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Awards

 2017 Emmy Award Best Morning Newscast National Capitol Chesapeake Bay Region

Education

Hampton University Hampton, VA, 1994 Bachelor of Arts, Mass Media Arts

Social Media



Eric Philips



@EricPhilipsTV
1.7K followers



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58K followers

EXPERIENCE

WRIC-TV, Richmond, VA

Weeknight Anchor

August 2021 - Present

- Anchor 4, 5, 5:30, 6 & 11 PM newscasts
- Enterprise and in-depth reporting on hard-hitting issues
- Jumps in on general assignment when stories break
- Leadership duties at night include approving package scripts and direction of news coverage
- · Community focused both inside and outside of tv station

Christian Broadcasting Network, Washington, D.C.

March 2019 - August 2021

Correspondent/Fill-in Anchor

- Promoted to White House Correspondent in March 2021
- · Hired as National Security Correspondent
- · Fill-in anchor for "Faith Nation"

WWBT, Richmond, VA

Morning Anchor/Reporter

November 2015 - December 2018

- Anchor weekday morning newscast
- · "On Your Side" investigative reporter

WSOC, Charlotte, NC

Weekend Anchor/Reporter

August 2013 - August 2015

- Anchored weekend evening newscasts while assisting with editorial and staffing decisions
- · Proofread weekend shows for accuracy and style
- Developed sources for enterprise stories with an emphasis on live reporting
- Provided material for digital platforms
- Filled in extensively on morning news programs

WSB, Atlanta, GA

Reporter/Fill-in Anchor

July 2005 – July 2013

- · Reported for the highly rated "Channel 2 Action News Nightbeat"
- Developed relationships with community leaders, which led to stories
- Helped shut down a unit of the Atlanta Police Department after a series of reports about officers doing illegal strip searches
- · Represented station at numerous community events
- · Anchored various newscasts as needed

CNN, Atlanta, GA

National Correspondent

May 2000 - February 2005

- Traveled extensively covering stories from coast to coast for CNN and its 750-plus affiliate stations
- Covered the controversial 2000 Presidential Election with the infamous "swinging chads", an eruption at Mt. Saint Helens, the 9-11 disaster, and several NASA rocket launches to name a few
- Performed as many as sixty live shots in one day
- · Produced long form pieces for CNN evening programs
- Filled in on Headline News anchor desk as needed

WTKR, Norfolk, VA

Reporter

October 1996 - May 2000

- · Reported mainly for late night newscasts while performing multiple live shots daily
- Produced local most wanted segment called "Fugitive Files" which led to a dozen arrests and a letter of commendation from the director of the FBI
- · Received an award for feature reporting
- Filled in on anchor desk as needed

WBOC, Salisbury, MD

Reporter

October 1994 - September 1996

- Covered Chincoteague Pony Swim among other big local events
- Wrote several stories a day