

# Benji Kaufman

Sports Broadcaster & Reporter

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## EDUCATION:

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) Journalism  
Certificate in Sports Management  
(Expected May 2026)

University of Maryland, College Park  
Philip Merrill College of Journalism

## SOCIAL MEDIA:

X: [@BDKaufman](https://twitter.com/BDKaufman) [LinkedIn](https://www.linkedin.com/in/bdknews/)

## SKILLS:

Adobe Photoshop

Adobe Premiere Pro

Adobe InDesign

Play-by-Play

Writing for Print & Broadcast

Sony NXCAM HXR-NX5U camera

Olympus Pen-F Camera

Graphic Design

Inception News XE

Rundown Creator

## VOLUNTEER WORK:

**DUNK (Dedicated Undergraduates Nurturing Kids)**; program that coordinates fun basketball activities for children at different underserved elementary schools in Prince George's County, MD. (Started volunteering in March 2023)

**Tikvah Program at Camp Ramah**; program provides an overnight camp experience for children with special needs; assisted campers through their daily activities (Eight weeks, Summer 2019)

## JOURNALISM EXPERIENCE

### TERRAPIN SPORTS CENTRAL

August 2022 - Present

#### Creative Content director, TV Reporter & Anchor, Photography Coordinator

- Cover Maryland athletics. Report, interview, shoot, and edit all stories.
- Anchor for "In-focus" and main shows, host live in-studio interview segments.
- Create graphics and provide video content for social media platforms.
- Photograph games and actively recruit students to get involved with photography.

### PRINCE GEORGE'S COMMUNITY TELEVISION (PGCTV)

June 2025 - July 2025

#### News Intern

- Pitched enterprise story ideas and reported on a range of local topics;
- Wrote scripts with InceptionXE and produced news packages with Premiere Pro.
- Wrote stories daily and cut footage for the afternoon newscast; interviewed sources, selected soundbites, and edited packages under tight same-day deadlines.

### CAPITAL NEWS SERVICE

September 2025 - December 2025

#### News Reporter and Anchor

- Reporter and anchor for live broadcast. Write, shoot and edit packages under deadline.
- Produced packages, anchored sports and performed several live shots.

### MITZPEH, JEWISH NEWSPAPER AT UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND

October 2022 - Present

#### Staff Writer

- Wrote several print articles; reported on news events and happenings on campus.

## LIVE SPORTS BROADCAST EXPERIENCE:

### BIG TEN NETWORK'S STUDENT-U PROGRAM

March 2025 - Present

#### On-Air Talent

- Intensive research, prep and delivery for Maryland basketball and softball games as a play-by-play announcer for Big Ten Plus; one broadcast selected for re-air on BTN.
- Provided live, in-game analysis, narration, and real-time context. Crew member, scoreboard and camera operator for Maryland baseball, volleyball, and soccer events.

### MARYLAND BASEBALL NETWORK (MBN)

January 2024 - Present

#### Broadcaster and Graphic Designer

- Radio play-by-play broadcaster.
- Create graphics and audio highlights for MBN's social media.
- Serve as a photographer.

### WMUC SPORTS RADIO

September 2024 - Present

#### Crew Chief and Play-by-Play Broadcaster

- Maryland football and field hockey games on student radio.

## REFERENCES:

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