



**Education**

**-Bachelor of Visual Journalism with Concentration in Liberal Studies** (Fall 2020)  
**-Content Development Certificate with Internet Studies Center** (Winter 2020)  
**Western Washington University** | 516 High St, Bellingham, WA 98225

**- Short-Term Professional Media Certificate in Journalism Foundations** (August 2016)  
**-Associate of Arts Degree** (June 2015)  
**Peninsula College** | 1502 E Lauridsen Blvd., Port Angeles, WA 98362

**High School Diploma**, Technical Institute for Tourism (ITER) state baccalaureate exam (July 2012)  
**I.T.C. Guido Piovene** | Via Verona, Vicenza 36100, Italy

**Professional experience**

**Pantry Cook**, October 2017 - Present  
 Restaurant - Team member, food prep, pantry work (desserts, salads and sushi station). Often work at different stations as needed. Coworkers would say I am very detail oriented.  
**Anthony's at Squalicum Harbor** | 25 Bellwether Way, Bellingham, WA 98225. (360) 647-5588

**Pizza crew**, May 2014 - August 2016  
 Take-out restaurant - Team member, ordering, cashier, line work, food prep. Focus on making products to specification. Strived for customer satisfaction, taking orders by phone or in-store, maintaining stock of necessary ingredients, food preparation, cleaning.  
**Port Angeles Papa Murphy's** | 1405 E Front St, Port Angeles, WA 98362. (360) 457-7760

**IT Technician**, October 2012 - July 2013 (9 months) and December 2013 (4 weeks)  
 Computer repair technician, in-shop and remote assist; set-up new computers for customers; installed computers on-site in some cases; managed company-wide antivirus deployment; dealt with customers directly.  
**Pacific Office Equipment, Inc.** | 314 E. 8th St, Port Angeles, WA 98362. (360) 417-3600

**Administrative Assistant – Internship**, February 2012, for two weeks  
 Travel Agency - Assisted with customer service, flight registration, visas and other travel related tasks and assisted with shipping.  
**Miti e Mete** | Viale Crispi Francesco 22, Vicenza (VI), Italy 36100

**Receptionist – Internship**, February 2011, for two weeks  
 4-star hotel. Worked at front desk, accommodated hotel guests, booked reservations, minor accounting and cataloguing.  
**Hotel Vergilius** | Via Carpaneda, 5, Creazzo (VI), Italy 36100

**Personal skills/competences**  
 Mother tongue(s)  
 self-assessment\*

**English, Italian**

Understanding		Speaking		Writing
Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
B2	B2	B2	B2	B2
B1	B1	B1	B1	B1

(\*) [Common European Framework of Reference for Languages](#) (B1 = Intermediate; B2 = Advanced)

Need to know	Most interested in journalism ( <i>I follow AP style and won't bury the lede</i> ), photojournalism, videography, graphic and web design. Please peruse my portfolio site.
Skills and competences	<p>Experienced with Adobe suite programs like Photoshop, In-Design, Illustrator, Audition, Premiere Pro and After Effects. Experienced with HTML5 and PHP web development. Experienced building and managing WordPress sites for two college student newspaper websites (details below).</p> <p>High level of competence and familiarity with computers and general software and hardware. Useful experience includes a variety of professional cameras, multiple-angle camera interviewing, professional microphones, light kits, gimbals and clean web interview recording.</p>
Traits	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Friendly personality;</li> <li>❖ intercultural competence;</li> <li>❖ open-minded approach to dealing with people and tackling problems;</li> <li>❖ work well solo or as a team member;</li> <li>❖ value constructive criticism;</li> <li>❖ equally enjoy leading and secondary roles;</li> <li>❖ communicate regularly within a workgroup and with superiors.</li> </ul>
<b>Publication experience</b>	<p><u><i>While at Peninsula College</i></u></p> <p>Several quarters of experience working as a staff writer, photographer and editing at the Peninsula College Buccaneer student newspaper. As <i>online editor</i>, oversaw the launch of a new Buccaneer website, set up with WordPress, maintained and kept up to date. Then worked as <i>photo editor</i>, <i>managing editor</i> and <i>news editor</i>.</p> <p>Interned at KSQM FM non-profit radio as part of content development certificate.</p> <p><u><i>While at Western Washington University</i></u></p> <p>Staff writer at The Western Front newspaper, and Klipsun and Planet magazines.</p> <p>Stories published with the Front and The Whatcom Watch, a Bellingham periodical. Got an environmental journalism podcast published with The Planet about the Cherry Point moratorium.</p> <p><i>As online and multimedia editor</i> at The Western Front in winter 2020, oversaw a backlog of backend server updates, and set up a new theme, redesigning every type of page, reorganizing existing and new categories and subcategories and upgraded posting procedures significantly.</p> <p>As part of regular duties, posted articles as they became available, editing or creating social media messages and then scheduling them for social media and made weekly roundup newsletters.</p> <p>Also, managed a group of staffers who developed informational graphics, special social media posts, or to accompany stories. Staffers also worked with KnightLabs interactive web tools like StoryMap JS and SoundCite JS, as well as a few video projects. This was challenging because the multimedia staff positions were somewhat experimental and it proved somewhat rare for staff to iterate on projects to the point where they were polished enough to publish. Much learned.</p>
<b>Volunteer and Other Experience</b>	<p><b>Stand.Earth</b>, February – April 2018 Bellingham BetterCup.earth campaign volunteer/activist. The campaign urged Starbucks to develop a fully recyclable paper cup. Worked as a team.</p> <p><b>Project EVA</b>, January 2018-August 2018 Co-organizer of the Bellingham-based non-profit group, Electronic Vision Association, helping set up events at a variety of locations (mostly local) featuring DJs from the Pacific Northwest.</p>
<b>Previous work references</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Port Angeles Papa Murphy's</b> – Assistant Manager Dalilah Blevins @ (360) 808-1973</li> <li>▪ <b>Pacific Office Equipment, Inc.</b> – Materials Manager Jered Reynolds @ (360) 460-5936</li> </ul>
<b>Other non-work, non-family references</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Holly Lacy @ (360) 670-3145</li> <li>• Bonne Smith @ (360) 809-0512</li> <li>• Michael Delos @ (206) 937-8353</li> </ul>
Curriculum Vitae / Résumé of Roverso Giovanni A.	