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Work Samples

**PORTFOLIO**

**Cover stories**

Jan. 2023 [183 North construction project to bring lane closures, increased construction activity and bridge widening work in 2023](https://editions.communityimpact.com/view/935857190/)

Nov. 2022 [Second rate hike ahead for Austin Energy customers on Jan. 1](https://editions.communityimpact.com/view/660745125/)

Oct. 2022 [Local restaurants facing challenges amid inflation](https://editions.communityimpact.com/view/866366095/)

Sep. 2022 [Austin’s second downtown](https://editions.communityimpact.com/view/1030124310/)

**Articles:** A few examples

Transport beat by organizations: [CTRMA](https://communityimpact.com/austin/northwest-austin/government/2023/01/25/ctrma-projects-across-austin-on-track-for-completion-for-183-north-mopac/), [Project Connect](https://communityimpact.com/austin/northwest-austin/transportation/2022/12/01/2-years-into-project-connect-report-shows-metrorail-red-line-on-track/), [Cap Metro](https://communityimpact.com/austin/northwest-austin/transportation/2022/11/21/electric-buses-to-have-access-to-overhead-chargers-at-capital-metros-south-operation-bus-yard/), [CAMPO](https://communityimpact.com/austin/northwest-austin/transportation/2022/11/16/texas-am-transportation-institute-report-shows-traffic-fatalities-are-up-in-texas/), [I-35](https://communityimpact.com/austin/northwest-austin/transportation/2022/06/22/diverging-diamond-opens-on-i-35-at-parmer-lane/)

[Williamson County Commissioners Court](https://communityimpact.com/austin/georgetown/government/2022/09/27/williamson-county-moves-ahead-with-road-connecting-us-183-to-sunset-ridge-drive/)

[Restaurant profiles](https://communityimpact.com/austin/northwest-austin/dining/2022/12/20/austin-based-chain-p-terrys-burger-stand-grows-throughout-central-texas/)

[Business Profiles](https://communityimpact.com/austin/northwest-austin/business/2022/10/25/local-shop-archery-country-provides-equipment-services-ahead-of-hunting-season/)

**Community Impact Newspaper**

Full List (180+): <https://communityimpact.com/author/641/sumaiya-malik/>

**Podcast** A UT Austin Drag Production – *Darkness: The year of midnight murders—an unsolved true crime of 1885.*

**Sound Story** Melissa Lucio, Steve Rivas Sonic ID, Austin Reblend, A mayor who won by five votes, Security in religious institutions – available upon request

**Video Production** *Solar vs. Pedernales Electric Co-op –* Adobe Premiere -Fall 2021

**Photography** Texas Parks and Wildlife Magazine, Community Impact

**Texas Parks and Wildlife Magazine –**Fall 2021 *- articles, photography, fact check, first round edits*

**Texas Observer/NPR NextGenRadio** – *Investigative workshop*

• Jun. 2021: As power grid fails again, Texans are still recovering from the winter storm

**Austin Monitor** – *Local watchdog publication*  Jan. 2021-Jun. 2021

• Jun. 2021: TreeFolks’ carbon credit program

• May 2021: City - permit fees

• May 2021: History Center - formal partnership with the city

• Apr. 2021: Innovative design for Williamson Creek Greenway

• Apr. 2021: Environmental Commission - heritage trees

• Mar. 2021: Austin Animal Center - microchipping

• Mar. 2021: Shelter animal distress calls during “snowmageddon”

• Mar. 2021: Animal Advisory Commission - bull hook loophole

• Mar. 2021: City efforts to educate seniors - property tax

• Feb. 2021: Conservation - “Lights Out” to protect birds.

• Feb. 2021: Austin ISD - mental health provider

• Feb. 2021: Austin ISD board of trustees - real estate consulting services

• Jan. 2021: Reimagining public safety – police

• Jan. 2021: Ann Kitchen: Build better solutions

• Jan. 2021: Natasha Harper Madison: Building a more equitable city

• Jan. 2021: Delia Garza is on the move

**Reporting Texas** – *UT Austin School of Journalism Official Blog* Sep. 2020–May 2022

• Feb. 2021: Black Texans reflect on racial justice

• Dec. 2020: Election Day Austin - short lines at the polls

• Oct. 2020: Texas Book Festival - Mexican writer Temoris Grecko

• Nov. 2020: Falconry soars in Texas

• Spring 2021: Twitter and Facebook for RT

**Austin-American Statesman** – *Special Contributor/freelancer* Oct. 2015-2019

• Feb. 4, 2021: Falconry in Texas

• July 30, 2020: Austin food scene - Eid al-Adha holiday

• April 10, 2019: Elizabeth Avellan of Spy Kids – non-profit

• June 6, 2018: Bunco Night in Ramadan

• June 4, 2018: Austin Art Hall of Fame inductee

• April 2018: Oliver Rajamani’s Flamenco India

• 2017: SXSW, Big Sick show influence of South Asia

• 2015: Thankful for the road that gives us some life lessons

**Austonia** – *Locally owned online publication, created to serve Austin* Nov.2020 • Political organization all-time high in Austin’s Asian American community

**The Austin Chronicle** - Special *Contributor / Freelancer* Jan. 2015–2020

• May 8, 2020: Live Flower Arranging Workshops

• June 28, 2019: Respect Mother Earth

• November 2018: Contemporary Austin

• April 2018: Mayors Book Club

• April 2018: Review: Flamenco India

**Tribeza** - *Special Contributor/Freelancer* Nov. 2015–2019

• February 5, 2019: Making Space – local artist porfile

• January 10, 2019: Women’s March through Music

• November 2018 - Multiple Identities in Huma Bhabha’s Art

**Austin South Asian** – *Monthly Columnist*  2015–2021

*A monthly print and online publication that covers the South Asian community.*

• Opinion columnist and community news

• At least 4 published articles every month all available online through issuu.com

**Edible Austin** - *Special Contributor*

• Home Growers give back