

Caitlin has experience covering big

news stories across the country.

Combine that with her compassion

for people and her competitive

nature as a former collegiate

volleyball captain, she's a reporting

force to be reckoned with in the field.

Caitlin has the ability to connect with

community members in both English

and Spanish. Her liberal arts

education gives her a well-rounded edge. Her expertise having double

majored in Women's Gender &

Sexuality Studies and American

Studies enable her to uniquely frame

a story for viewers, especially in this

era of social justice and change.

# **Caitlin Burchill**



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# **EXPERIENCE**

#### WVIT, Hartford, CT

Reporter/Fill-in Anchor

April 2019 - Present

- Big story reporter, consistently leading dayside and nightside newscasts
- Enterprise exclusive investigative & consumer stories for NBC CT's Special Project's Unit
- Consistently gather content for Telemundo Nueva Inglaterra, WVIT's sister-station
- Fill-in anchor
- Extremely active on various social media platforms; leader of engagement among colleagues
- · Currently enrolled in Spanish classes to better connect with community

#### KSL, Salt Lake City, UT

Reporter/Fill-in Anchor

November 2016 – March 2019

- Big story reporter for both dayside and nightside newscasts
- · Consistently led newscasts whichever shift was working
- Originally hired as lead story, breaking news reporter for morning and noon newscasts; Consistently left content for evening newscasts
- Extensive long form, live breaking news experience
- Enterprised exclusive content for special reports
- First Utah TV reporter on scene of the Las Vegas massacre
- Covered sports feature content for KSL; Sent to Houston to cover Jazz playoff run
- · Fill-in anchor
- Won 1st place for Utah SPJ's Multimedia Journalist Award for coverage on air and online of the Las Vegas Tragedy...also received multiple second places wins for a variety of other stories
- Learned, actively told stories in National Press Photographers Association format

### WABI, Bangor, ME

**Anchor/Reporter** 

March 2013 - November 2016

- · Co-anchor hour long weekday 5PM newscast
- Promoted to anchor position after 9 months as a General Assignment Reporter
- · Continued to report everyday on-air and online
- · Shot, wrote, and edited stories under tight deadlines
- Responsible for helping keep station's website and social media sites updated
- · Assisted assignment desk enterprising stories
- Ability to produce newscasts
- Emceed, hosted and moderated station, community and political events
- Anchored the market's No. 1 rated 5pm newscast

#### Husson University, Bangor, ME November 2014 – November 2016

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**Play-by-Play and Announcer** 

- Webcast play-by-play and color commentator for a variety of sporting events
- Public address announcer

**Awards** 

- Nominated for 2020 New England Emmy Award for Business/ Consumer News
- Nominated for 2020 New England Emmy Award for Breaking/Spot News Multiple Reports
- 1st place for Breaking News & Continuing Coverage categories for 2020 CT SPJ Awards
- 2020 Named one of the most influential women by CT Rivers Council
- Investigative stories placed 1st & 2nd in 2019 CT SPJ Investigative Broadcast Story category
- Theodore Driscoll Award for Investigative Reporting; only TV reporter chosen as finalist for this award which contained information obtained through reporter initiative, not readily available to the news media or the public
- Finalist in 2019 CT SPJ Breaking News category

- Won 1st place in 2019 & 2018 for Utah SPJ's Multimedia Journalist Award (coverage on-air and online of the Las Vegas Tragedy & a destructive wildfire)...also received multiple second places wins for a variety of other stories, including Best TV Reporter 2019
- Nominated for a Rocky Mountain Emmy Award in both 2018 and 2019

#### **Skills**

- Social media savvy
- Ability to edit with Final Cut Pro and Final Cut X
- Ability to shoot video with Panasonic HPX500 and 300 series cameras
- Ability to produce a newscast with ENPS

# **Social Media**

- in CaitlinBurchill
- @CaitlinBurchillNBCCT 4.2K followers
- @newsyCaitlin 5.4K followers
- @caitlinburchill 5.1K followers
- @caitlinburchill 27.9K followers

#### New England Cable News, Newton, MA

June 2011 - February 2013

Assignment Editor/
Associate Producer

- Started as intern and worked up to full-time "freelance" employee
- Coordinated reporters, confirmed information, and assisted producers
- Wrote packages, field produced, and booked live guests for newscasts

## **EDUCATION**

University of Maryland, Global Campus (Expected) August 2022 Spanish for Business and the Professions Undergraduate Certificate

#### Colby College, Waterville, ME

May 2012

Bachelor of Arts with Distinction

Majors: American Studies, Women's Gender and Sexuality Studies

- Pamela Hoyt-Sanborn Award winner, for inspirational leadership and sportsmanship during tenure at Colby
- Women's Varsity Volleyball Team
  - Named Female Athlete of the Year by campus newspaper; selected to New England All-Star Senior team
  - Voted Captain by teammates and coaches; most successful season in six years under my leadership

# **EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

- Passion for participating in and hosting a variety of community events;
   raising funds to find a cure for cancer
- Ran Boston Marathon 2018 for Mass. General Hospital's Pediatric Hematology Oncology Unit, raised \$13k+
- Graduate of FBI Citizens Academy and West Valley City's PD Citizens Academy
- Opening speaker at Utah's Violent Crimes Conference for state investigators 2018
- Chosen as speaker for Salt Lake City & West Valley City (UT) Police Departments Yearly Award ceremonies
- Two-time inspirational speaker at alma mater Ursuline Academy's senior-parent brunch
- Spin addict