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Black Reporting Guidelines

Reporting in Black Communities

The Reporting in Black Communities project is developing a community- informed, research-driven Canadian guide and resource hub for reporting on Black communities.

https://reportingblack.com/research-and-reports/

Indigenous Reporting Guidelines

Reporting in Indigenous Communities: The Guide

Canadian journalism guide teaches respectful, informed reporting with Indigenous communities, histories, perspectives and sources.

https://riic.ca/the-guide/

Continuing Legal Education Society of British Columbia: Online Indigenous Style Guide for Journalists

Quick reference journalism guide promotes fair, accurate and respectful descriptions of Indigenous peoples and communities.

https://www.cle.bc.ca/online-indigenous-style-guide-for-journalists/

Asian Reporting Guidelines

Elimin8Hate: Style Guide for Reporting on Asian Canadian Communities

Canadian guide addresses stereotypes, names, terminology, sourcing, anti-Asian racism, context and fair representation in media coverage.

https://www.elimin8hate.org/resources/

Reporting on LGBTQ+ Communities

The 519: Media Reference Guide

Journalism-focused reference explains terminology, framing and practical approaches to fair coverage of gender-diverse and LGBTQ+ communities.

https://the519mediaguide.org/

Trans Sask: Trans-Inclusive Media Guide

Canadian community guide gives reporters practical terminology and interviewing guidance for respectful coverage of trans people.

https://www.transsask.ca/trans-inclusive-media-guide/

Disability Inclusive Journalism

Fix the Frame: Disability Reporting Guide

Practical resource helps journalists identify and change harmful framing, stereotypes and recurring problems in disability coverage.

https://www.fixtheframe.org/

Government of Canada: A Way with Words and Images

Canadian guidance explains respectful terminology and representation when communicating about persons with disabilities.

https://www.canada.ca/en/employment-social-development/programs/disability/arc/words-images.html

Mindset: Reporting on Mental Health

Canadian journalist-to-journalist guide provides interviewing, stigma, suicide, addiction and mental-health reporting checklists.

https://www.mindset-mediaguide.ca/

UNHCR Canada: Journalism Guide

Canadian-facing journalism resource provides terminology, context and reporting guidance for coverage involving refugees and displaced communities.

https://www.unhcr.ca/journalism-guide/

Trauma-Informed Journalism

Non-Canadian Underlying Resource: Dart Center Style Guide for Trauma-Informed Journalism, via Canadian Journalism Forum

Evidence-informed guide gives deadline-friendly guidance on language, ethics, trauma, racism, sexual violence and psychological terminology.

https://www.journalismforum.ca/news/the-dart-center-style-guide-for-trauma-informed-journalism

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Inclusive Language

Government of Canada Language Portal: Inclusionary

Official federal writing guidance provides practical techniques for producing more inclusive English-language communications.

https://our-languages.canada.ca/en/writing-tips-plus/inclusionary