

Reporter of the Year: Two-Year Schools

Fousia Abdullahi, Editor in Chief, The Collegian, Tarrant County College

1. News: [Report shows TCC employees were fired, disciplined due to SB-17 violations](#)
2. News: [Five TCC international students have visas revoked](#)
Note: The nominated reporter also did the VOSOT for the related embedded video.
3. News: [Access to LinkedIn Learning denied](#)
4. Feature: [Feeding minds](#)

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Key Skills

Audio Production,
storytelling,
interviewing, project
management, social
media marketing, Adobe
Audition

Education

Centennial College,
Toronto, ON, '01-'04
Coursework: Law Clerk

Tarrant County College,
Fort Worth, TX, '23 -
Present
Associate of Arts

OBJECTIVE

Experienced podcaster and podcast producer who thrives on doing the work needed to take ideas from concept to execution. Looking to build on my skills in the field of media.

EXPERIENCE

Editor-in-Chief, *The Collegian* Aug. 2024-Present

Campus Editor, *The Collegian*— Aug. 2023-April 2024

- Supervise staff, work with campus editors/writers to plan weekly print and digital content.
- Cover campus events, district board meetings, write profiles, editorials, investigative pieces and relevant Tarrant County news. Maintain liaison with district administration.
- Provide photo editor with picture assignments, supervise page design, proofing and layout and assist in writing copy, headlines and cutlines as necessary, approve all headlines.

Podcast Producer and Consultant, *Naptime is Sacred*— 2020-Present

- Worked with multiple clients to take show ideas from concept to execution.
- Created customized audio studio setups, hosting solutions, and episode checklists to optimize distribution.

Owner, *Naptime is Sacred Podcast*—2016-Present

- Produced 80+ episodes of my own podcast with authors, entrepreneurs and professionals. Achieved average of 1K+ downloads per episode.
- Brand partnerships - Develop unique sponsored content, book reviews, live videos and affiliate marketing strategies.

Pharmacy Technician, Administrative Assistant, *RxProStaff*— 2018-Present

- Provided assistance to pharmacists and nursing staffs.
- Provide administrative support for billing issues and vendor management. Manage staffing schedules and shifts with clients.

Independent Virtual Assistant— 2007-2015

- Create social media marketing plan for a book launch. Includes creating marketing collateral, arranged interviews with influencers and other promotional strategies.
- Develop launch strategy for new YouTube channel and grew it to 1K+ subscribers.
- Manage email newsletter, evaluate guest submissions and respond to incoming reader and press inquiries for a large nonprofit media website.