# **Brian Scott**

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## **Experience**

#### Reporter/MMJ, WOFL, Orlando, FL

March 2017 - Present

- Turn multiple lead stories every day as a reporter and often also as an MMJ
- Regularly enterprise stories covering both the massive Orlando and Gainesville DMAs
- Special projects reporter and producer. Launched/lead the HeathBusters franchise
- Routinely recognized for creativity and "telling the story" differently and better than the competition.

## Reporter/Videojournalist, KXAS, Dallas, TX

**January 2013 – March 2017** 

- Responsible for enterprising unique story content in one of the four major counties in Dallas viewing area
- Shot and edited all of my own work
- Performed daily live shots on my own, without a photog, utilizing Streambox, LiveU, Dejaro, & TVU
- As only journalist in the county, was first to break several stories and was often live on-air from the scene of breaking news 45 minutes 1 hour before the competition

#### Reporter/Photojournalist, KGAN & KFXA, Cedar Rapids, IA

**July 2010 – January 2013** 

- Produced daily assignment and special feature packages as a "1-Man Band"
- Preformed live shots both in studio and in the field daily
- Assisted in newsroom-wide training on new digital workflow and transition from tape-to-tape
- Filled-in wherever needed including 3 months doing live reports for the morning show

#### Reporter/Anchor/Producer/Photojournalist/Editor, KIMT, Mason City, IA June 2008 – July 2010

- Honored with the 2009 Iowa Broadcast News Association award for Reporter Excellence
- Turned a package and 2 separate VOSOT's daily as a "1-Man Band"
- Filled-in for 7 months on the Morning and Noon shows as Anchor/Producer/Editor

#### Television Engineer, St. Cloud State University, St. Cloud, MN

**January 2007 – June 2008** 

- Managed and maintained equipment and studios for the Dept. of Mass Communications and UTVS-TV
- Assisted students and staff in use of equipment
- Wired the National Hockey Center for and operated robotic "in-net" cameras
- Assisted in the design of several studio TV sets and layouts

#### Director/Reporter/Assistant Engineer, Husky Productions, St. Cloud, MN January 2007 – June 2008

- Directed the live TV productions of all SCSU men's home hockey games for Charter 21-TV
- Produced several taped reports for the production
- Assisted in technical aspects including writing, set-up, and graphic building
- Lead the production crew

### Education

St. Cloud University 2008

Bachelor of Science, Mass Communications (Cum Laude)

#### **Awards**

- 2011 Best Newscast Live Reporter w/ KGAN Upper Midwest Regional Emmy Awards
- 2010 Best Breaking News Coverage Live Reporter w/ KGAN Iowa Broadcast News Association
- 2010 Best Breaking Newscast Live Reporter w/ KGAN Iowa Broadcast News Association
- 2009 Overall Excellence in Reporting Iowa Broadcast News Association
- 2008 Best College Newscast Producer w/ UTVS Upper Midwest Regional Emmy Awards
- 2007 Mark of Excellence Breaking News Reporting Society of Professional Journalists
- 2007 Mark of Excellence Feature Reporting Society of Professional Journalists
- 2007 Mark of Excellence Best Newscast Editor w/ UTVS Society of Professional Journalists
- 2007 Eric Sevareid Award: Best Newscast Editor w/ UTVS Northwest Broadcast News Association
- 2007 Best College Newscast Editor w/ UTVS National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences
- 2007 Best College Newscast Editor w/ UTVS Upper Midwest Regional Emmy Awards
- 2007 Award of Excellence Producer w/ Husky Productions Accolade Awards
- 2007 Gold Award: Sports Program Associate Producer Aurora Awards
- 2004 Reporter of the Year Lakeville High School "Panther Pause"
- 2004 Most Likely to Succeed in TV Lakeville High School "Panther Pause"