

Villagrana named top Spanish-language journalist



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Pedro Villagrana '80 '83 of El Paso, Texas, was recently chosen as one of the top 100 Spanish-language journalists and media people in the United States by the Hispanic Media 100.

Villagrana was honored Sept. 20 in Miami, Fla. Honorees were selected by a nationwide panel of judges, based on their local influence, community contributions and journalistic talent.

Villagrana is currently a field reporter at KINT-TV/

Univision in El Paso, where he has worked since the station first went on the air in 1984.

As a student, Villagrana was a reporter and anchor for a nightly news broadcast on KRWG-TV, host at KOBE-AM and producer, writer and moderator of a Spanish-language program on KRWG-TV. He also taught Spanish as a graduate assistant.

Villagrana received his bachelor's degree in broadcast journalism and his master's degree in Spanish from New Mexico State.

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