the Marquette No Studios Emerging Filmmaker Fellowship in 2019 where she will be spending a year working on a feature-length documentary focused on her South Side, Latino community.



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### SKILLS

#### EDUCATION

### JOURNALISM, ADVERTISING AND MEDIA STUDIES

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

2016-2018

# FILM & VIDEO, JOURNALISM

Columbia College Chicago

2013-2015

### HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

Riverside University High School

2013

### ADORE PREMIERE

PROTOOLS / AUDITION

AFTER EFFECTS







### EXPERTISE

VIDEO PRODUCTION STUDIO & LIVE PHOTOGRAPHY FEATURE AND NEWS WRITING AUDIO PRODUCTION SOCIAL MEDIA

WORDPRESS

#### EXPERIENCE

# EMERGING FILMMAKER FELLOW

In Spring 2019. I was awarded the innaugural Marquette University - No Studios Emerging Filmmaker Fellowship. The program provides a year of free production gear, studio and editing spaces, and mentorship for two local filmmakers working on a film MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY project. I was awarded the Milwaukee-based social justice documentary fellowship.

- Produce a fine cut feature-length documentary or web-based documentary series by Spring 2020.
- Participate in No Studios and Marquette University programming as attendee or speaker.
- Give two public talks about their project at Marquette University.
- Interact with Marquette students and offer production-oriented internships to students.
- Report on progress of final project to No Studios and Marquette University on a regular basis and host work-in-progress screening.

# **NO STUDIOS**

MKE, WI

2019-2020

# FREELANCE VIDEOGRAPHER | PRODUCER

Along with my fellowship, I work as a freelance videographer and producer for a variety of corporate, non-profit, and communitybased organizations. I freelance solo as well as with a new digital media studio LionArt Media LLC.

- Direct, camera operate, edit, and produce video content for clients based on company's website or social media needs.
  - Current and past clients include Medical College of Wisconsin, Cine Sin Fronteras [Milwaukee Film Festival], Fades for Grades, YNOTME Magazine, 88Nine Radio Milwaukee, and more.
- Serve as an assistant producer, camera operator, and editor with mentor Laura Dyan Kezman under her freelance umbrella LionArt Media LLC. LionArt Media creates video content for web and social media use for a variety of corporations, non-profits, and marketing agencies in Milwaukee.
  - o Tuna Traffic, gener8tor, Backline, Carmex, and more.

**VARIOUS** 

MKE, WI

2017-PRESENT

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# EXPERIENCE (CONTINUED)

### MULTIMEDIA PRODUCER

Community Stories (CS) aims to tell personal narratives and feature stories about the people and organizations making Milwaukee great. I am responsible for pitching and producing original, two-to-three minute audio and video stories for the on-air CS segment and our social media platforms.

- Pitch two original multimedia stories a week and produce stories from pre- to post-production.
- Serve as one of three members of a team producing two long form multimedia series a year under the umbrella "88NINE PRESENTS," while simultaneously producing weekly CS content.
- Skills acquired through this position include audio and video production; research, writing, editing, and interview;
   time and project management, especially under tight deadlines; ability to balance several projects at once; social media management, and experience creating digital marketing content.

88NINE RADIO MILWAUKEE

MKE. WI

2017-2019

# VIDEO INTERN / PROGRAM PHOTOGRAPHER

My work with Radio Milwaukee began when I was selected as the video intern fall of 2016. After returning for the spring semester, I began to be contracted as the Programming Photographer. When I entered my senior year of college, I began my career with Radio Milwaukee as the Multimedia Producer (see above position).

- As an intern, I assisted in all aspects of production for 88Nine Presents: *National & North* and *At the Threshold,* two Milwaukee Press Club award-winning "Multiplatform Reporting" series.
- Photograph live musical performances and events in the 88Nine space and off-site locations to be used for online
  and for marketing materials. Also responsible for edits and uploading.

88NINE RADIO MILWAUKEE

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MKE, WI

2016-2017

### AWARDS/EXTRA

- NO STUDIOS | MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY EMERGING FILMMAKER FELLOW, 2019

-INVISIBLE LINES, MILWAUKEE FILM FESTIVAL 2018

MKE PRESS CLUB AWARDS:

-2017 ONLINE: BEST USE OF MULTIPLATFORM REPORTING AT THE THRESHOLD | 2016: NATIONAL & NORTH

-2017 ONLINE: BEST LOCAL NEWS OR FEATURE WEBSITE: COMMUNITY STORIES

#### PERSONALITY

CREATIVE

ORGANIZATION

TEAM WORK

FAST LEARNER

HUSTLE PASSION

# INTERESTS

ALL THINGS PUERTO RICO

DOCUMENTARY TRAVELING

BASKETBALL

SKATEBOARDING

HIP HOP

READING PRODUCTIVITY

VIDEO GAMES

# SOCIAL MEDIA



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