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Experience

Newsource Correspondent, CNN, Washington, D.C.

2014 - Present

Reporter/Anchor, KRGV, Rio Grande Valley, TX

2007 - 2014

- Efficiently managed time between developing stories, street reporting & anchoring daily newscast
- Maintained constant and relevant social media presence with television viewers via Twitter feeds & Facebook updates
- Regularly field-anchored 30 minute newscast during breaking news events
- Developed unique reporting style & brand through creative standups & storytelling
- Created cutting edge & investigative reports during sweeps and general assignment stories
- Researched & reported hard-hitting, in-depth news stories covering topics including spill over violence from Mexico, human trafficking, immigration issues, serious feature pieces, and ongoing government benefit fraud
- Selected to travel both within and outside of Texas for special reporting assignments
- Interviewed guests as a fill in host for 30 minute news magazine

Intern, KTBC, Austin, TX

2005 - 2007

- Field produced packages for anchor talent
- Exposure to editorial and operational coverage, as well as broadcast and digital production on daily basis
- Cultivated a strong understanding for the urgency of news reporting and importance of completing stories by deadline

Education

Texas State University, San Marcos, TX

2007

Bachelor of Arts – Electronic Media, Minor – Spanish

Skills

- Fluent in both English & Spanish
- Proficient in Avid Media Composer, Edius, FinalCut Pro & Quantel editing software
- Skilled at AP ENPS & Avid Newscenter newsroom software