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Objective

To obtain a full time on-air position forecasting weather and producing news packages to utilize both my meteorology and journalism education and experience.

Experience

WFMJ-21 Youngstown, OH, Weekend Meteorologist 2006-Present

- Produce and present forecasts for weekend evening shifts
- Fill-in work during the morning and noon shows
- Create graphics using Weather Central ESP and 3D LIVE
- Able to adjust delivery style and length for different show formats
- Develop and execute weather and news stories TV2, Weather Director & Reporter 2004-2006
- Taught weather anchors how to properly deliver weather on-air, update and formulate computer graphics, and use appropriate weather terminology
- Gained valuable hands-on experience presenting forecasts on a local access cable channel
- Created news packages and engaged in field reporting

WEWS-TV, Internship Summer 2005

- Learned how to build & present weather forecasts
- Worked with the WSI computer system effectively
- Assisted field reporters covering various stories

KSU National Forecasting Team 2004-2006

- Used tools and resources to forecast for different cities around the nation
- Placed nationally for Grand Rapids, MI and Alpena, MI

Awards

AMS Seal of Approval

Education

2006-2008 **Mississippi State University** Mississippi, MS
Broadcast Meteorology Program, Certification

- Completed September 2008
- In-depth look into atmospheric processes and forecasting techniques

2002-2006 **Kent State** University Kent, OH
Broadcast Journalism, BA

- Graduation Date: May 2006
- Climatology minor – emphasis on understanding weather and the atmosphere
- Achieved Dean's List Fall 2002 & 2004