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Professional Experience

**Main Anchor July 2008-present**

SCRIPPS/KMTV, Omaha, NE

**Anchor**

* **4:30, 5, 6, & 10pm Newscasts, Monday-Friday.**
* Field Anchor Big Local Events, including Obama, Romney, Clinton, Buffett, Trump political rallies.
* Conduct Major Interviews, including Cardinal Blase Cupich, Archdiocese of Chicago (2016).
* Moderator, Omaha Congressional Debate (2016), Omaha Mayoral Debate (2017).
* Writer, Write/Oversee Topical Promos that air during CBS Prime Time, 2015-present.
* Reporter, long form sweeps pieces ranging from school safety to tornado recovery, to police issues.

**Community Involvement:**

* Emcee, Heart Walk, American Heart Assoc. 2013-present.
* Emcee, March of Dimes, Fall Dinner/Fundraiser, 2012-present.
* Emcee/Keynote Speaker, Anti-DWI Mock Crash, MADD/Natl.Safety Council sponsored events at Omaha area high schools, 2011-present.
* Emcee, Komen Nebraska Race for the Cure, Breast Cancer Research, 2012-present.
* Emcee, MDA gala, Muscular Dystrophy Assoc., 2010-2014.
* Emcee, Santa Lucia Italian Festival Omaha, 2012-present.

**Anchor/Reporter** July 2005-July 2008

**MEREDITH BROADCASTING, KCTV5, Kansas City, MO**

**Anchor**

* Anchor 4pm Newscast, Monday-Friday.

**Reporter**

* Cover live, late-breaking stories for #1 rated 10pm Newscast, Monday-Friday.
* Work with the Investigative Unit, during months of February, May and November

and turn promotable stories for sweeps.

**Anchor/Reporter March 2004-June 2005**

 **HUBBARD BROADCASTING, KSTP-TV, Minneapolis, MN**

 **Anchor**

* Anchor Saturday Night newscasts, 5, 6, & 10pm.
* Write and assist in story selection.

**Reporter**

* Cover breaking news; often do the lead story (10pm).
* Develop source base; pitch 3-4 story ideas daily.

**Anchor/Co-Anchor February 2000-February 2004**

 **HEARST-ARGYLE, KOAT-TV, Albuquerque, New Mexico**

* Two-hour morning show 5AM-7AM; Monday-Friday.
* Deliver hard news; interact with Co-Anchor, and Weather Talent.
* Write much of the copy.
* Often call local newsmakers, from the set, to interview during the broadcast.
* Anchor the one-hour noon broadcast alone. 12–1PM
* Set-up and interview various newsmakers.

**Enterprise Reporter:**

* Often come up with my own story ideas for promotable stories for the 10pm newscast.
* Cover the Political Beat, including regular communication with candidates both leading up to and on Election Night.

**Anchor/Co-Anchor April 1993-January 2000**

 **LIN TELEVISION, WIVB-TV, Buffalo, NY**

* One-and-a-half hour weekend morning show 6:30AM – 8AM; Saturdays and Sundays.
* Deliver 3 ten-minute news blocks and several entertainment news segments.
* Interact with weather personnel and guests ranging from local newsmakers to experts on specialist topics including gardening, home improvement, antiques and computers.

**General Assignment Reporter** (4/93 to 10/95)

* Cover various news stories and events for 6:00pm and 11:00pm newscasts.
* Research, write and report multi-park series on specialized topics and issues.

**Education**

**B.A. Communication, Economics 1989**

RUTGERS University, New Brunswick, New Jersey

**Awards**

* 2009, Anchor, Best Newscast in Omaha, Nebraska Broadcasters Assoc.
* 2011, Best Investigative Story, "The Police Secret Weapon", Omaha Press Club.

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**Community Awards**

* 2013, 2012, 2010, Commitment/Dedication, Muscular Dystrophy Association.
* 2011 Community Star Award, Project for Meth Prevention.
* 2010 Community Recognition for Education & Awareness, MADD