# Rebekah Hoeger

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## **Experience**

Anchor/Reporter, KKTV, Colorado Springs, CO

July 2017 - Present

## Multimedia Journalist/Fill-in Anchor, WALA, Mobile, AL

June 2014 – July 2017

- Investigated unusual 2016 local election numbers until Probate Court re-counted and corrected the results
- Lead Capitol reporter for Gov. Robert Bentley tape scandal and 2016 regular and special sessions
- Enterprised daily stories and produce 1-2 pkgs daily with live shots (experience both dayside and nightside)
- Promoted product through social media, getting Facebook post reaches of up to 765,000 people

## Volunteer, St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital, Mobile, AL

January 2016 – Present

- Emceed annual Mardi Gras ball, Walk/Run to End Childhood Cancer and serve as team captain for fundraising
- Producde video features on St. Jude patients to promote events and fundraising

## Reporting Intern, KGAN, Cedar Rapids, IA

March 2014 – June 2014

 Wrote stories for air and produced content for station's Facebook and Twitter accounts using Buddy Media

#### Research and Consulting Intern, Frank N. Magid Associates, Marion, IA Aug 2013 – Jan 2014

- Analyzed and critiqued clients' newscasts and assisted in making recommendations for brand consistency
- Evaluated clients' social media pages to maximize audience engagement
- Attended "The Magid Institute," a training program covering investigative strategy, concise writing, on-air appearance, journalism ethics, breaking news, etc.

#### Reporting Intern, KCRG, Cedar Rapids, IA

**January 2013 – May 2013** 

- Produced pkgs for 10 p.m. newscast and wrote webscripts (weekends)
- One man band for VOs and VOSOTs for midday, 5 p.m., 6 p.m., and 10 p.m. newscasts (weekdays)

## Reporting Intern, KFSN, Fresno, CA

May 2013 – August 2013

■ Shadowed reporters on feature, breaking, and hard news; wrote PKGs in ENPS, edited using Aurora

Chair, University of Iowa Lecture Committee

**August 2012 - August 2014** 

Anchor/Reporter/Executive Producer, Daily Iowan TV, Iowa City, IA June 2012 – March 2014

Web Reporter/Presidential Candidate Tracker, IowaWatch.org, Iowa City, IA Sept 2011 – May 2012

Print and Photo Reporting Intern, The Dyersville Commercial, Dyersville, IA May 2011 – Aug 2011

#### Education

## The University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA

Bachelor of Arts, Journalism and Mass Communications, Entrepreneurial Management Certificate

#### Volunteer

## Children's Literacy Center

February 2019 - Present

- Completed training for Peak Reader Curricula
- Substitute Tutor for children of various reading levels and ages

#### **Awards**

- April 2014, Iowa Broadcast News Association, 1st in Agribusiness Reporting, 1st in In-Depth Reporting, 1st in Best Newscast
- March 2014, Upper Midwest Student Emmy, National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences
- April 2013, Iowa Broadcast News Association, 1st in Agribusiness Reporting, 1st in General Reporting, 2nd in General Reporting, 2nd Excellence, 3rd in Political Coverage, 3rd in Best Newscast