

I hope to graduate from Cal Poly San Luis Obispo, Ca. in Dec 1999. I want to return to my community, Ventura CA. and then put all of my knowledge, experience and energy into improving and strengthening my home town. I believe community Low-power radio is a beautifully simple and powerful tool to allow alternative and under-represented voices to have forum for expression.

The simplicity and cost-effectiveness of LPFM vs. other forms of community-wide communication is unique. There really is no other forum for strengthening and promoting cooperation and information in a traditional "neighborhood". I hope to emulate the example I saw in Portland, OR. last summer, at KBOO radio. It truly served the community. I hope to serve my, much smaller, community as well. I will strive to bring sponsorship and support from my neighbors to make neighborhood radio a reality. I would like to incorporate educational opportunities for the local high school (Ventura High).

Lastly, I'll add that as technology of communication improves and expands we can reach a vastly greater audience. But LPFM, is the only one that allows neighbors and communities to survive and thrive against the world-wide-noise of info bombardment.

Please support improved neighborhoods, communities, and diversity.

Thank you