

SUMMARY:

Content Creator for over 40 Years. Highly accomplished and award winning local TV News/Weather Anchor/Producer/Reporter. Weather experience includes: reporting on everything from blizzards in Colorado and Montana to Hurricane coverage in Virginia, South Carolina and Texas. Used literally every weather system since the old days of Kavouras right up to the latest edition of Baron's VIPR, Omni and Lynx. As a TV chief meteorologist, I've managed small and large teams of people and acted as a primary mentor for emerging talent in multiple markets and in multiple career tracks.

EXPERIENCE:

Chief Meteorologist - Morning/Evening TV Weather Anchor

KULR, KTMF, KFBB, KWYB-TV - Missoula/Billings, MT

August 2012 - November 2018

Responsibilities:

Design/Build a working TV weather center for an emerging local news operation.

Prepare/Present Weather for the entire state of Montana each weekday morning on the company's state-wide morning show.

Prepare/Present Weather for the entire western side of Montana each weekday evening.

Maintain/Upgrade station weather system, graphics and presentation.

Provide one-on-one and long distance mentoring to a state-wide team of TV weather casters & meteorologists.

Morning TV Weather Anchor

KIII-TV - Corpus Christi, TX

August 2006 - August 2011

Responsibilities:

Prepare/present customized forecasts for the Coastal Bend of Texas during Kiii-TV's #1 morning newscast.

Covered hurricanes: Rita & Katrina from the weather center and the beach.

Primary weather center computer system administrator and "cool stuff" creator.

Morning News Anchor/Producer/Reporter

WCIV-TV - Charleston, SC

October 2003 - April 2004

Responsibilities:

Prepare and anchor news for Good Morning Charleston and local news for Good Morning America.

Other duties include writing and packaging special reports & some general assignment reporting.

Morning News/Weather Anchor/Producer/Reporter

WSET-TV - Roanoke/Lynchburg, VA

August 1996 - August 2003

Responsibilities:

Prepare and anchor news and weather during Good Morning Virginia and News 13 Midday.

Other duties include writing and packaging special reports & general assignment reporting.

On occasion, I had to produce, write and anchor the midday news myself.

News/Weather Anchor/Producer/Reporter

WOLO-TV - Columbia, SC

March 1994 - August 1996

Responsibilities:

Produce/anchor morning news and weather for an emerging morning local newscast.

General assignment reporting.

Primary evening back-up news anchor.

Weekday Reporter/Producer/Back-up News Anchor

KNDO-TV - Yakima, WA

July 1993 - March 1994

Responsibilities:

General assignment reporter including MMJ style live shots years before MMJ'ing became today's industry standard.

Five p.m. newscast producer.

Primary back-up news, weather and sports anchor.

Morning/Evening News/Weather Anchor/Producer/Reporter

KJCT-TV - Grand Junction, CO

August 1990 - July 1993

Responsibilities:

Started as weekend weather anchor/weekday reporter.

Promoted to morning news and weather anchor after three months on the job.

Also hosted KJCT's News 8 Forum, the station's 30-minute public affairs program.

Nine months later, promoted to anchor/producer of primary week night newscasts.

OUTSIDE EXPERIENCE:

Other areas of content creation include: author/creator of The Castle of Spies action/adventure novels on Amazon, creator, producer, talent of the 757 Spy Flight Simulation Livestream on Twitch.TV and writer/producer/talent of the new VLOG on YouTube called: SpyLife.

Aviation - Private Pilot

1986 - Current

A lifelong interest in aviation emerged at an early age. Awarded my Private Pilot's License in 1986. While not as active in aviation as I'd like to be, I continue to study aviation away from the flight line. A collision between aviation and my outlined below.