

JACOB REYNOLDS

Television News Producer

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HONORS AND AWARDS:

WLTX

- 2019 AP SC/NC 1st Place Award for Evening Newscast: Columbia Deadly Housing Investigation
- TEGNA Pinnacle Award for Best Breaking News/Big Story/Special Coverage for Coverage of Allen Benedict Court
- Regional Murrow Awards for 'Newscast' and 'Continuing Coverage' on coverage of Allen Benedict Court

S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communications, Syracuse University

- Don Edwards Broadcast Journalism Award – May 2016
- Laretta H. McCaffrey Journalism Prize – May 2016
- NY AP First Place 'Best Regularly Scheduled Local News Program 2016' – June 2017

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS:

- Dalet
- Final Cut Pro
- Twitter
- Facebook
- ENPS
- RCS News
- Adobe Premier
- Lakana
- Edius
- Oasis
- Videolicious
- BitCentral Contribution
- Web Writing

EDUCATION:

SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY

S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communications

B.S. Broadcast and Digital Journalism (GPA: 3.9, Major: 4.0)

Minors: Political Science, Religion & the Media

Class of 2016

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:

PRODUCER

Spectrum News 1 CLT - Charlotte, NC

November 2023 - Present

- Create and stack daily noon show rundown
- Booth live reports and live segments
- Write, produce and booth afternoon breaking news
- Produce and booth severe weather coverage

REPORTER (MMJ)/FILL-IN ANCHOR

Spectrum News 1 CLT - Charlotte, NC

November 2020 - November 2023

- Plans, shoots, writes, and edits stories for air on Spectrum News 1 CLT's television station
- Builds sources and professional relationships to gather story ideas and creative coverage ideas
- Performs live television reports at a high level, using years of public speaking expertise and quick thinking
- Ability to solve problems and find solutions for stories, coverage, and other breaking news-type situations
- Fill-in traffic anchor, updating the public on road conditions, unscripted and live

REPORTER/FILL-IN ANCHOR

News 19 WLTX - Columbia, SC

2018 - 2020

- Participated in WLTX's regional Murrow Award-winning coverage of a public housing crisis
- Investigated and uncovered \$42 million in misspent county tax dollars
- Maintained a beat covering the South Carolina State House and other general assignment stories
- Prepared and completed video reports, articles, and social posts for television, Facebook, Twitter, and WLTX website

REPORTER/FILL-IN ANCHOR

13 WMAZ - Macon, GA

2016 - 2018

- Pitched story ideas, developed and maintained a beat in the city of Warner Robins
- Wrote, shot, and edited stories each day while also managing social media feeds
- Prepared, completed, and contributed video stories and written articles while out of the office nearly every day
- Fill-in anchor on the two-hour weekend morning show and reported live daily using public speaking skills

THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL

Hussman School of Journalism and Media

M.A. In Digital Communication

Will Graduate May 2026