MAX TANZER

EDUCATION

ITHACA COLLEGE, B.S Sports Media, Minor in Sport Studies and Journalism

CLASS OF 2023

- Graduated with Magna cum Laude honors (3.70 GPA), Dean's List
- STAA Jim Nantz All-American Broadcaster Honorable Mention (2023)

MELBOURNE ACES (ABL) - MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA

DIRECTOR OF BROADCASTING AND MEDIA RELATIONS

OCTOBER 2024 - PRESENT

- Broadcast play-by-play and pre/post-game shows for home games
- Created media guide and daily game notes
- Cut highlights, create graphics, and other content for team's social media pages
- Write articles and press releases for team's website
- · Work with team on promoting sponsors during broadcasts and commercials

TAMPA BAY RAYS - ST. PETERSBURG, FLORIDA

BROADCAST INTERN FEBRUARY 2024 – OCTOBER 2024

- Collect and edit audio from players and personnel for use on pre/post-game shows
- Researched statistics and relevant info to be used on broadcasts
- Assist with production, prep, and setup during games and various remote broadcasts
- Edit and post promotions/graphics for broadcast team's social media
- Select opportunities to broadcast demo tapes during games
- Engineered select Spring Training games

FORT MYERS MIGHTY MUSSELS (MINNESOTA TWINS LOW-A AFFILIATE) - FORT MYERS, FL

BROADCAST ASSISTANT MARCH 2023 – OCTOBER 2023

- Broadcasted play-by-play and color for all 66 home games and select road games
- Conducted Interviews and Hosted Select 15-minute Pre-Game Shows
- Wrote nighty game recaps and select press releases for team website
- On-Field Host/Emcee for select Twins Spring Training and Mighty Mussel Games
- Created and delivered stat packages and other gameday documents to coaching staffs
- Assisted in preparation of game notes using Adobe InDesign/Graphics for team's social media account

FREELANCE BROADCASTING

BROADCASTER MARCH 2023 - PRESENT

- Filled in as broadcaster and handled media relations duties for Bradenton Marauders (Low-A) weekend series in Aug. 2024
- Broadcasted play-by-play for Florida Gulf Coast Volleyball, Baseball, and Softball Games on ESPN+
- Broadcasted NCAA Men's and Women's Basketball for Gulf Coast Showcase on FloHoops
- Broadcasted as play-by-play and color on NFHS Network for FSHAA Baseball State Championships
- Broadcasted play-by-play for Florida SouthWestern State (FSW) Baseball, Softball, Basketball and Volleyball Games for online stream
- PA Announced for Select FSW Volleyball Games

BOURNE BRAVES (CAPE COD BASEBALL LEAGUE) - CAPE COD, MA

PLAY-BY-PLAY BROADCAST INTERN

JUNE 2022 - AUGUST 2022

- Broadcasted all 51 home/road games for the regular season/postseason
- Assisted with production and set up during home games

SOURIS VALLEY SABRE DOGS (EXPEDITION LEAGUE) - MINOT, ND

PLAY-BY-PLAY BROADCAST INTERN

JUNE 2020 - AUGUST 2021

- Expedition League Broadcaster of the Year Award (2020 & 2021)
- Broadcasted and engineered all 52 home/road games in 2020, and all 65 home/road games in 2021

ITHACA COLLEGE TELEVISION - ITHACA, NY

HOST OF SPORTS FINAL SEPTEMBER 2021-MARCH 2023

- Write Script with Co-Host
- Assist with creating show rundown and segment ideas
- Call highlights for Ithaca sporting events
- Live interviews with athletes and correspondents

BOMBERS LIVE SIDELINE & PACKAGE REPORTER

SEPTEMBER 2019 - MARCH 2023

- Live in-game sideline coverage and postgame Interviews for the Ithaca College football and basketball season
- Research, write, plan, record, and edit 2-3-minute packages for Ithaca College football program
- Sideline Talent for 2023 Cortaca Jug Game at Yankee Stadium on the YES Network

PRODUCER OF SPORTS FINAL

AUGUST 2020 – MAY 2021, SEPTEMBER 2023 - MARCH 2023

- Led and assisted talent and assisted reporters in production of package reports
- Helped create weekly show's rundown and planned segments
- Communicated with and booked guests
- Facilitated live production and show setup
- Experience with Adobe Creative Cloud

KMIH - FM, 88.9 THE BRIDGE - MERCER ISLAND, WA

KMIH SPORTS DIRECTOR SEPTEMBER 2016 - JUNE 2019

- Directed live coverage of high school baseball, football, and basketball sporting events
- Directed and Produced sports news reports covering regional professional sports activity
- Created Imaging and promotional materials for sporting events
- IBS Golden Microphone Best Play-by-Play Football Finalist (2018), Best Pre/Post Game Show Finalist
- Play-By-Play for Woman's Basketball, Men's Basketball and Football; produced baseball broadcasts

THE MARINER MAX SHOW HOST/PRODUCER

JANUARY 2016 - JUNE 2019

- IBS Golden Microphone Best Sports Interview (2017, 2018, 2019), Best Sports Talk Program Finalist (2017)
- Hosted & produced weekly pre-recorded sports talk show covering the Seattle Mariners and MLB
- Series previews, team transaction coverage, and guest appearances from Seattle Mariners players and personalities

@BASEBALL.PLAYS_ - YOUTUBE & INSTAGRAM

CO-FOUNDER NOVEMBER 2014 - JANUARY 2019

- Designed and developed baseball social media channel; peaked at 39,000 followers
- Created 30-60-second baseball themed videos for Instagram and 3-10-minute videos on YouTube using Adobe Creative Cloud