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## Experience

### **KGAN/KFXA, CBS 2 & FOX 28, CEDAR RAPIDS, IA**

- Sports Director, September 2007 – Present
- MDA Labor Day Telethon Co-Host, 2008, 2009 & 2010
- Weekend Sports Anchor/Reporter, April 2005 – September 2007
- Sports Reporter/Photographer, September 2004 – April 2005

### **WMT 600 AM RADIO, CEDAR RAPIDS, IA**

- Morning Sports Reporter/Anchor, August 2009 - Present

### **KXLf-TV, MONTANA'S NEWS STATION, BUTTE, MT**

- News Anchor/Producer, January 2004 – September 2004
- Interim News Director, October 2003
- Sports & News Anchor/Reporter, September 2002 – January 2004

### **KTVK, TV3, PHOENIX, AZ**

- Sports Desk Assistant, August 2001 – December 2001

### **ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS, PHOENIX, AZ**

- Video Production Assistant, April 2001 – August 2001

### **KNBC, NBC4, LOS ANGELES, CA**

- Sports Desk Assistant, May 2000 – August 2000

### **SUN DEVIL TELEVISION, CHANNEL 2, TEMPE, AZ**

- ASU Newswatch Anchor, January 2002 – May 2002
- ASU Newswatch Sports Reporter/Anchor, January 2001 – May 2001
- Devils on the Deuce Anchor/Reporter/Producer, September 1999 – May 2002
- “Hindsight 20/20” Anchor/Reporter, September 2000 – May 2001

### **KASC 1260 AM, THE BLAZE, TEMPE, AZ**

- Sports Reporter, January 1999 – May 2000

## Awards

- Upper Midwest Regional Emmys – Talent, Anchor – Sports (Nomination)
- 2010 IBNA, Sports Coverage, 1<sup>st</sup> Place: “Iowa Throwback Uniforms”
- 2010 IBNA, Sports Coverage, Hon. Mention: “Big Ten Battles Agents”
- 2009 IBNA, Best Sportscast, 1<sup>st</sup> place
- 2008 Iowa AP, Best Sportscast, 1<sup>st</sup> place
- 2008 IBNA, Best Sportscast, 3<sup>rd</sup> place
- 2007 IBNA, Best Sportscast, 3<sup>rd</sup> place
- 2007 IBNA, Sports Coverage, 3<sup>rd</sup> place: “More Than a Game”
- 2007 Iowa AP, Sports Special, 2<sup>nd</sup> place: “Zach Johnson; Four Days in April”
- 2003 Montana AP, Spot News Live, Honorable Mention: “Montana Broom & Brush Fire”

## **Education**

**CRONKITE SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM AND TELECOMMUNICATION, ARIZONA ST. UNIVERSITY**

BA, Broadcast Journalism, *summa cum laude*, 3.98 GPA; May, 2002

Minor, Theater