

# Madeleine Wright

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## Experience

### ***Multimedia Journalist, WPRI, Providence, RI***

**March 2014 – Present**

- Researched, shot, wrote, edited and reported stories live on tight daily deadlines.
- Delivered up to three PKGs a day. Reported live as many as nine times a day.
- Covered breaking and developing news, delivering live updates for each newscast.
- Pitched enterprise story ideas using sources developed within the community.
- Chosen for two-week reporting stint at WNCN-TV in Raleigh during NBC to CBS transition in 2016.
- Reported live on scene for WBZ Radio in Boston and Fox & Friends on Fox News Channel.

### ***Multimedia Journalist, WNCT, Greenville, NC***

**March 2012 – March 2014**

- Led station's coverage of coastal/military area as New Bern bureau chief.
- Pitched story ideas daily and one-man banded PKGs and VOSOTs with live shots.
- Reported live for sister station WNCN-TV in Raleigh on Croatan National Forest wildfire.
- Stories featured on CBS News, CNN, and *Dr. Phil*.

### ***Multimedia Journalist, WSJV, South Bend, IN***

**July 2011 – March 2012**

- One-man banded PKG and one or two VOSOTs a day. Produced multimedia web articles.
- Maintained multiple responsibilities as station's top weekend reporter and weekend video editor.
- Covered everything from breaking news and politics to features and human-interest stories.

### ***Intern, eNews Channel Africa (eNCA), Johannesburg, South Africa***

**April 2010 – June 2010**

- Wrote, edited and delivered on-air reports for morning newscasts on deadline.
- Covered major national/international news, including HIV drug shortage and FIFA World Cup.

### ***Intern, WPIX, New York, NY***

**June 2009 – September 2009**

- Field produced, arranged interviews and researched story information for assignment desk.
- Wrote consumer news tips for website and managed consumer help hotline.

### ***Intern, WLNY, Melville, NY***

**June 2008 – September 2008**

- Conducted research and called official sources for updates on breaking news.
- Operated teleprompter. Assisted in control room operation during show taping.

## Education

**Northwestern University, Medill School of Journalism**, Evanston, IL    **September 2007 – June 2011**

Bachelor of Science in Broadcast Journalism, minor in Spanish

**University of Oxford, St. Hugh's College**, Oxford, England

**July 2006 – August 2006**

Earned an "A" in British literature during intensive three-week program.

## Skills

- Fluent in Spanish.
- Basic knowledge of Latin.
- Active social media user. Proficient in Twitter, Facebook, Instagram, Vine, and YouTube.

## Honors and Achievements

- Named WPRI-TV's "Social Star" of the month of January for excellence in use of social media, 2016.
- Graduated from New Bern Police Department's citizens police academy, 2013.
- North Carolina Associated Press Rookie of the Year award, Honorable Mention, 2012.
- Part of team coverage that won second place AP Award in Indiana for best newscast, 2011.
- Medill Student Showcase honoree for excellence in student journalism, 2011.

## Affiliations

- Southern New England Association of Black Journalists, Member
- National Association of Black Journalists, Member
- Asian American Journalists Association, Member