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**AMS Certified Broadcast Meteorologist
& Certified Digital Meteorologist**

WEATHER EXPERIENCE

KNBC-TV (Los Angeles, CA) Meteorologist (October 2014 – Present)

- 2018 AP ATRA Awards (Best Weathercast & Best Weather Reporting)
- 2018 RTNA Golden Mike Winner (Best TV Weather Segment)
- 2015-2016 Emmy® Award Winner (Educational Special: El Niño - Currents of Change)
- 2016 RTNA Golden Mike Winner with weather team (News Special: El Niño - Currents of Change)
- Passionate about weather forecasting and ensuring clear messaging to viewers on TV & digital platforms.
 - Designated a Certified Digital Meteorologist by the AMS in late 2023.
- Part of breaking news coverage of major fires, earthquakes, and flooding.
- Assisted CNBC with coverage of Hurricane Irma (2017) & Hurricane Dorian (2019).
- Primary in-house radar operator, and part of team that designed mobile doppler radar StormRanger.
- Lead for all weather graphics package rollouts since starting, including Augmented Reality.
 - 15 years of 3D modeling background, allowing for unique augmented reality graphic designs for weather, and news purposes (Olympics, elections, etc).
- Live hits and community appearances in a multipurpose weather vehicle (4x4Caster).
- Reporting on weather, climate, aviation, and local events.
- Co-creator of the Weather Lab series aimed at giving parents & children access to weather education.
- FAA certified for commercial drone operations, and has provided drone piloting for a news story.

KCRA-TV (Sacramento, CA) Meteorologist (June 2011 – October 2014)

- 2013-2014 Emmy® Award Winner (Crafts Achievement: Weather Anchor)
- Weekend Morning/Weekday Noon meteorologist, weather producer for morning show with on-air “sidebars.”
- Covered winter storms, heat waves, dense fog, flooding, severe weather and earthquakes/tsunamis, in a meteorologically challenging market.
- Occasional reporting from station’s helicopter on local weather stories.
- Storm chased/reported during May 18-20, 2013 Tornado Outbreak in Oklahoma.

WSI Training & Graphic Building

- Trained meteorologists & traffic anchors on WSI MAX system in addition to custom graphics building.
 - KNBC-TV (Los Angeles, CA – NBCUniversal Local)
 - WCAU-TV (Philadelphia, PA – NBCUniversal Local)
 - KVOA-TV (Tucson, AZ – Cordillera Communications)
 - KHOG-TV/KHBS-TV (Ft. Smith-Fayetteville-Rogers, AR – Hearst Television)

RELEVANT SKILLS

Computer Software

- Expert in The Weather Company (formerly WSI) software, considered “super user.”
- Autodesk 3dsMax (can export 3D formats used by WSI systems)
- Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, and Premiere
- Various Online & Social Media Platforms (Twitter, Instagram, Facebook, HTML/PHP Web Development)
- iNews, Microsoft Office

EDUCATION

September 2006 – June 2011

University of California – Davis

Davis, CA

B. S. Atmospheric Science • Additional Studies In: Atmospheric Pollution and Biometeorology

OUTSIDE INTERESTS

Aviation (Instrument Rated Pilot & Ground Instructor)
Auto Racing (Licensed Racing Driver) • Spaceflight & Astronomy • Flight/Racing Simulation

REFERENCES

Mark Finan (Chief Meteorologist – KCRA-TV)

Anzio Williams (NBCUniversal Owned Stations)

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