

**Joshua Bolden**

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**EXPERIENCE**

***WVVA-TV, Reporter, Anchor & Producer 2016-present***

-Pitch 2-3 stories a day, write shoot and edit within 6 hours for the evening or late newscasts (2016-2018). Produce and anchor 2-hour morning and 30-minute noon newscast. Host of special franchise program – Hometown Hero honoring local community leaders (present)

***V2Media Productions, Video Editor, Germantown, TN Aug 2014-2016***

Hired by corporations and private individuals to shoot photos and produce videos.

***WUMR, Radio Personality, Memphis, TN May 2011-2016***

Host of a two-hour jazz show and top ten countdown. Develop flow/style for each show. Created segment called U-DJ where listeners who correctly answer jazz trivia get a chance to pick a tune for airplay.

***WHCR 90.3 FM, News Director, New York, NY Jun-Aug 2015***

Research, report; edit stories and interviews; created style/format of 10-minute newscast; developed web presence, creating graphics, promos with Photoshop; created news broadcast archives using SoundCloud.

**EDUCATION**

***University of Memphis, Memphis, TN***

Bachelor's degree in Spanish

Bachelor's degree in Broadcast and Multimedia Journalism

***CUNY Graduate School of Journalism, New York, NY***

*Knight CUNYJ Summer Diversity Fellow* – Hands-on digital news training from journalism educators and NYC media professionals at Knight Foundation grant-funded program meant to increase diversity and address underrepresentation in U.S. newsrooms.

***Johannes Gutenberg University, Mainz, Germany (May 2013)*** Attended course in Global Ethics in Journalism for the Digital Age

**SOFTWARE, EQUIPMENT AND SKILLS**

Panasonic video recorder; Canon 5D, 7D cameras; Photoshop; Final Cut Pro; EZ News; iNews; Microsoft Office Programs; Sony's Vegas Movie Studio 9 & Movie Studio 13; Cool Edit Pro; Adobe Audition; AVID, Premiere Elements & Adobe Premiere Pro. Spanish-language skills.

**REFERENCES**

Mark Hughes (WVVA) Photographer **304.888.2554**

Danielle Wilburn, (WRCB) Producer **901.237.0488**

Caray Grace, (WLKY) Anchor **615.347.2507**

Jessica Coleman, (WBBP) News Director **901.603.0225**

**AWARDS**

- University of Memphis Alumni's Emerging Journalist 2013 Award
- University of Memphis-NABJ's Ida B. Wells Leadership 2012 Award
- Shott Excellence in Media 2019 Award
- West Virginia AP Best Morning Show (Small Market) Award