



RACHEL LOUISE JUST

REPORTER

SUMMARY

I'm motivated to tell stories that first and foremost look at how people in our communities are impacted, especially by governments. I'm interested in accountability and explanatory reporting that looks to better inform a world that is becoming more divided and disconnected. Journalism is a passion project for me and I feel grateful to be able to tell the stories I have told and will tell in the future.

SKILLS

- Final Cut Pro
- Adobe Premiere Pro
- Avid
- Public Records Systems

EDUCATION

BA, Double Major: Communication, Theatre-Acting

Purdue University
May 2017

Member of Phi Eta Sigma National Honors Society, Alpha Psi Omega National Theatre Honors Fraternity

University of Kent

Canterbury, U.K.
Study abroad coursework in negotiation, race throughout history, Shakespeare
January 2016 - June 2016

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EXPERIENCE

Total Spanish School - Spanish Language Immersion Program

Colombia, South America

January 2026 - June 2026

- Attended Spanish school five days per week, lived in homestay with local family, and moved from early beginner Spanish to conversational Spanish

Political Reporter

KNXV-TV

Phoenix, AZ

December 2023 - December 2025

- Produced and led the market on in-depth coverage of uniquely Southwest issues, always through the lens of accountability journalism and people-focused reporting
- Reporting cited in major publications, including The New York Times and BBC News
- Cultivated strong sources that led to reporting on regional issues and national issues
- Harnessed social media to engage viewers and push stories out to wider audience

Statewide Political Reporter

WWMT-TV

Grand Rapids/Kalamazoo/Battle Creek, MI

November 2020 - November 2023

- Reported for four Sinclair stations. Stories frequently aired nationally through Sinclair stations
- Reporting highlighted by national outlets, including World News Tonight, CBS News, PBS/NPR affiliates

MMJ/Reporter

KTMF-TV

Bozeman, MT

May 2018 - November 2020

- Bozeman bureau reporter, regional anchor for weekday evening segments airing statewide
- Built sources to investigate and issues of MMIWG, systemic drugging and sexual assault, and education corruption
- Reporting and social media highlighted by international outlets
- Involved in interviews with high-profile subjects such as President Donald Trump, Sen. Lindsey Graham



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