

Emmy Award winning storyteller with the ability to exude personality and emotion through creative writing and visuals.

Self-starter who loves finding the stories that no one else has.

Dynamic anchor who delivers the news in a clear and impactful way.

Journalist who can create shareable content for varying platforms and audiences.

Capable of completing all phases

of the production process.

Education

Central Michigan University December 2013

Bachelor of Applied Arts

Social Media



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EXPERIENCE

KPHO, Phoenix, AZ

Reporter/MMJ

2021 - Present

WLNS-TV, Lansing, MI

Anchor/Reporter

2019 - 2020

- Anchor who commanded the desk and handled breaking news and cut-ins with authority and ease
- Leader in the newsroom who assisted other reporters with writing, editing and producing newscasts, to ensure viewers get accurate and current information
- · Conversational reporter able to ad-lib and cover breaking news
- Responsible for enterprising unique and shareable content with memorable writing and creative visuals
- Wrote web articles and social media post that coincide with each story to ensure engagement and exposure
- Multimedia reporter proficient in shooting and editing video in Adobe Premiere Pro, Final Cut Pro, Edius and BitCental

Yellow Flag Productions, Southfield, MI Producer/Reporter/Host 2014 — 2019

- Produced and hosted the Emmy Award winning special Concussions and the Modern Athlete that aired on FOX Sports Detroit
- Promoted from fill-in reporter to full time co-host and producer on several staple series in the company
- Producer and host of several recurring television series such as Authentic Michigan that airs on WXYZ Detroit, Robozone that airs on FOX Sports Detroit, and Inside the D that aired on Comcast CN900
- Co-Host and reporter for State Champs High School Sports Show, a five-time Emmy award winning program that airs on FOX Sports Detroit
- Manages several social media business accounts to ensure content exposure and viewer interaction
- Social media manager responsible for companies Facebook, Twitter, YouTube and Instagram accounts

Adell Broadcasting WADL TV-38, Clinton Twp, MI Reporter/Talent 2013 — 2015

- Reporter and original concept contributor for WADL News Breaks
- Talent for various commercials, and station projects
- · Sales assistant, and manager over the station's call center

WOOD-TV8, Grand Rapids, MI 2013

Intern

- Researched stories and followed leads to assist news reporters with their daily assignments
- Shadowed reporters, news producers and the social media department to get a full understanding of the newsroom