

Facebook, Instagram, Twitter

40 under 40 Most Influential

African Americans in the Triad

3rd Place Short Light Feature,

Broadcasters & Media Editors

Associated Press Broadcasters

Tennessee Associated Press

2nd Place Franchise

& Media Editors

Reporting, Mississippi

Skills

Awards

2019

2016

Adobe Premiere

Audacity

Lauren Coleman



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EXPERIENCE WFMY, Greensbor

WFMY, Greensboro, NC

Anchor/Reporter

March 2021 - Present

- Anchor for the "4 to 5" and the 5pm newscasts
- Primary Anchor Fill-In on Evening Shows
- MMJ's 3 times a week
- Creates "My 2 Cents" segments twice a week

WHBQ-TV, Memphis, TN Morning News Anchor and Traffic Anchor December 2017 — March 2021

- · Anchored the 4:30 a.m. and Midday News on Good Morning Memphis
- Produced and delivered traffic reports 5 a.m.-10.am on Good Morning Memphis
- Assisted in writing, copy editing, researching and coordinating news programming
- Delivered interactive live shots for special assignments and events
- · Developed and reported franchise and sweeps stories
- Enterprised and broke stories using contacts and sources developed in the community
- · Promoted stories on digital platforms using Facebook and Twitter
- Fill-In Anchor for 5 a.m.- 10 a.m. and 5 p.m., 6 p.m., 9 p.m., 10 p.m. newscasts

WHBQ-TV, Memphis, TN

Reporter

October 2016 — December 2017

- Enterprised and broke stories using contacts and sources developed in the community
- · Delivered interactive live shots, breaking news live shots and standups
- · Developed and reported sweeps stories
- Promoted stories on digital platforms using Facebook and Twitter

Social Media

in LaurenMColeman

@laurencoleman-WFMY 19.5K followers

@LaurenColemanTV 3.1K followers

@lauren_colemantv 3.7K followers

WDAM-TV, Hattiesburg, MS

Weekend Anchor/MMJ

September 2015 — October 2016

- Enterprised, wrote, shot and edited stories for weekday newscasts using JVC Camera and Edius
- · Delivered interactive live shots and standups
- Broke and pitched stories using contact and sources developed in the community
- Produced and anchored weekend evening newscasts

KARK-TV/KNWA-TV, Washington, D.C.

Bureau Reporter

June 2015 — August 2015

- Enterprised, wrote, shot and edited Capital Hill stories that impact the citizens of Little Rock and Fayetteville, Arkansas using Canon XF305 Camera
- Interviewed Arkansas Senators and Arkansas Members of Congress

EDUCATION

Syracuse University, S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communications, Syracuse, NY August 2015

M.S. in Broadcast and Digital Journalism

University of Virginia, College of Arts and Sciences, Charlottesville, VA

May 2014

B.A. in English and African American Studies