Chelsea Beimfohr

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Experience:

Reporter, WKRN, Nashville, TN

(July 2020-- Present)

- Pitch and write daily news stories
- Perform live shots and in-studio live hits for the 4, 5, 6 and 10 p.m. newscasts
- Focus primarily on crime and breaking news across Nashville
- Fill-in on anchor desk for both weekday and weekend newscasts
- Write web stories and push to personal social media pages
- Emmy Award Winner for live coverage of 2020 Christmas Day Bombing; Evening newscast

Weekend Anchor, WMAZ, Macon, GA

(January 2018— July 2020)

- Weekend news anchor at top-rated station in Central Georgia
- Anchored 30-minute broadcasts at 6 p.m. and 11 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays
- Wrote, shot, and edited additional VO-SOTs/packages/breaking news between 6 p.m. and 11 p.m. shows
- Co-produced all newscasts; including a Presidential visit to Macon and severe weather broadcasts
- Wrote and published breaking news stories to station website, Facebook, and Twitter
- Wrote, shot, and edited stories 3 days a week

Investigative Reporter, WMAZ, Macon, GA

(June 2017—July 2020)

- Researched, pitched, and produced weekly investigative stories
- Submitted open record requests and used online databases
- Launched "Unsolved" series about cold cases in Central Georgia
- Covered several major trials; including 14-year long murder case of South Georgia beauty queen, Tara Grinstead, which attracted national attention
- Selected to attend Investigative Reporters and Editors (IRE) conference in Phoenix, AZ as sole representative from 13WMAZ (June 2017)
- Wrote, shot, and edited day-turn stories when not working on investigative pieces

Multi-Skilled Journalist, WMAZ, Macon, GA

(June 2016— July 2020)

- Wrote, shot, and edited packages and VO-SOTs on a day-turn timeline
- Performed live shots and in-studio live hits for the 5, 6, 10, and 11 p.m. newscasts
- Focused primarily on hard news and breaking news across Central Georgia
- Wrote web stories and published to personal social media pages

Education: University of Georgia, Grady College of Journalism and Mass Communication

(August 2012—May 2016)

- Major: Broadcast Journalism
- Graduated Cum Laude (GPA: 3.53)
- Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority, Di Gamma Kappa Broadcast Society, Grady College Ambassador

Internships:

- WSB-TV News Intern (Summer 2015, Spring 2016, Summer 2016)
- Seacrest Studios Radio Intern
- The Dean's List Digital Branding Intern

<u>Skills:</u>

• Edius, ENPS, Adobe Premiere Pro, Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, WordPress

Community Service:

• Read for the Record volunteer, Read Across America volunteer, Stuff the Truck volunteer