

KRISTIN WALLS

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Professional Experience:

WHAS11 – Louisville, KY

Evening Meteorologist (5, 6 and 11PM)

June 2011 - Present

Currently forecast, produce graphics, and deliver on-air weathercasts for 5, 6 and 11PM newscasts in a severe weather market at a television station that places a huge emphasis on weather. Started at WHAS as Weekend Meteorologist. Was promoted to Noon and 4PM in 2014 and later promoted to the weekday evening newscasts. Live reporting during severe weather events; update website including posting latest forecasts stories and videos.

WTOV9 – Steubenville, OH

Weekend Meteorologist / Weekday Reporter

June 2009 – June 2011

Forecasted, produced graphics, and delivered on-air forecasts for the 6 pm and 11 pm newscasts on the weekends; fill-in meteorologist during the week for both the morning/midday meteorologist and chief meteorologist; weekday general assignment reporter; live reporting during severe weather events; edited newscasts and packages with AVID NewsCutter; updated website including posting stories and videos.

NBC4 – Columbus, OH

Intern

Sept 2008 – Dec 2008

Worked with experienced broadcast meteorologists and became familiar with WSI by creating my own graphics for my resume tape.

THE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE – Wilmington, OH

Volunteer

June 2008 – Aug 2008

Became familiar with NWS structure and policies, operational software and computer systems, and hydrologic and meteorological products.

BYRD POLAR RESEARCH CENTER – Columbus, OH

Research Associate

Aug 2007 – Sept 2008

Utilized state of the art surface elevation mapping (GPS, terrain analysis, aerial photography, and airborne laser swath mapping) and earth observation satellite technology (including radar altimetry), in conjunction with ongoing field studies, to systematically quantify recent volume changes to the Quelccaya ice cap in Peru.

Education:

THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY – Columbus, OH

Masters of Science in Atmospheric Science

Thesis Work: Synoptic Analysis of the Tornado and Derecho Climatology of Ohio from 1963-2002

KENT STATE UNIVERSITY – Kent, OH

Bachelor of Arts in Geography

Major: Geography Minor: Climatology

Special Skills/Awards:

Highly skilled with Weather Central 3D Live, ESP: Live and WSI Member of the American Meteorological Society and National Weather Association

Vast experience with AVID NewsCutter

AP Award Outstanding Weather Operation, WTOV9