

EXPERIENCE

WPDE ABC 15 News - Myrtle Beach, SC

Weekday Evening Anchor/Reporter/MMJ - October 2015-Present

- Anchor weekday evening newscasts.
 - Previously anchored Good Morning Carolinas Saturday and Sunday.
- MMJ with a focus on investigative journalism and long-term special reports, as well as daily general news, breaking news and features.
 - Helped launched WPDE's first investigative unit.
 - Train reporters on a variety of investigative and storytelling techniques.
- Post web stories. Newsroom leader with social media, including Facebook, Facebook Live, Twitter and Videolicious.
 - **Most viewed Facebook Live in WPDE history.**
 - **More social followers than any reporter in the market.**
 - **Speak at universities about social media and journalism.**
 - **Launched GMC Weekend Facebook Live segments.**
- Started a cooking segment called Whip Up Your Weekend.
- Emceed Heart Ball of the American Heart Association - 2016-2018.
- Emceed Heart Walk for the American Heart Association - 2016-2018.
- Led media training at Horry Georgetown Technical College.
- NPPA, RTDNA and SPJ member.

KLTV 7 News - Tyler, TX

Reporter/MMJ/Anchor/Producer - July 2013-July 2015

- Shot, wrote and edited packages daily.
- Anchored and produced a variety of newscasts, including evenings, midday and weekends.
- Posted web stories and updated social media accounts.

The Dallas Morning News - Dallas, TX

Staff Writer - August 2012-December 2012

- Daily crime and feature reporter. Conducted interviews and wrote articles for DallasNews.com and The Dallas Morning News daily paper.

INTERNSHIPS

WFAA Channel 8 - Dallas, TX - 2013

KTVU Channel 2 - San Francisco, CA - 2012

AWARDS

2018 RTDNAC First Place Anchor Team of the Year

2018 RTDNAC First Place General Assignment - "The Domino Effect"

2017 SCBA STAR Award Convergence Coverage - "North Myrtle Beach Fire"

2016 RTDNAC First Place General Assignment by an MMJ - "Brittane Drexel Talk of the Town"

2016 RTDNAC First Place Education - "ABC 15 Investigates: Energy Positive Schools"

2015 Texas Lone Star Emmy - Evening Newscast Smaller Market - "Disaster in Van"

SOUND & LIFE
STORYTELLING
AGENCY

Summer Dashe - Anchor/Reporter/MMJ
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CONTINUING EDUCATION

2018 NPPA News Video Workshop
2018 Sound Of Life Storytelling Workshop
2017 Sound Of Life Storytelling Workshop
2016, 2012 RTDNA/SPJ Excellence in Journalism Conference
2016 SCBA Workshop with Boyd Huppert
2016 Sinclair Boot Camp

EDUCATION

Southern Methodist University '13 - Dallas, TX
Major: Convergence Journalism, Minor: Ethics