

Anushka De

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EDUCATION

Stanford University Expected May 2026
Monta Vista High School, Cupertino, CA June 2022
Medill-Northwestern-Journalism Institute (MJNI) July 2021

- Reported under tutelage of Pulitzer Prize-winning journalists

HONORS / AWARDS

Journalism Educator's Association [Journalist of the Year](#)
National Student Press Association Nov 2021

- [Writer of the Year](#) Oct 2021
- [News & Opinion Story of the Year Finalist](#) May 2021
- [Social Justice Reporting of the Year](#)

National Merit Scholar Semifinalist
AP Scholar with Distinction
[Conrad Challenge Oceans & Plastic Pollution Winner](#) May 2021

- Designed bioluminescent, biodegradable "LumiNet" fishing net to mitigate ocean bycatch and plastic pollution 12 hrs/wk, 24 wks/yr

[Journalism Educators Association NorCal](#) April 2020-May 2021

- First Place Feature Package, Multi-Platform Coverage, NewsPub Column, First Place News Video
- Second Place Student Press Freedom Award, Breaking News Story, News Package, Breaking News Stream
- Third Place Column Writing, General Feature Story, Photo Illustration
- Honorable Mention News Story

[PixelHacks III](#) – created Alzheimer's app for annual Hackathon Jan 2019

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

UC Santa Barbara Research Mentorship Program June 2021-Present

- Sociology Research intern for study investigating COVID-19 impact on gender disparities in labor market
- Contributed to paper to be published in 2022

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

[El Estoque:](#) Aug 2019-Present
April 2021-Present

- Editor-in-Chief

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Features Editor • News Editor • Lead publication of 60 writer and editors in producing monthly print newsmagazine and daily online content 	<p>March 2020-April 2021 Aug 2019-March 2020</p>
<p><u>Inno Biotech Incorporated VP of Marketing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Helped found 501(c)(3)non-profit organization to bring biotechnology learning opportunities to Bay Area teens • Set up 13+ INNO chapters in worldwide 	<p>March 2020-Present</p>
<p>MV Debate Parliamentary President and Director of WebDev</p>	<p>April 2019-Present</p>
<p>Monta Vista Varsity Soccer Team Captain</p>	<p>March 2019-Present</p>
<p>Youth Economics Initiative Director of Multimedia</p>	<p>July 2020-Jan 2021</p>

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

<p>East Palo Alto Tennis & Tutoring (EPATT) Tutor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tutor underserved elementary school children in mathematics • Work with Stanford education experts to optimize teaching style • 3 hrs/wk, 40 wks/yr 	<p>Jan 2020-Present</p>
<p>Monta Vista Study Buddy Society</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assist freshmen and sophomores struggling in Algebra II, trigonometry, biology and literature • 1.5 hrs/wk, 20 wks/yr 	<p>Aug 2019-Present</p>
<p>NextGen SAT/ACT Essay Tutor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Helped class of 30 students • 1.5 hrs/wk, 15 wks/yr 	<p>Sept 2020-May 2021</p>

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

<p>Piano</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Performed at eight Certificate of Merit Honors recitals • 7 hrs/wk, 49 wks/yr 	<p>April 2008-Present</p>
<p>Monta Vista Robotics Team</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coordinate Women in STEM (WiSTEM) program • 11 hrs/wk, 12 wks/yr 	<p>Aug 2019-May 2021</p>

WORK EXPERIENCE

<p>Kumon Cupertino-East Teaching Assistant</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work with kids ages 4-17 on math and reading skills • 6 hrs/wk, 45 wks/yr 	<p>June 2020-Present</p>
<p>Target @ Main Street Cupertino Team Member</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 22 hrs/wk, 24 wks/yr 	<p>July 2020-Dec 2020</p>