

# **Eric King**



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Culturally fluent, composed, deadline conscious, self-starter with a demonstrated ability to multi task, and thrive in fast-paced environments. Experienced major-market anchor/ reporter. Murrow and Emmy award-

#### **Education**

University of Louisville May 2002 Bachelor of Arts - Sociology

**Diversity Executive Leadership** Academy June 2020 Cultural Diversity Professional Certificate

## **Social Media**

**EricKing** 

@EricKingLouisville 7.9K followers

@TVsEricKing 9.8K followers

@tvsericking 1.9K followers

## **EXPERIENCE**

#### WHAS, Louisville, KY **Morning Anchor/Special Projects Reporter/** 2021 - Present

- Anchor of "Good Morning Kentuckiana"
- Write, research and present news content for all WHAS 11 broadcast platforms
- Manage developing and breaking news content on live air with high levels of composure and a focus on accuracy, clarity, and respect for facts
- Develop, produce and write special projects, including documentaries
- Copy edit all newscast content, serving as the last set of eyes on copy before broadcast to the 48th largest television market in America, serving more than 1 million people daily

#### WHAS - Great Day Live, Louisville, KY 2021

Host

- Promoted to M-F Morning Anchor
- Host and Anchor of personality and talent driven community and lifestyle show communications plans to increase public awareness
- Shoot, Edit, and conduct interview segments and additional video content

#### **Transit Authority of River City** 2020 - 2021

**Director of Marketing & Communications** 

Develop and implement strategic marketing and communications plans to increase public awareness

- Conduct media outreach with developed story angles and strategic content
- Develop and implement internal and external communications strategies, including video shooting and editing

# **C2 Strategic Communications**

**Senior Strategist** 

2018

- Managed multiple client accounts for various contracted services including public relations and marketing, communications consulting, brand management, media training and crisis communications
- Managed time and efficiency of projects with respect to budget in terms of client contracts
- Developed and wrote news releases, newsletters, web content, speeches, talking points, presentations, and other collateral marketing materials and social media posts
- Planned media availabilities, news conferences, public meetings and professional conferences

#### **WLKY-TV** News Anchor/Special Projects Reporter/Producer 2016 - 2018

- Wrote, researched and presented news content on air for WLKY's top rated 5pm weekday newscast
- Managed, developed and maintained community source list to ensure accurate and
  - inclusive content
- Managed developing and breaking news content on live air with high levels of composure and a focus on accuracy, clarity and respect for facts
- Developed, produced and wrote special projects, including documentaries
- Copy edited all newscast content, serving as the last set of eyes on copy before broadcast to the 48th largest television market in America serving more than 1 million people daily

## **NBC Universal, Dallas, TX**

**News Anchor/Reporter** 

- 2013 2016
  Breaking news reporter for one of the largest morning shows in America
- Midday news anchor
- Live field reporter during national emergencies: Ebola Outbreak/Weather Emergencies/Border Crisis etc
- Wrote, researched and presented news content for NBC's Southwestern Bureau and 5th largest television market in America, serving more than 7 million people locally, with extended national reach

#### WLKY-TV, Louisville, KY

Reporter/Anchor

2009 - 2013

- Midday Anchor
- Special Project writer
- General assignment reporter
- Wrote/Researched/Presented news content daily
- · Cultivated sources

#### FOX 13 News, Memphis, TN

Reporter

2007 - 2009

- Morning show reporter
- · Wrote/Researched/Presented news content daily
- · Cultivated and maintained sources