

Anthony Traquena

400 S Flower St. Unit 47 • Orange, CA 92868 • anthoniiu@gmail.com • (657) 221-8812

Professional Summary

- Dedicated and community-focused student with a passion for storytelling to drive social impact and create positive change. Consistent and creative leader with demonstrated experience in student leadership, creative arts, humanitarian initiatives. Seeking to gain important experience and knowledge in the marketing world.
-

Education

Mater Dei High School

Class of 2026 Valedictorian; Summa Cum Laude; 4.56 Weighted GPA

Santa Ana, CA

August 2022 – May 2026

- AP Scholar with Distinction
 - National Honor Society Associate Member
 - California Scholarship Federation Associate Member
 - Honors Thespian
-

Work / Leadership Experience

Mater Dei High School

All-Choir Public Relations & Media Chair

Santa Ana, CA

July 2025 – June 2026

A position responsible for managing the social media pages of the choir; marketing concerts and choir-related events, and increasing enrollment

- Achieved over 1 million views across all social media platforms by researching content strategy, trends, and engagement
- Produced, directed, and edited a mini-documentary series showcasing individual choir students and how the program impacts them through their singing, faith, and backgrounds
- Designed over 70 social media graphics and videos that resulted in a 200% increase in user engagement
- Awarded the Keith Morton Memorial Scholarship in recognition of my leadership and impact toward the choir program

Mater Dei High School

ASB Senior Class Vice-President

Santa Ana, CA

August 2025 – May 2026

- Applied strong organizational and teamwork skills, successfully organizing and managing variety of school events, such as Senior Sunrise, school spirit activities, campus mental awareness events, and dances, showcasing a passion for serving the school community

David Pan For Congress

Congressional Campaign Marketing Intern

Irvine, CA

September 2026 – present

- Earning over 295,000 views across all platforms by managing social media and digital marketing for congressional campaign, developing videos and graphics while researching voter trends and online engagement
- Directing and producing an online video series communicating campaign policies and connecting with voters
- Applied public speaking and outreach skills through canvassing and speaking directly to voters at community events

LangGames.app

Creator & Developer

July 2026 – present

- Developed and designed an AI-powered written language-guessing game, combining language recognition and geography with user-interactive gameplay
- Created multiple game modes and difficulty levels to accommodate different levels of player knowledge
- Currently conducting beta-testing and social media marketing strategies before being submitting to app store

E-Commerce Vintage Clothing Seller

October 2025 – present

- Sourced used clothing while managing inventory, product listing, customer service, advertising, and shipping
 - Generating an average \$1,000+ in monthly sales while maintaining a 5-star customer rating
-

Volunteer Experience

Someone Cares Soup Kitchen

Kitchen Staff

Costa Mesa, CA

September 2025 – October 2025

- Helped unload and organize food donation crates
- Prepared and served healthy and hot food to over 50 guests
- Maintained a hygienic environment by cleaning dishes and the kitchen area

St. Norbert Catholic Church

Food Packaging & Distribution

Orange, CA

August 2025 – April 2026

- Organized bulk food donations into family-sized packages to support local families in need and helped with distribution and recycling of packages

