

Beth Jones

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Anchor/Reporter/News Professional

Anchor/reporter with excellent live skills/all-around news professional with years of experience both on and off the air. Versatile writer, driven, diligent, positive, resourceful.

Professional Experience

Assignment Editor/Digital Reporter WVNY 22/WFFF 44 News March 23, 2019-Present

Enterprising and production of my own news stories to be used as web features including all shooting, writing and editing. Management of day-to-day newsrooms operations, researching and designating news assignments for reporters, assisting reporters with setting up stories, finding and contacting sources, liaising with sources during breaking news to update newsroom players on latest developments, updating desk calendar on pending events and legal proceedings for court cases

Managing Editor Healthcare Finance News Nov 30, 2015 to March, 2019

News video scripting and delivery, on-site reporting/anchoring/moderating at HIMSS annual conference attended by roughly 45,000 healthcare professionals, compelling daily delivery of short-turn news articles for website as well as traffic-driving, multi-sourced in-depth articles, efficient and thoughtful daily management of website operations including content flow/pacing, story posting, effective communication with editors

Technician/Producer/On Air Gorham Public Access Television June 2015-Present

Successful orchestration, recording and live online/televised streaming of public meetings, thoughtful execution of diverse and informative weekly programming, shooting interviews and events, editing (final cut pro) of nat packages for air.

Reporter/Fill-in Anchor WGME CBS 13 Dec 2011 – Dec 2014

Numerous successful fill-ins at the anchor desk, delivered breaking news, live VOSOTS and packages as the night side reporter, invigorated the earliest broadcast as the morning reporter and was first morning reporter to offer regular live shots for the noon broadcast, 6-8 live shots per day plus extra hours to turn packages/vosots for later shows

Reporter/Photographer/Editor YNN Central New York April 2011-Nov 2011

Self-sufficient operation as shooter/writer/editor of all news packages and vosots, charismatic and authoritative live work including vosot and package wraps, generated all story ideas and facilitated set-up of all interviews and shoots

Freelance News writer ABC News Radio Dec 2008 – July 2009

Cultivated compelling soundbites from interviews conducted with newsmakers, wrote attention-grabbing intro copy for ALL sound bites produced, assisted foreign correspondents with interviews, recording reporter feeds, etc

Education

Syracuse University **Syracuse, NY** **July 2009 – August 2010**
Master of Science Degree-Broadcast Journalism 2010

Hofstra University **Hempstead, NY** **August 1998-June 2001**
Bachelor's Degrees- Broadcast Journalism and Dance, 2001

Volunteering

Pittie Posse Rescue and Sanctuary Portland, ME March 2018 to Present

Maine State Society for the Protection of Animals Windham, ME May 2015 to Sept 2015

Dog Walker/Socializer ASPCA New York, NY Oct. 2007-Jul 2009

OTHER INTERESTS

Proud fur mama to Annabelle, Sophie and Josie, National Champion rower, Dance, boxing, animals big and small, advocating for animal welfare and against cruelty, some spanish, fluent in movie quotes