# **Steven Graves**

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## **Experience**

Multimedia Journalist, WBBM, Chicago, IL

September 2019 – Present

## Reporter/MMJ/Fill-in Anchor, WVEC, Norfolk, VA

September 2016 – September 2019

- Pitch enterprise stories in morning meetings daily
- Write, shoot and edit day-turn live and studio packages, VSOTs daily on EDIUS
- Cover crime and courts as reporting beat, developing exclusive stories
- Boarded military aircraft carriers for special projects
- Conduct live reports with a photographer on deadline in three back-to-back newscasts
- Primetime and Weekend Fill-In Anchor (Mornings and Evenings)
- Manage multiple social media accounts daily
- Attended weeks long Citizen Police Academy to develop sources

### Multimedia Journalist, KVII, Amarillo, TX

December 2014 – September 2016

- Responsible for pitching and executing enterprise stories as Nightside Reporter
- Wrote, shot and edited day-turn packages on AVID/EDIUS editing systems
- Weekend Anchor/Producer Fill-In (6 months)
- Executed solo live shots with LiveU
- Responsible for keeping up personal/station social media accounts

### Reporter, Prince George's Community Television, Largo, MD

**June 2014 – November 2014** 

- Wrote and edited packages/VSOTs/VO's/readers using Final Cut Pro for air and on deadline
- Researched and developed stories for broadcast
- Conducted interviews for broadcast and draft scripts
- Operated studio cameras/floor direct during newscasts

## Intern, WUSA, Washington, D.C.

**Summer 2013** 

- Researched stories and set up shoots
- Assisted with show production by making phone calls and booking guests
- Shadowed reporters and wrote and edited scripts/packages
- Learned the basics of the Edius editing system for news packaging

■ Pitched stories in production meetings

## Volunteer/Intern, Prince George's Community Television, Largo, MD

2011 - 2013

- Wrote and edited Packages/Vsots/VO's/Readers for on air
- Researched leads on stories and prepared information for reporters
- Conducted interviews for broadcast and drafted scripts
- Shadowed reporters and producers and observed audio technician in control room
- Wrote and edited package using Final Cut Pro and tutored the high school interns in the editing program
- Worked in a newsroom making phone calls to set up stories
- Received the Volunteer of the Year Award

### Education

## Salisbury University, Salisbury, MD

May 2014

Bachelor of Arts: Journalism, Minor: Theatre

#### **Skills**

■ Technical: Edius; Avid Pro Tools; Final Cut Pro; Panasonic P2 HD Camera; Social Media, Blogging; HTML

■ Language: Beginner in Spanish