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Experience

Anchor/Investigative Reporter, KUTV, Salt Lake City, UT

July 2018 – Present

Anchor/Chief Investigative Reporter/Drone Pilot, WHBQ, Memphis, TN

July 2015 – July 2018

- Regional Edward R. Murrow Award for News Series Reporting/Nominated for a Mid-South Emmy
- Anchor weekday, Midday newscast
- Extensive experience field anchoring and covering breaking news
- Investigations exposed wrongdoings in the community including local government breaking federal laws/Responsible for changing school district policy and influencing legislative action
- FAA licensed pilot and Part 107 certified drone pilot for news gathering
- Engage the community on social media and digital platforms daily

Chief Investigative Reporter/Fill-in Anchor, WBBH, Ft. Myers, FL

January 2014 – June 2015

- Responsible for leading the investigative unit and breaking exclusive stories. Investigations led to policy and regulation changes on the local, state and federal levels.
- Won twelve awards including a National Edward R. Murrow Award for Hard News, four Regional Edward R. Murrow Awards, two Emmy's and six Associated Press Broadcaster awards

GA Reporter/Morning Breaking News Reporter, WBBH, Ft. Myers, FL

May 2013 – Dec. 2014

- Responsible for enterprising hard news, exclusive, lead stories and cultivating sources
- Shot and edited multiple stories a day

Anchor/Reporter, SNN Local News, Sarasota, FL

October 2010 – April 2013

- Responsible for producing, writing and anchoring several daily newscasts
- Responsible for enterprising stories and covering breaking news

Education

The Connecticut School of Broadcasting, Farmington, CT

October 2010

The University of Michigan, Dearborn, MI

April 2006

Bachelor of Business Administration

Awards

- 2017 Spot News (Anchoring) 1st Place - Tennessee Associated Press Broadcast Award
- 2017 Emmy nomination – NATAS Mid-South Chapter – Specialty Assignment

- 2017 Regional Edward R. Murrow Award – News Series Reporting
- **2016 National Edward R. Murrow Award – Hard News**
- 2016 Regional Edward R. Murrow Award – Investigative Reporting
- 2016 Regional Edward R. Murrow Award – Hard News
- 2016 Emmy nomination – NATAS Mid-South Chapter – Specialty Assignment
- 2015 Emmy – NATAS Suncoast Chapter – Feature News
- 2015 Emmy – NATAS Suncoast Chapter – Health/Science News
- 2015 Regional Edward R. Murrow Award – Investigative Reporting
- 2015 Regional Edward R. Murrow Award – Feature
- 2015 Regional Edward R. Murrow Award – Station Overall Excellence (multiple stories featured)
- 2015 First Place – Florida Associated Press Broadcasters – Investigative Reporting
- 2015 Second Place – Florida Associated Press Broadcasters – General Assignment
- 2014 Emmy nomination – NATAS Suncoast Chapter – Video Journalist
- 2014 First Place - Florida Associated Press Broadcasters - Investigative Reporting
- 2014 First Place – Florida Associated Press Broadcasters – Continuing Coverage
- 2014 First Place – Florida Associated Press Broadcasters – Light Feature
- 2014 Second Place – Florida Associated Press Broadcasters – Investigative Reporting
- 2012 Telly Award – Remembering 9/11
- 2000 FAA licensed pilot
- 2016 Part 107 UAS Certified Drone Pilot
- 2009 Published author, *Start Saving Now – Perspective from Your Generation*