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EMPLOYMENT

Director – WCTI / WFXI / WYDO (ABC / FOX)

July 2010 - Present

New Bern, North Carolina

- Directed “NewsChannel 12 This Morning”, the #1 weekday morning news program in the market, as well as “NewsChannel 12 at Noon” and weekly episodes of “Telestory” (in its 48th season)
- Responsible for all of the video, graphic, and audio elements as well as the clean execution of the show’s rundown, as set by the show’s producer
- Received company awards for Hurricane Earl wall-to-wall coverage and Station of the Year
- Helped transition from SD to HD broadcasts, including the integration of new equipment and procedures as well as system shakedowns, for both ABC and FOX newscasts

Production Assistant – Notre Dame Sports Properties

October 2009 - June 2010

South Bend, Indiana

- Assisted with the production of over 100 hundred live events streamed on und.com
- Helped with game day production of the “Official Notre Dame Football Postgame Radio Show”, as well as Fighting Irish highlights, feature packages, and daily practice updates
- Shot, edited, and posted interviews with Coaches and Players on und.com and CBS College Sports
- Worked with over 24 varsity sports, as well as support staff, promotions, and sports information

Production Assistant – WIPB-TV (PBS) / Ball State Sports Network

August 2005 - June 2009

Muncie, Indiana

- Film, edit, and produce video requests for faculty and staff of Ball State University
- Utilize Final Cut Pro, After Effects, DVD Studio Pro, Microsoft Office
- Began as a Production assistant, and worked my way up until I was Directing, Technical Directing, Producing, Graphics building, Audio mixing, Camera operation, etc.

Production Intern - ESPNNews – ESPN Inc.

February 2009 - April 2009

Bristol, Connecticut

- 10 week paid internship. Worked specifically for ESPNNews, but observed other areas of broadcast
- Operated EPlay (playout), OnePlay (quick edit), A2, and Video (shading and robotic cameras)
- Worked with ENPS, Directors, and Associate Directors to create and air content for ESPN
- In the studio, assisted with Director, A1, Talent, and Producer to create a smooth running show

FREELANCE WORK

2005 - Present

- ESPN X-Games – Operations Runner in Los Angeles, CA and Aspen, CO
- Indiana Pacers, Conseco Fieldhouse – Technical Director, Cameraman
- Lingner Group/ESPN/NCAA - Font Coordinator
- Ball State Sports Network – Technical Director, Camera Operator, Font Coord/Op, Utility
- Lingner Group, HD Theater/Discovery – Relief Technical Director, Font Coord/Op, Utility

EDUCATION

Ball State University – Muncie, Indiana

Graduated June 19th, 2009

- Bachelor of Arts; College of Communication, Information, and Media
- Telecommunications (Production Option)
- Current GPA: 3.133 / 4.0
- Dean’s List – Spring 2006

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