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SKILLS

- Proficiency with on-air cameras and audio boards
- Adobe Suite
- Microsoft Office Suite

ACTIVITIES & HOBBIES

- Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity
- Avid sportsman and sports enthusiast (hockey, golf, baseball, football, skiing)
- Musician (piano)

REFERENCES AND VIDEO REELS AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST

EDUCATION

University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK

August 2018 – Present (expected graduation May 2022)
Major: Journalism, concentration in Sports Broadcasting
Minor: Sports Management

WORK EXPERIENCE

University of Oklahoma, Production TV News Assistant

August 2020 – Present
Crew chief or staff (camera, audio, direction) that produces nightly 30-minute OU news broadcast

Gordy's Corporation, Lake Geneva, WI, Social Media Intern

Summer 2021
Created, produced, edited and posted daily live-action and video content for lakeside restaurant/marina/pro-shop company's website, Facebook, Instagram and Twitter accounts

Valley Lo Country Club, Golf Shop Attendant

June 2018 – August 2020

BROADCAST & JOURNALISM EXPERIENCE

GameDay U

August 2020 - present

On-air college football anchor and analyst for OU GameDay Live show. Responsible for all aspects of field producing including working with multiple cameras, live shots, video editing and producing graphics.

OU Nightly Newscast

August 2021 - present

On-air anchor/reporter and production assistant for on-air daily newscast for 30-minute nightly newscasts aired on local Oklahoma TV stations.

OU Club Hockey

September 2018 - present

Play-by-play/Color analyst for OU Men's Ice Hockey games through Black Dog Hockey.

Sooner Sports Pad

September 2019 - present

Talent/production assistant for the only student-run nationwide live sports program dedicated to OU sports.

Big Friday Sports

January 2020 - May 2020

Anchor and assistant producer for OU Nightly's Friday sports segment.

Sports Talk Host (The Locker Room)

September 2019 – March 2020

Talent/producer for a volunteered radio show through OU's radio station.

OU Daily

August 2018- May 2019

Baseball beat writer and wrote previews, recaps and coverage for any other news.