CRISTY MARRERO

CREATIVE CONTENT STRATEGIST SVP / HEAD OF STORYTELLING

PROFILE

An award-winning journalist with 21 years of experience in the private sector and publishing world, storyteller, SVP professional of content, and published author of Amazon Bestseller Las Imperfectas. A seasoned executive and passionate content and communications strategist, spokesperson, keynote speaker, and wellness expert with a communications, strong management, content creation, and development brand background. Strong eye for digital strategy and audience engagement. Specialty in developing content for women of color. Experience in leading, growing, and inspiring OKR-driven teams and managing budgets. I enjoy creating content that can audience reach an globally, regardless of language and platform of preference-business- and have audience development expertise in publishing, podcasting, digital, and social media.

SKILLS

C-Suite Executive Branding Storytelling **Public Relations** Artificial Intelligence Digital Media Writing Budget Management Team Management **Content Management Systems** Content Strategy Multimedia Expert Podcasts | Hindengurg Marketing Journalism Adobe Creative Suite Audience Development Fluent in Spanish & English

CONTACT

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FDUCATION

Universidad Complutense de Madrid | Masters Digital Technologies

Spain 2000-2001

Universidad del Sagrado Corazón | Bachelors in Journalism

Puerto Rico 1996 - 2000

WORK EXPERIENCE

Head of Content Development at Audible/3Pas Studios

2023 - Present

Led and successfully launched the audio division at Eugenio Derbez's Hollywood-based production company in partnership with Audible on a consultant basis with two pilots on comedy & true crime, one self-development on air, and one political satire in production to be released in the Fall of 2025.

SVP of Content + Head of Storytelling at Cristy Marrero, LLC 2018 - Present

Executive leader. Strategized and successfully launched The Americano and Floricua brands. Both online/multiplatform news outlets owned by Courier Newsroom, Inc., are dedicated to informing, educating, and empowering Latinx to increase turnout in the Election and beyond. She oversaw a newsroom of 80+ journalists and freelance reporters covering all things politics. Grew the brands by surpassing the 1.5M PVs mark within the first five months with a total audience of 1M Latinx. Consulted for AARP on the launch of a new platform to engage women 40+ with the brand.

Editorial Vice President at Hola! USA

2015-2017

Responsible for launching the US edition of the award-winning magazine. Oversaw creative content in both the Spanish and English editions. Marrero was also in charge of all digital properties and integrated content concepts with Hola TV. She oversaw a team of more than 20 editorial experts. Under her leadership, Hola! USA reached over 1MM MUVs on hola.com and over 400,000 monthly subscribers nationwide within the first year of its launch. The brand's social media audience surpasses 1M across all platforms. Managed a budget of \$7M/ year.

Group Content Chief at DotdashMeredith

Led a team of 20+ creative content creators in editorial, print, digital, and art. Developed 360-degree strategies designed to support all audience engagement and development, & marketing and business development opportunities for Meredith Hispanic Media titles (including Siempre Mujer, Ser Padres, Ser Padres Espera, and Ser Padres Bebé.) Lead Siempre Mujer to a 25% subscription increase. Successfully launched siempremujer.com and serpadres.com with over 4 million MUVs and surpassing 2.5M followers.

Contributor at EFE News Agency

Created, launched, and wrote content for the weekly television column of the Spanish news agency. Responsible for interviewing & reporting on talent and following trends in the TV space.

Fashion & Beauty Editor at Televisa Publishing

Responsible for reporting and creating content for Vanidades, a 70-year-old bi-weekly publication in Spanish. Conceptualized stories and interviewed leading talent & experts in the fashion and beauty fields and women's affairs.

AWARDS

Folio Top Women in Media Leadership | June - 2015

NY Women in Communications, WICI Awards Rising Star | Sept - 2013 2001-2007

2005-2008

MIN – Most Intriguing People in Media | Dec -2014

2007-2015