

Guide to the Alexander Zapata oral history interview

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Summary Information

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his move to Las Vegas, Nevada in 2015, his early impressions of the city, and obtaining positions at *Telemundo, Univision*, and *El Mundo* newspaper. Later, Zapata discusses United States politics, the Las Vegas Latinx community, and the political situation in Venezuela. Digital audio and transcript available. Digital photographs available.

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• Oral histories (document genres)

- Latinxs
- Las Vegas (Nev.)Venezuelans
- Journalists
- El Mundo (Las Vegas, Nev.)