

Josh Rosenthal

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Live lead reporter who shows up every day with multiple, turnable stories and contacts who can help improve coverage for multiple stories in the newscast. Grows trust in every market, from exposing nepotism within a Florida Sheriff's Office, to becoming embedded with the U.S. Marshals during an Arkansas murder investigation to now breaking exclusive stories on a daily basis in Minneapolis-St. Paul and greater Minnesota.

Experience

Reporter, KSTP, St. Paul, MN

May 2013 – Present

- Consistently breaks stories for every newscast by fostering relationships with contacts ranging from the TSA to MN.IT, the state agency overseeing cyber security across Minnesota.
- Court Reporter for the trial of Officer Jeronimo Yanez following the shooting death of Philando Castile.
- Developed deep sources within Minnesota's growing Somali community during the largest federal terror trial in U.S. History.
- Transportation Reporter regularly breaking stories regarding Minnesota's crumbling infrastructure and lack of funding to properly address roads, bridges and public transportation.
- Tech Reporter tasked with detailing and explaining hacks and privacy from the state level to personal accounts.
- Regular Political Reporter constantly keeping up with unique sources among Minnesota lawmakers.
- Writes fast web copy to break stories online in addition to on air.

Reporter, KLRT, Little Rock, AR

August 2010 – December 2012

- Crime Reporter regularly developing fast relationships with victims for exclusive interviews and coverage.
- Live lead Reporter for multiple daily newscasts.
- Anchored segment "Arkansas' Most Wanted" for 9pm and 10pm newscasts by cultivating relationships within the U.S. Marshals Service.

Reporter/Anchor, WCJB, Gainesville, FL

May 2008 – August 2010

- Proven success through investigations including exposing widespread plagiarism at an award-winning magazine and revealing nepotism within a Florida Sheriff's Office.
- News Anchor for the 10pm newscast and MMJ providing lead stories for the 11pm newscast.

Intern, Sportstalk 980, WTEM, Rockville, MD

January 2007 – June 2007

- Promoted to cover Washington Wizards home games, locker room interviews and edit sound for morning broadcast.

Education

University of Maryland, Philip Merrill College of Journalism, College Park, MD

May 2007

Bachelor of Arts in Journalism, Concentration in Broadcast News

Skills

- Experienced in non-linear video editing (Final Cut Pro, Edius) and audio editing (Adobe Audition).
- IRE Member
- Go-to hard news reporter
- Fast Writer
- Creative Storyteller who doesn't forget the facts
- Understands the power of using visuals to tell a story
- Team Player always working together with a photographer to reveal the best story possible

Awards

- 2016 Upper Midwest Regional Emmy, 1st Place, Evening Newscast (Market 1-20)
- 2016 Upper Midwest Regional Emmy, Nominee, Education/Schools
- 2016 Upper Midwest Regional Emmy, Nominee, Public/Current/Community Affairs
- Arkansas Associated Press, Second Place, 2012 Non-Spot News
- Arkansas Associated Press, Third Place, 2012 Spot News
- Florida Associated Press, 1st Place, 2010 Best Investigative Report
- Society of Professional Journalists, Regional 1st Place, National Finalist, Mark of Excellence Award for Sports Radio (2007)