

ZACH WEINBERG

Reporter

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Objective: To work diligently and professionally in providing objective news reports in the broadcast medium.

Education

Penn State University

University Park, PA

B.A. in Broadcast-Journalism, Graduated May 2007

Minor: Sociology

Experience

NBC Universal – *The Maury Povich Show*

Production Assistant

New York, NY, August 2007- November 2007

- Assisted in the day-to-day operations required for producing a nationally-syndicated television talk-show
- Duties included: pre-interviewing and screening prospective guests, accommodating in-studio guests, researching show topics and segment ideas, obtaining video footage to be used for purpose of show, coordinating live segments with producers during tape-days and assisting in re-enactment tapings
- Worked on average between 70-90 hours per week

PSN-TV – *In The Game*

Television Anchor

University Park, PA, September 2003 – December 2004

- Co-anchored a 30 minute-long student-run sports-television show that aired once a week on PSN-TV
- Wrote 3 ½ minute scripts in order to interview Penn State athletes on camera
- Developed skills in television broadcasting, interviewing, production, script-writing, and teleprompter reading

ComRadio – *Under the Bleachers*

Radio Host and Producer

University Park, PA, July 2003 – May 2007

- Co-hosted a one-hour sports-talk show that aired over the internet (www.comradio.psu.edu) twice a week

- Gained vital experience in the field of radio-board operation, editing, running commercials, conducting over-the-phone and in-studio interviews, taking phone calls, coordinating live talk-segments, and controlling music and audio levels

Media Internships

Sirius Satellite Radio

Summer 2006, New York, NY

- Researched daily news and sports topics for hosts Evan Roberts and Brian O' Leary
- Screened in-studio phone calls and maintained daily show logs
- Booked and accommodated in-studio guests
- Learned how to perform on-air tasks using Prophet NexGen System
- Cut and edited sound clips with Adobe Audition (version 2.0)
- Participated and interacted with both hosts during live talk segments
- Composed "Best Of" and "Replay" shows to be aired during vacation periods

1050 ESPN RADIO

Summer 2004, New York, NY

- Managed the sound board for "The Mike and Mike Show" from 6 until 10 a.m.
- Edited commercials and sound-bites with Joey Salvia, ESPN Radio producer.
- Operated and programmed a nationally syndicated show using the ENCO computer system.
- Coordinated Don LaGreca's (ESPN Radio personality) sportscenter updates

Activities

ComRadio, Penn State University

July 2003- May 2007

Assisted in the day to day operations of a student-run radio station

Fox Films Corporation, Penn State Campus Representative

September 2006- May 2007

Promoted feature-length films throughout the University Park campus by means of campus-wide contests, distributing promotional items and coordinating events

Beta Sigma Beta Fraternity

Executive Board Member

Helped coordinate the first annual *Cure Autism Now* fundraiser in the Spring of 2006