



Keith Bryant

I am an undergraduate sophomore at San Jose State University, majoring in Journalism with a minor in Communication Studies. My career goal is to become a TV reporter for E! News in Los Angeles. I understand to achieve my goals, I must graduate from college, continue to further my education, take entry-level jobs at local newspapers and small TV stations around the country. My Journalism professors have taught me to feed my intellectual curiosity in order to stay informed on current issues that are affecting our society. Like many others in the Broadcast profession, I must sharpen my ability to think critically, edit, write, conduct story research, and produce and shoot creative video segments, in order to make a breakthrough in Los Angeles's media entertainment industry.

My ambitious long-term career goal is to become a media mogul and have my own talk show. I want to use my talk show as an agent of change to help people who are underprivileged and underserved.

After being at SJSU for two years, I have gotten involved in many school activities to equip me with rewarding experiences and essential skills for my career. Currently, I work in the control room of SJSU's Update News. My job is to input the name captions that correspond to each reporter on the newscast. In addition, this job gives me hands on experience on how to work the control room for a newscast. Furthermore, I am involved in leadership opportunities on campus. During my freshman year, I was president of the Bricks residence halls, which houses 720 students. As president of the Bricks, I worked within a diverse group environment, interacted with people daily, and learned how to address issues my residence community faced. My exemplary leadership and hard work as Bricks president, earned me to be SJSU's nomination for the First Year Experience award at the 2009 No Frills conference, which is a national residence hall conference that recognizes student leadership in residence halls across the country.