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BROADCAST EXPERIENCE

News 12 Long Island

2011 to Present

Main Prime Time Anchor/Executive Producer

Executive Producer/Host of weekly half-hour news special feature

Long Island, NY

Award winning on-air prime time anchor

- Executive Produce/Host of several 90 minute live call-in/guest roundtable specials
- Executive Produce and host a weekly financial segment with the chief economist for marketwatch.com, Irwin Kellner, Ph.D.
- On-location live anchoring includes the Sandy Hook school massacre
- Interview local/national political and economic leaders
- Run periodic writing seminars for writing and producing staff
- Teach Writing for the Mass Media at a local university
- Recognitions include: multiple nominations for NY Emmy awards; winner of AP award; Best Newscast, AP; winner of excellence in journalism award by Fair Media Council.

WRNN / FiOS1 News

2009 to 2011

Main Anchor/ Executive Producer

New York and New Jersey

Emmy nominated morning anchor /host for fast paced five (5) hour show airing from 5 am to 10 am in both the Long Island/New York City market and New Jersey

- Executive Producer for daily business headlines segment and several specials
- Mentor reporters to develop writing skills and approve scripts
- Appear periodically as an on-air "legal analyst" on WRNN's Real Politics
- Recognitions include: named Best TV Reporter in region by Long Island Press; nominated for a NY Emmy; winner of excellence in journalism award by Fair Media Council; Winner of NYS AP award; winner of Public Affairs award by Press Club of Long Island.

WVLA-NBC 33 NEWS

2005 - 2009

Main Evening Anchor, Executive Producer

Baton Rouge, LA

Main anchor for 5 p.m., 6 p.m., and 10 p.m. broadcasts

- Executive Producer for nightly 10 pm franchise segment, "Legal Briefs"
- Exclusive legal reporter for the NBC and Fox station
- Executive Producer for Fox affiliate 9 pm show
- Exclusive fill-in anchor for local Fox affiliate at 9 pm

- Webmaster for all legal stories as well as the “legal briefs” franchise
- Duties include working closely with News Director to supervise reporters; edit story packages; and flush out daily story ideas during editorial meetings.

COURT TV

2002 – 2009

Guest Commentator & Analyst

New York, NY

- Recurring guest legal analyst/host to numerous Court TV programs including Nancy Grace’s Closing Arguments, Open Court and The Best Defense.

KSSZ-FM

2003 - 2005

Executive Producer & On-Air Host

Columbia, MO

- Exclusive legal commentator on call-in talk program
- Analysis of local, national and international legal news and trials.

KMIZ-ABC TV

2003 - 2005

On-Air Legal Analyst & Commentator

Columbia, MO

Exclusive on-air legal analyst commenting on both local and international legal news.

KCPQ-TV (FOX News)

2000 - 2003

On-Air Legal Analyst & Commentator

Seattle, WA

Exclusive on-air legal analyst commenting on both local and international legal news

LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Stenberg Law Firm

2003 - 2006

Supervising Attorney, Civil Division

Tacoma, WA / Columbia, MO

Managed Civil litigation division of 7 attorneys and staff

Gordon Thomas Honeywell et al.

1999 - 2003

Senior Associate Attorney

Seattle, Tacoma, WA

Civil Tort Litigation with an emphasis on catastrophic injury, and complex litigation

- Directly involved in two of the top ten largest jury verdicts in Washington State History (Joyce v. State, \$24 million; Couch v. State, \$15 million) and the largest prisoner wrongful death settlement in Washington State (Montgomery v. State, \$1 million)

TEACHING POSITIONS AND EXPERIENCE

Farmingdale State College University

2013 – Present

Assistant Professor

Farmingdale, NY

- Teach a 300 level course on news writing.

University of Notre Dame

1999 – 2000

Teaching Assistant, Undergraduate Seminar

Notre Dame, IN

- Lectured and ran portions of Freshman seminar on Federalist Papers
- Emphasis on writing skills and critical discussions reading assignments

University of Notre Dame

1999 – 2000

Lecturer – Teaching Assistant, Undergraduate Constitutional Law

Notre Dame, IN

- Prepared and lectured on the history and development of American Constitutional law
- Upper-level class

University of Notre Dame

1999 – 2000

Teaching Assistant, Undergraduate Constitutional Law

Notre Dame, IN

- Worked under the supervision of Donald Kommers, Joseph and Elizabeth Robbie Professor of Government and Professor of Law

University of Notre Dame

1998 – 1999

Teaching Assistant, Undergraduate Political Science

Notre Dame, IN

- Worked under the supervision of Professor and Director of the Government Department, Michael Zuckert, Ph.D

EDUCATION

Notre Dame Law School

Doctorate in Jurisprudence

South Bend, IN

George A. Spiegelberg Award for Best National Speaker and Oral Advocate (Presented by the American College of Trial Lawyers)

- Louis A. Powell Medal for Excellence in Trial Advocacy
- 2000 Trial Team National Champions
- Arthur May Scholar
- Trial Advocacy Award, 1999/2000

- Who's Who of American Law Students 1998, 1999
 - National Moot Court Trial Team, American Midwest Champions
 - National Moot Court Trial Team, National Finals
 - Robert A. Grant Inn of Court. Vancouver Film School
- Film/TV Directing, Editing
Vancouver, B.C.
- Dean's Certificate of Excellence
- Awarded Best Director, Montreal International Film Festival
 - Awarded Bronze Medal, Editing, Houston International Film Festival.

University of Washington
Bachelor's Degree, Communications, German Studies
Seattle, WA

Fraternal National Honor Society

- Honors Program
- Theta Xi Fraternity President, Executive Council Member.