



# Peyton Yager



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## EXPERIENCE

### **KDFW, Dallas, TX**

**Reporter**

March 2020 — Present

- Lead nightside reporter, specialties; crime/courts/breaking/weather
- FOX Network live coverage Texas Tornadoes 2022
- Continuing coverage; Halton City officers ambushed, Ukraine humanitarian crisis, Duncanville fieldhouse gunman, Fedex driver abducts/kills 7 year old girl, Dallas planes collide, officer shot during training

### **KFOR, Oklahoma City, OK**

**Reporter**

March 2019 – March 2020

- NBC Network, live coverage of El Reno tornado
- NBC & Global coverage of Okarche Family Wiped Out By Covid-19
- Time Magazine, The Economic Impact Of Covid-19
- Tulsa Trump Rally
- Uncovered key details in the murder of international model

### **KNWA/KFTA, Fayetteville, AR**

**MMJ/Reporter**

July 2017 – March 2019

- Wrote, shot and edited stories daily
- Fill-in Anchor

### **Spectrum News Austin, Austin, TX**

**Political Intern**

January 2017 – May 2017

- Wrote and produced content for nightly political show Capitol Tonight
- Shadowed reporters in the field as 85th Texas Legislature occurred
- Shot, wrote, and edited packages each week

### **KXAN, Austin, TX**

**Political Intern**

August 2016 – December 2016

- Researched and helped produce political content while working side-by-side with political reporter and investigative journalists
- Assisted the production of the station's weekly political program, State of Texas: In-depth
- Wrote and edited stories for the KXAN online

### **KVUE, Austin, TX**

**Reporter Shadow**

May 2016 – August 2016

- Shadowed reporters inside the newsroom and in the field
- Sat in on pitch meetings, helped conduct interviews, and edited and wrote packages

### **Governor Greg Abbott's Press Office, Austin, TX**

**Governor Fellowship Program**

January 2016 – May 2016

- Attended press conferences conducted for Greg Abbott
- Assisted in writing, editing, and preparing Governor Abbott for press releases
- Monitored the Governor's twitter and social media feed
- Assisted in contacting media networks to publicize certain events

### **Texas Student Television, University of Texas**

**Reporter**

January 2016 – May 2016

- Shot and produced news packages, edited packages, wrote stories
- Worked for the segment "Tower Talks" which reports on current political issues
- Interviewed students on campus to uncover their opinions

### **Senator Lois K. Kolkhorst, Texas State Capitol**

**Legislation Intern**

July 2015 – December 2015

- Provided support as administrative intern at Texas State Capitol on constituents and services
- Conducted legislative research on community (local) and state issues
- Filtered phone calls, requests, and written correspondences

## Education

University of Texas, Austin, TX  
2017

Bachelor of Journalism—Moody  
College of Communication,  
Bachelor of Arts—Government

## Social Media



Peyton Yager



@peytonyagerfox4  
39K followers



@peytonyager  
21.4K followers



@peytonyager  
27.9K followers