

2021 Emmy Award - Best Medical

2009 NABJ Salute to Excellence Award "Sisters: Diversity in Politics"

TV News Anchor, Nominee

2013 Miami New Times Best Miami

"Black in America": Featured story in

Emmy-winning Black History Month

Only American TV journalist to go to

Adventures" series, "Single in South

Violinist Saved and Treated in Miami

After Devastating Haiti Earthquake"

Minorities and Skin Care", "Blind

Jamaica for the 2007 presidential

Notable series: "Weekend

Florida" relationship series Notable stories: "Staying Fit",

# **Sharon Lawson**



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# **EXPERIENCE**

### WAGA, Atlanta, GA

**Weekday Morning Anchor** 

2017 - 2024

- Anchor of Atlanta's #1 Morning show, Good Day Atlanta, 4:30am, 5:00am, 8:00am &10:00am
- Responsible for interviewing celebrities and newsmakers (live)
- Help guide editorial content
- Field anchor main events

### WTVJ, Miami, FL

**Weekend Anchor/Reporter** 

2003 - 2017

- Anchor Sat-Sun morning shows 6:00a & 9:00am
- Weekday morning fill-in anchor
- Live weekday general assignment reporter
- Research, investigate and develop potential leads into viable news stories
- Represent station by hosting community events, including Jazz in the Gardens and Jamaican jerk Fest

#### WFTC, Minneapolis, MN

Reporter/Fill-In Anchor

2001 - 2002

- Responsible for enterprising educational stories and covering live, late-breaking news
- Primary fill-in anchor for weekend newscasts

#### WHIO, Dayton, OH

**Weekend Anchor/Reporter** 

1997 - 2000

- Anchored 6pm and 11pm newscasts on Saturday and Sunday
- Covered daily news for Dayton area, develop stories and reported breaking news
- Covered top story of the day
- Fill-in anchor for all weekday shows

#### WMDT, Salisbury, MD

Weekend Anchor

1995 - 1997

- Co-anchored 6pm and 11pm weekend newscasts
- Special Projects reporter for a monthly series that spotlighted children in need of mentors

#### WWSB, Sarasota, FL

Photojournalist/Editor

1994 - 1995

- Shot all news-oriented stories using Beta and three-quarter inch camera
- Edited the noon newscast and assumed the responsibility of obtaining daily feeds

# **EDUCATION**

University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL

1993

Bachelor of Arts, Radio and Television Communications

Manatee Community College, Venice FL

1990

Associate of Arts Degree

**Affiliations** 

**Awards** 

Reporting

Accomplishments

Show - 2005

elections

- Member, National Association of **Black Journalists**
- Member/Mentor, Partners for Youth
- Member, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority

## **Social Media**



@SharonLawsonFOX5 19K followers



@sharonlfox5 37.5K followers



@SharonLFOX5 2.7K followers