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Summary

I have lived in Oklahoma all my life and enjoy fishing, hunting, and restoring classic cars and tractors. I am currently the Senior Editor at the NBC affiliate in Tulsa, OK.

Experience



NATAS Board of Governors

National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences

Oct 2019 - Present (2 years +)

The Heartland Chapter consists of 12 DMAs in five states: Denver, Oklahoma City, Tulsa, Wichita/Hutchinson, Omaha, Colorado Springs/Pueblo, Lincoln/Hastings-Kearney, Topeka, Grand Junction/Montrose, Cheyenne/Scottsbluff, Casper/Riverton, Durango and North Platte. The Board meets monthly to process the business of the chapter; its membership consists of representatives from all areas of broadcast, media, production and education – in Denver, Oklahoma City, Omaha, Wichita, Tulsa and Cheyenne – both affiliated and independent.



Senior Editor

KJRH

Aug 2017 - Present (4 years 2 months +)

I oversee all aspects of editing for all shows at KJRH. Primary objective is to edit the evening shows while overseeing advancement in our quality in all shows. I also handle most special project edits, and oversee other editors on those projects. I help design and utilize various new graphic platforms to enhance product. Train others in various methods of content production. Create a team based department with a unified goal and vision for the future. Also took on the role of historian and planner the 65th anniversary celebration.



Content Coordinator

KJRH

Aug 2011 - Jul 2017 (6 years)

I served first as the AM and midday then later the PM Content Coordinator at KJRH. My primary position was to facilitate moving of content to and from NBC, CNN and the AP as well as content from other regional stations, E.W.Scripps stations and local content for air on 2News. When I was hired I quickly streamlined the morning and midday editing work flows. I gained further experience with Apple's Final Cut Pro ver. 6/7 software and assisted other employees on how to use the software.

In 2013, I lead the transition for all editors to the new Final Cut Pro X software. I assisted in studio camera operation before our transition to Ignite, and assist in master control from time to time. In July 2013, I was promoted from the morning shift to my current position in the evenings on Primetime. Since, I've worked closely with our staff to improve the Final Cut X experience, and take the lead when it

comes to training new employees on the system. I'm always re-evaluating our workflow to find simpler, faster ways for us to get our product to the public first.

As of 2016 I've begun working with our satellite uplink truck to broaden my scope of abilities further, completing successful uplinks from Dallas. My hope is to continue expanding my abilities in this field. I am also pushing ahead to be part of our first drone crew.



Production & Editing Director

KWEM-LP TV-31

Oct 2007 - Dec 2009 (2 years 3 months)

At KWEM I started off shooting 7th grade football games. Over the short time I was there I moved up through the ranks to Chief photographer. The station was very small and my duties included operating master control, directing live programming and sports rebroadcasts, editing recorded sports shows and special programs, commercial production and supervising the quality of production from other employees on recorded programming. At the time we were primarily using Media100 for Non-Linear editing and in the field we had a linear tape based editing system. I also acted as webmaster between 2008-2009.



Physical Plant Evening Operations - Student Maint.

Oklahoma State University

Mar 2008 - May 2009 (1 year 3 months)

Light duty electrical and plumbing repair. Mainly tasked with upgrading campus lighting and retrofitting old fixtures to new standards (T12 to T8). Lights ranged from standard incandescent to high voltage high pressure sodium and metal halide. Repaired faulty breakers, installed new lighting, fixed faulty outlet receptacles, worked in hazardous material labs, and used motorized personal lifts.



ResLife Dining Services - Taco Mayo KD Student Supervisor

Oklahoma State University

Nov 2005 - Mar 2008 (2 years 5 months)

Shift supervisor. Key holder, and weekend manager. Handled cash to and from safe for not only Taco Mayo but eventually 3 other campus dining locations.



On Air Talent

KXZY Student Radio

Jan 2004 - May 2004 (5 months)

Developed and hosted a Live 2 hour weekly radio show on Friday nights from 11pm to 1 am. Selected all content, ran multiple input sources including 8track, CD, mini disk, cassette, and computerized digital audio. Had on air interviews with friends that covered topics from new music to sports. This position was unpaid.

Education



Oklahoma State University

Broadcast Journalism - Production, Music Education

2002 - 2008



Tulsa Community College

Broadcast Production and Journalism

2010 - 2012

*Studied television production from floor crew and field production to directing and producing of shows in studio.

*Studied radio broadcasting that included pre-programming 5 hour shows complete with voice tracks, commercials and id tags.



