

# STORYTELLING STORYTELLING

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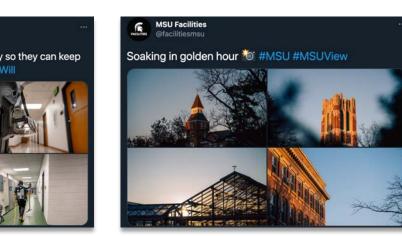
# So, how do we tell our story?



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#### **PHOTO**









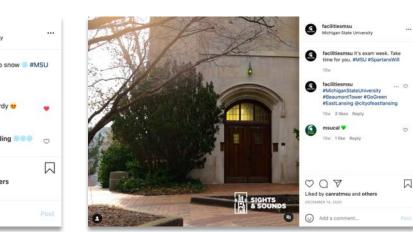








#### **VIDEO**











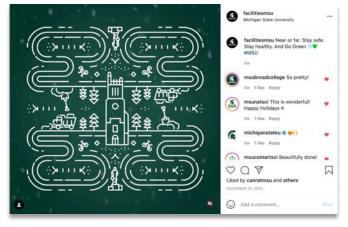






#### **GRAPHIC / ANIMATION**















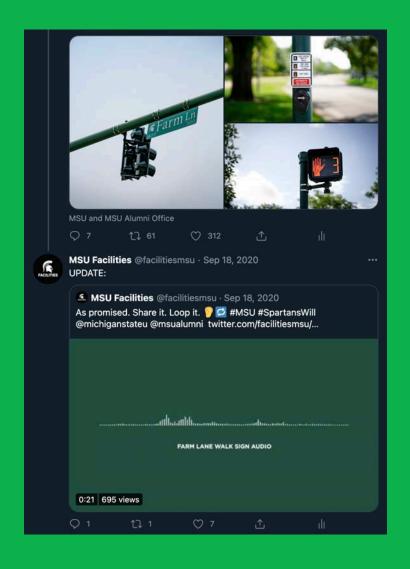




### Why use a photo when you can make a video?

- Creative vision and goal
- Capacity and resources
- Timeframe (timeliness is key)
- Skillset, tools





## ...but sometimes the circumstance requires it.



#### PHOTOJOURNALISM (kind of?)

















## How do we get our team to open up to us?

- Show interest in their work
- Be understanding and accommodating (explain)
- ...but be direct (you know what you're looking for)
- Always follow up



### It's not easy.

That's okay.



### Final thoughts and lessons learned.

- Trust your instincts
- Use the tools you're comfortable with
- Develop a relationship with your subject
- Say less, show more





### QUESTIONS?

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