

Karli Barnett

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Experience:

Anchor/Reporter, WFOR, Miami, FL

October 2018 – Present

- Anchor for weekend evening news
- Promoted from weekend morning anchor. Began as freelance reporter
- Cover live, breaking news during the week
- Fill-in anchor for weekday news
- Post and interact on social media

Weekday Anchor, WMAZ, Macon, GA

June 2016 – September 2018

- Morning/Midday news anchor at the top-rated station in Central Georgia
- Anchored Eyewitness News Morning from 5:00 – 7:00 a.m., CBS news cut-ins, and Eyewitness News Midday broadcasts Monday through Friday
- Anchored 7-hour live severe weather coverage during Hurricane Irma 2017; 4-hour live snow coverage 2018
- Researched and wrote daily “Straight from the Heart” feature stories
- Wrote, shot and edited packages for “Rise and Shine Segment.”
- Organized and conducted weekly fitness segment with personal trainer

Weekend Anchor, WMAZ, Macon, GA

September 2015 – June 2016

- Anchored and assisted in production of 2 weekend evening newscasts Saturdays and Sundays
- Interviewed, reported, shot and edited stories 3 days a week
- Initiated Facebook Live broadcasts when newscasts were late or pre-empted by weekend Sports coverage

Multi-Skilled Journalist, WMAZ, Macon, GA

June 2014 – September 2015

- Researched, wrote, and produced hard news and feature stories on a day-turn timeline
- Performed live shots, presentations, and conveyed reporting through television and web-based platforms
- Covered largest county in Central Georgia and increased viewership through enterprising stories.
- Several stories picked up by network affiliates
- Reported live break-ins at David Perdue campaign headquarters during US Senate race in 2014

Education

The University of Georgia, Athens, GA

May 2014

Bachelor of Arts in Journalism, Major: Digital & Broadcast Journalism, Minors: Communications and Spanish