**KERANA TODOROV**

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**Journalism Experience**

Freelance Reporter, Napa CA | October 2020 – present

I cover the wine industry *for Wine Business Monthly / winebusiness.com*. In addition, I have contributed articles to the *Sonoma-Index Tribune* and *The Press Democrat.*

Staff Writer/News Editor

*Wine Business Monthly*, Sonoma, CA | January 2018 - April 2020

I covered the wine industry, including scientific trends, mergers and acquisitions and legal news for Wine Business Monthly and winebusiness.com, the daily news site.

I contributed articles as a freelance writer between July 2016 and December 2017.

Staff Writer

*Napa Valley Register*, Napa, CA | May 2006 - June 2015

I wrote about public safety, the city of American Canyon and general assignment topics for the *Napa Valley Register* and *The American Canyon Eagle*, a sister paper*.*

Reporter

*Colfax Record*, Colfax, CA | May 2005 - April 2006

I reported on the city of Colfax.

Reporter

*Tracy Press*, Tracy, CA | May 2003 - March 2005

I wrote general assignment stories.

Reporter

*The Union*, Grass Valley, CA | January 1999 - May 2003

I covered the cities of Grass Valley and Nevada City and contributed general assignment stories.

Reporter

*Gazette Newspapers*, Gaithersburg, MD | October 1997 - August 1998

I reported on the city of Greenbelt and wrote general assignment stories.

**Other**

Part-Time, Temporary U.S. Census Worker | August 2020 – October 2020

U.S. Census Bureau

Part-Time, *Wine Enthusiast*, Wine Tasting Assistant | November 2021 – December 2023

**Internships**

*Greenbelt News Review*, Greenbelt, MD, 1996 -1997; *Gazette Newspapers, 1998; Capital News Service*, Washington, DC, 1997; *Point Reyes Light*, Point Reyes, CA, 1997; *Agence France-Presse*, Washington, DC, 1998; *Daily Nexus*, 1982-1983.

**Education**

B.A., German Literature, University of California, Santa Barbara.

A.S., Viticulture, Napa Valley College.

Certificate, Digital Media Skills, Advanced Media Institute, U.C. Berkeley Graduate School of Journalism.

Certificate, Data Analytics, General Assembly, San Francisco.

Certificate, Google tools, Google News Initiative | AAJA.

“Equity and Ethics in Data Journalism”, online course, Knight Center for Journalism in the Americas.

**Skills**

Fluent in French.

**Journalism Memberships**

Investigative Reporters and Editors; Asian American Journalists Association; Society of Professional Journalists; Society of Environmental Journalists; Online News Association.

**Articles**

[**https://www.winebusiness.com/wbm/article/286236**](https://www.winebusiness.com/wbm/article/286236)

[**https://www.winebusiness.com/news/article/285083**](https://www.winebusiness.com/news/article/285083)

<https://www.winebusiness.com/news/?go=getArticle&dataId=227592>

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<https://www.winebusiness.com/news/?go=getArticle&dataId=201909>

<https://www.winebusiness.com/news/?go=getArticle&dataId=220855>

<https://www.winebusiness.com/news/?go=getArticle&dataId=212261>

<https://www.winebusiness.com/news/?go=getArticle&dataId=214545>