Tulsa Technology Center

CCNA, Computer Network Security

2000 - 2002



Collinsville High School

HS Diploma, General Education

1998 - 2002

Licenses & Certifications



Certified Spotter Network Storm Spotter - Spotter Network Inc. (NFP)

101090440



Ham Radio - Tech. - Federal Communications Commission

Skills

Final Cut Pro • Broadcast Television • Non-linear Editing • Radio Broadcasting • Broadcast • Social Media • Video Editing • Video Production • Editing • News Writing

Honors & Awards



2012 Heartland Emmy Award - The National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences

Jul 2012

Awarded the Emmy Award for Best Morning/Daytime Newscast in a Medium Market for coverage of the OSU Plane Crash



2013 Heartland Emmy Award - The National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences

Jul 2013


Awarded the Emmy Award for Best Morning Newscast in a Medium Market for coverage of the Barnard School Fire.



2014 Oklahoma SPJ Award - Society of Professional Journalism - Oklahoma Chapter

May 2014

Awarded 2nd Place for Best Special Program - 30 Minute Storm Shield Spring Weather Special

 **2015 Oklahoma SPJ Awards** - Society of Professional Journalism - Oklahoma Chapter

May 2015

Awarded 1st Place and 3rd Place for Spot News Coverage

Awarded 1st Place for ONLINE: Breaking News Coverage

 **2015 Heartland Emmy Award** - The National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences

Jul 2015

Awarded the Emmy Award for Best Evening Newscast in a Medium Market for Oklahoma's Failed Execution.

Awarded the Emmy Award for Best Politics/Government - Program, Series or Special for 30 Minute Special Investigation Into the Veterans Affairs.

 **2016 Great Plains Journalism Awards** - Tulsa Press Club

Apr 2016

Honored as a Finalist in the Spot News Video category.

 **2016 AP Oklahoma Awards** - Associated Press

Jun 2016

2nd Place For Best Morning and Evening Newscasts

 **2017 Oklahoma SPJ Award** - Society of Professional Journalism - Oklahoma Chapter

Apr 2017

Best Newscast Oklahoma

 **2014 Edward R. Murrow Award** - RTDNA

Jun 2014

Region 6 - Best Broadcast Affiliated Website "Small Market"

"KJRH.Com Coverage of Moore Tornado"

Region 6 - Overall News Excellence - Small Market

KJRH-TV

National - Best Broadcast Affiliated Website "Small Market"

"KJRH.Com Coverage of Moore Tornado"

 **2014 Oklahoma Association of Broadcasters** - Oklahoma Association of Broadcasters

Feb 2014

Outstanding Achievement In Broadcasting - Investigative Reporting

"Investigation of the VA"



2015 Oklahoma Association of Broadcasters - Oklahoma Association of Broadcasters

Mar 2015

Best Website 3rd Place - KJRH.com



2018 Oklahoma-Arkansas AP Awards

May 2018

Awarded 1st - Best Evening Newscast

Awarded 1st - Outstanding News Operation



Heartland Emmy Nominations - NATAS - Heartland

2012 - Morning/Daytime Newscast: OSU Plane Crash

2013 - Morning Newscast: Barnard School Fire

Daytime Newscast: Good Friday Shooting Spree

Daytime newscast: Newtown Shooting Coverage

2014 - Morning Newscast: Devastation in Oklahoma

Daytime Newscast: 2News Midday - March 12th

2015 - Evening Newscast: Oklahoma's Failed Execution

Evening Newscast: Tulsa's Serial Attacker Identified

Politics/Government Special: 2News Investigates The VA: System of Shame

2016 - Weekend Newscast: It's Just Not Right - Green Country Officers Down

2018 - Weekend Newscast: Without Warning: Tulsa Tornado

Community Affairs: Killer Crisis: The Opioid Epidemic

2019 - Evening Newscast: Officer Involved Shooting

Evening Newscast: Oklahoma's Education Crisis

Evening Newscast: Ozark Tragedy: Duck Boat Sinking

2020 - Medium Market Evening Newscast - The Flood of 2019

Nostalgia Program: 65 Years of KJRH - 65th Aniv. Special

2021 - Medium Market Evening Newscast - President Trump to Tulsa



2018 Heartland Emmy Award - The National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences

Jul 2018

Awarded the Emmy Award for Best Weekend Newscast in a Medium Market for Tulsa's Tornado

Awarded the Emmy Award for Community Affairs - Program, Series or Special for 30 Minute Special Investigation Into the 'Opioid Epidemic- The Killer Crisis'



2019 Oklahoma-Arkansas AP Awards

Mar 2019

Awarded 1st - Outstanding News Operation (2nd consecutive year)



2019 Heartland Emmy Awards - The National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences

Jul 2019

Awarded the Emmy for Best Evening Newscast in a Medium Market for Ozark Tragedy: Duck Boat Sinking



2020 OK-SPJ Awards - Oklahoma Society of Professional Journalist

Jul 2020

Best Newscast - 1st & 2nd Place - All Eyes on Oklahoma (flooding Coverage) & Oklahoma Rocked by Storms.



2006 Time Person of the Year - Time Magazine

Dec 2006

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/You_\(Time_Person_of_the_Year\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/You_(Time_Person_of_the_Year))