



Marissa Vonesh: An Executive Profile

Marissa Vonesh has been working for *Distraction Magazine* since 2015. Vonesh has been the Editor in Chief of *Distraction* since 2017.

As the Editor in Chief she is expected to act as a leader, coordinator and communicator. She leads the staff meetings and is responsible for the overall flow of the magazine by making executive decisions on story content, design plans and all photography. In 2016, she was the executive editor of the magazine. Her first year on staff as a freshman in 2015 she was a contributing writer and designer.

Her first issue as Editor in Chief was awarded third place for best of show from the Associated Collegiate Press in November 2017. She was also awarded third place for a nonfiction article from Pinnacle Awards in July 2017.

Marissa is pursuing her bachelor's degree in journalism and history at the University of Miami.

She is a residential assistant in the freshman dorms at the university. She is also the women's chair for UCatholic. A native of Flagstaff, Arizona, Vonesh enjoys the diversity and culture of Miami is unparalleled.