

JENNIE LENMAN

JOURNALIST / CONTENT PRODUCER / PRESENTER & MC

ABOUT

Jennie has years of experience as a broadcaster in community, commercial and public media as a presenter, producer, journalist, TV production coordinator, panel operator, audio editor, volunteer manager and copywriter. She has a strong network of diverse contacts in politics, community groups, environment, literature and arts. Jennie is passionate about creating social change through the power of story-telling and engaging with her audience on a personal level. Thanks to a previous life in administration, she is also very organised.

ACCOLADES

- 2025** ARN Bold Award Winner – Regional Team of the Year Award – Regional News Team
- 2024** SA Woman's 'Women to Watch' nominee
- 2023** ACRA Finalist for Best Local News Team – Regional, 5MU/Power
- 2020** SA Media Award Finalist for 'The Parenting Spectrum' ABC Podcast (producer on group project)
- 2018** Featured in Radiotoday.com.au in 'Radio's Greatest Newsreaders: The Future'
- 2017** Channel 9 Young Achiever Scouts Leadership Award nominee
- 2016** Bilby Awards 'Best Outside Broadcast' Finalist for Science Week Broadcast 'Audiosynethsis'
- 2015** 'Australian of the Day', Commonwealth Bank
Governor's Multicultural Award Finalist
CBAA Awards Finalist 'Excellence in Ethnic and Multicultural Broadcasting' & 'Excellence in News program'

SKILLS & ATTRIBUTES

Strong communicator, great coordinator and planner, empathetic, approachable and conversational, strong leader, proficient technical skills, great sense of humour (if she doesn't say so herself) with amazing stamina & grit.

WORK HISTORY

2019-
current

5MU RADIO & POWER FM (ARN - FORMERLY GRANT BROADCASTERS)

Journalist & Radio Host
Breakfast Newsreader
Host & Producer of 5MU's 'SA Today'
Web copywriter for news & podcast stories

2017-19

ABC RADIO ADELAIDE

Casual Producer / Panel Operator
Mornings / Drive / Evenings
Producer, "The Parenting Spectrum" podcast
Presenter, Saturday Afternoon

2018-19

MIX 102.3FM & CRUISE 1323AM (ARN)

Weekend newsreader (6am-midday)

2017-19

NEXUS ARTS

Board Member
MC for 2018 Fundraising Event
Previous Marketing & Publicity Assistant 2012

2017-18

NETWORK TEN (CHILDREN'S TV)

Production Coordinator for Totally Wild

2012-17

RADIO ADELAIDE 101.5FM

Breakfast Host, Executive Producer
News Coordinator
Panel Operator
Content Producer
Acting 'Manager of Programming'
Arts Breakfast Host & Producer
Acting Music Resources Coordinator

2013-15

G-TRAC, UNIVERSITY OF ADELAIDE

Administration Support Officer

2013-14

ABC RADIO NATIONAL

Assistant Producer on Drive OBs
OzAsia Festival 2013 & 2014
& The Festival of Ideas 2014

ACHIEVEMENTS AT WORK

- Created and improved official resources and guidelines at 5MU, Power FM and Radio Adelaide 101.5FM
- Created and implemented new major processes, filing systems and scheduling tools in administration & radio roles
- Coordinated and produced hundreds of live in studio acoustic performances with local and visiting musicians
- Created 16 promos with multi-lingual broadcasters in an award-nominated series called 'Welcome to Adelaide'
- Pitched and booked 140 film shoots/stories for kid's TV show *Totally Wild*
- Recruited, trained & mentored a producer team of over 60 radio professionals on Radio Adelaide Breakfast, many of whom now work in commercial media and at the ABC
- Social media - grew Twitter followers from 200 to 3,003 on Radio Adelaide Breakfast page & Facebook followers from 350 to 1,035
- Coordinated production of 75 hours of pre-recorded talks & music content for transitional phase to new physical station at Radio Adelaide
- Spearheaded successful on-air 'SaveRadAd' testimonial campaign at Radio Adelaide, coordinating the production of 50 messages from prominent community leaders, musicians and politicians.

EDUCATION

2014

RADIO ADELAIDE

Certificate III in Radio Production

2009

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Bachelor Arts - Communication & Media Management
Academic Merits for University in 2007, 2008, & 2009

Scholarship and grant for International Student
Exchange at Concordia University, Montreal, Canada

2005

UNIVERSITY SENIOR COLLEGE

High School Graduate

- Touch type speed 70 wpm
- Apple Mac & Windows
- Audio editing: Zetta Editor, NETIA Snippet & Snippet plus, Adobe Audition, Newsboss Audio Editor
- Playout & scheduling: Zetta, NETIA, Air DDO, ENPS, Newsboss, DAD & Dinisat
- Adobe InDesign & Photoshop
- Word, Excel, Powerpoint, Outlook
- Databases: Access, Tardis & Cypherbyte

COMPUTER & SOFTWARE LITERACY