

2011 ANNUAL EEO PUBLIC FILE REPORT

Rhode Island Public Radio

Station(s): WRNI-AM\*, WRNI-FM, WELH-FM\*\*, WCVY-FM\*\*\*  
(list all that are included within Employment Unit)

Community(ies) of License: Providence, RI; Narragansett Pier, RI, Providence, RI, Coventry, RI (\* after 10/7/11, LMA to Latino Public Radio with LESS than 5 full time employees.) (\*\* eff:10/8/11) (\*\*\*eff:6/7/11)

Date Range of Annual Report: December 1, 2010 – November 30, 2011

No. of Full-time Employees: 5 – 10 \_\_\_\_\_ / More than 10 XX \_\_\_\_\_  
(check the number that applies)

Small Market Exemption:

During the Reporting Period, a total of 8 full time positions were filled. The information required by FCC Rule 73.2080(c)(6) is provided in the charts that follow.

INITIATIVES

The employment unit engaged in the following broad outreach initiatives in accordance with various elements of FCC Rule 73.2080(c)(2):

\_\_\_\_\_ Participated in at least 4 **job fairs** by station personnel who have substantial responsibility in making hiring decisions. 1) \_\_\_\_\_ (Date/Location/Event)  
2) \_\_\_\_\_ (Date/Location/Event)  
3) \_\_\_\_\_ (Date/Location/Event)  
4) \_\_\_\_\_ (Date/Location/Event)

\_\_\_\_\_ Hosted at least one **job fair**. 1) \_\_\_\_\_ (Date/Location/Event)

\_\_\_\_\_ Co-sponsored at least one **job fair** with organizations in the business and professional community whose membership includes substantial participation by women and minorities.

1) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date/Location/Event)

\_\_\_\_\_ Participated in at least 4 **events** sponsored by **organizations** representing groups present in the community interested in broadcast employment issues, including conventions, career days, workshops, and similar activities.

1) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date/Location/Event)

2) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date/Location/Event)

3) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date/Location/Event)

4) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date/Location/Event)

\_\_\_X\_ Established an **internship** program designed to assist members of the community to acquire skills needed for broadcast employment.

Describe: WRNI has a robust internship program. Interns acquire real-world skills and experience by conducting interviews, writing news scripts, editing audio, and performing broadcast operations. WRNI has 3-5 interns at any one time, usually working 3-6 month terms

\_\_\_\_\_ Participated in **job banks, internet programs**, and other programs designed to promote outreach generally (*i.e.*, that are not primarily directed to providing notification of specific job vacancies).

Describe:

\_\_\_\_\_ Participated in **scholarship** programs designed to assist students interested in pursuing a career in broadcasting.

Describe:

\_\_\_X\_ Established **training** programs designed to enable station personnel to acquire skills that could qualify them for higher level positions.

Describe: All personnel are given the opportunity to learn on-line web publishing for our news-focused website as well as learning broadcast operations and hosting

\_\_\_\_\_ Established a **mentoring** program for station personnel.

Describe:

\_\_\_\_\_ Participated in at least 4 **events** or **programs** sponsored by **educational** institutions relating to career opportunities in broadcasting.

1) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date/Location/Event)

2) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date/Location/Event)

3) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date/Location./Event)

4) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date/Location/Event)

\_\_\_\_\_ Sponsored at least 2 **events** in the **community** designed to inform and educate the public as to employment opportunities in broadcasting.

1) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date/Location/Event)

2) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date/Location/Event)

\_\_\_\_\_ **Listed** each **upper-level** category opening in a job bank or newsletter of media trade groups whose membership includes substantial participation of women and minorities.

\_\_\_\_\_ Provided **assistance** to unaffiliated non-profit entities in **maintaining web sites** that provide counseling on the process of searching for broadcast employment and/or other career development assistance pertinent to broadcasting

Describe:

\_\_\_\_\_ Provided **training to management level personnel** on methods of ensuring equal employment opportunity and prevent discrimination.

Describe:

\_\_\_\_\_ Provided **training** to personnel of unaffiliated non-profit organizations interested in broadcast employment opportunities that would enable them to better refer job candidates for broadcast positions.

Describe:

\_\_\_\_\_ Participated in **other** activities designed by the station employment unit reasonably calculated to further the goal of disseminating information as to employment opportunities in broadcasting to job candidates who might otherwise be unaware of such opportunities.

Describe:





## RECRUITING SOURCES USED

*Use Separate Sheet for Each Opening*

Job Title of Position: Assistant Producer

Date of Hire: 4/1/2011

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List all recruiting sources utilized to fill the vacancy (*e.g.*, employment advertisements in print media, educational institutions, minority and/or women's organizations, community groups, job fairs, and any other sources of applicants) (use as many pages as necessary):

REFERRAL SOURCE	*	ADDRESS OF SOURCE	TEL. NO. AND E-MAIL ADDRESS OF SOURCE
Alliance for Women in Media	N	1760 Old Meadow Rd. Suite 500, MacLean, VA 22102	703-506-3290 info@allwomeninmedia.org
Asian American Journalists Assoc.	N	1182 Market St. Suite 320 San Francisco, CA 94102	415-346-2051 www.aaja.org
Corporation for Public Broadcasting	N	401 Ninth St. NW Washington, DC 20004	202-879-9600 www.cpb.org
Journalism Jobs.com	N	72 Plaza Dr., 2nd Floor Berkeley, CA-94705	510-653-1521 ads@journalismjobs.com
National Association of Black Journalists	N	8701A Adelphi Road Adelphi, MD 20783	301-445-7101 www.nabj.org
National Association of Hispanic Journalists	N	1000 National Press Building 529 14 <sup>th</sup> St. NW, Suite 634 Washington, DC 20045	202-662-7145 nagj@nahj.org
WRNI Website	N	1 Union Station Providence, RI 02903	401-351-2800 info@wrni.org

\* Indicate "Y" (yes) or "N" (no) if the organization requested that the station provide it with notice of all job vacancies. *See Rule 73.2080(c)(1)(ii).*

*Retain for each position filled until after the grant of the next renewal application.*

*Annually, on the anniversary of the date a station must file its renewal application, a station must place this list in the station's local public inspection file and post the list on the station's web site if it has one.*

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Job Title of Position: Finance Assistant

Date of Hire: 5/9/2011

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Corporation for Public Broadcasting	N	401 Ninth St. NW Washington, DC 20004	202-879-9600 www.cpb.org
Providence Craigslist Providence.craigslist.org	N	1381 9 <sup>th</sup> Ave San Francisco	info@craigslist.org
Swearer Center for Public Service Brown University	N	25 George St Providence, RI 02912	401-863-2338 Amy_Doyle@brown.edu
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