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Experience

Reporter, KTBC, Austin, TX

August 2014 – August 2016

- Lead reporter for 5 1/2 hour morning newscast
- Wrote and performed 9-10 live shots a day, including breaking news
- Generated story ideas for morning newscast
- Developed original content for digital platforms, including streaming live video from breaking news scenes
- Used social media to engage viewers in all aspects of current events and discuss local news

General Assignment Reporter, WMUR, Manchester, NH

August 2012 – August 2014

- Wrote and reported several stories a day in a deadline driven environment.
- Strategized, generated, developed and pitched story ideas to editors
- Worked independently with little supervision
- Partnered with the community to promote causes for local non-profits
- Performed live shots for evening and late night newscasts, some in crisis/breaking news situations
- Utilized Facebook and Twitter to communicate news and interact with viewers

General Assignment Reporter, WINK, Fort Myers, FL

August 2006 – August 2012

- Wrote and turned two to three packages a day in a deadline driven environment
- Performed multiple live shots for afternoon and evening newscasts
- Decisive newsroom leader who was the go-to reporter in crisis/breaking news situations
- Strategized, generated, developed and pitched story ideas to editors
- Periodically edited packages on Grassvalley Edius Software
- Utilized Facebook and Twitter to communicate news and interact with viewers

Reporter/Anchor, WSHM, Springfield, MA

August 2005 – August 2006

- Reported & substitute anchored for the 6 & 11 pm newscasts
- Wrote, proofread, and edited news scripts
- Shot video on DVC Pro cameras for broadcast and web
- Edited video on Grassvalley non-linear system
- Primary substitute for lead male anchor

Reporter/Anchor, KRHD, Bryan, TX

September 2003 – August 2005

- Reporter for assigned newscasts
- Anchored various newscast on a fill-in basis
- Wrote, edited, and shot news stories on DVC Pro Camera
- Developed news contacts and enterprise stories ideas
- Covered assigned court and city beat

Education

Emerson College

2003

Bachelor of Science, Journalism

Awards

- 2011 N.A.T.A.S Suncoast Chapter Nominee Best Daytime Newscast
- 2004 Massachusetts Associated Press Award Best Enterprise Reporting
- 2003 Massachusetts Associated Press Award Best Newscast
- 2002 Robert F. Clinkscale Journalism Integrity Award

No Whining Talent