

Hunter Sáenz

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Experience:

Multi-skilled Journalist, WCNC-TV, Charlotte, NC

April 2019 – April 2022

- Assigned the local government beat, broke stories from within Charlotte City Council and Mecklenburg Board of County Commissioners
- Shot, wrote and edited day-turn stories for the 11 p.m. newscast
- Balanced live wall-to-wall coverage of big news events while digging for, and breaking, new developments on-air
- Created active live shots and stand-ups to engage viewers
- Broke stories on social media, enabling web team to push mobile alerts guiding viewers to newscasts

Reporter/MMJ, WKOW-TV, Madison, WI **2019**

May 2016 – April

- Pitched viewer centered enterprise lead stories daily
- Shot, wrote and edited packages on deadline
- Cultivated sources which resulted in exclusive stories
- Posted content to social media daily
- Fill-in anchored newscasts in a variety of dayparts
- Emceed various community events

Associate Producer, KPRC-TV, Houston, TX

Dec-Feb 2015 & Summer 2015

- Wrote news stories for afternoon & evening newscasts
- Regularly pitched stories that were used in newscasts

News Intern, KPRC-TV, Houston, TX

Summer 2014

- Edited News packages
- Shadowed & assisted reporters in the field
- Produced, wrote and anchored a 20-minute mock newscast
- Assisted producers with writing stories and creating graphics

Anchor

Jan 2014-May 2016

Audio Technician

Fall 2013-May 2016

Content Producer

Spring 2013-May '16

- Anchored the station's daily two-minute news brief and half-hour newscast
- Managed music and microphones on the audio console for the newscasts
- Wrote and edited anchor scripts for Syracuse University's student-run television station
- Regularly determined proper balance of national content in this mostly local newscast

Education:

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

Bachelor of Science, Broadcast and Digital Journalism

Minor: Political Science

Skills:

- Avid Editing
- Microsoft Teams
- Slack
- Final Cut 7, Final Cut 10, ENPS, and INews
- Aurora Edit software
- Proven proficiency with all social media channels