

KELLY YAMANOUCHI

REPORTER

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EXPERIENCE

2008 – Present: Business Reporter, **The Atlanta Journal-Constitution**

- Cover Delta and Hartsfield-Jackson – one of the world’s largest airlines and the world’s busiest airport. Award-winning investigative reporting.
- Launched the AJC’s airport blog, newsletter and airport news social media accounts. Trained in video and audio storytelling and production.
- Promoted to Senior Reporter in 2021
- Serve as substitute team leader and editor since 2022

2004 - 2008 Business Reporter, **The Denver Post**

- Covered airlines and aerospace, including United bankruptcy, aircraft development startups

2002 - 2004 Business Reporter, **The Honolulu Advertiser**

- Covered tourism business, including airlines, cruise lines, hotels & government agencies.

2000 - 2001 Reporter/Newsperson, **The Associated Press**

- Wrote daily news stories. Worked as night & weekend news desk supervisor, managing bureaus & coverage in Northern California and Reno. Responsibilities included editing and broadcast writing.

2000 – 2002 Internships at **The Los Angeles Times, The Chicago Tribune, The San Francisco Chronicle**

EDUCATION

Northwestern University, Medill School of Journalism

- Master’s degree in Journalism, 2002
- Washington business reporting intern for South Florida Sun-Sentinel

Harvard University

- Graduated with honors, Bachelor’s degree in English & American Literature & Language, 2000
- Senior editor for The Harvard Crimson

HONORS/SKILLS

- Key role on Denver Post team named a **Pulitzer Prize finalist** for coverage of 2006 blizzard that crippled region.
- 2019 investigative reporting team member winning national **ASNE-APME First Amendment award** and Brechner Center Freedom of Information Award for Atlanta City Hall coverage.
- Dow Jones News Fund internship program **mentor**. AAJA Atlanta chapter **vice president**.
- Experienced event speaker and professional panel **moderator**