

# Taisha Walker

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#### **EXPERIENCE**

KPRC, Houston, TX January 2018 – Present

Reporter

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#### KMBC, Kansas City, MO

January 2016 - January 2018

- Nightside Reporter, active live story teller
- Enterprise stories daily
- Develop sources
- Produce all content for all formats, TV, Web, social media

#### WCHS/WVAH-TV, Charleston WV

Reporter

March 2013 - January 2016

- Conducted research, interviewed sources, wrote, shot b-roll, edited packages for multiple platforms, read current events and engaged in social networking
- Wrote, produced, edited and served as talent for weekly Behind The Kitchen Door segment, which informs viewers how restaurants fared during their health inspection
- Created content for Taisha's Table, a food related blog on the station's website

#### **KOTA-TV, Rapid City, SD**

Reporter/Anchor/Producer

September 2010 – February 2013

- Stacked rundowns, wrote and edited national and international stories, ordered graphics and proofread scripts to minimize technical errors for the noon, 5:30 P.M. and 10:00 P.M. newscasts
- Conducted research, interviewed sources, wrote, shot b-roll, edited packages for multiple platforms and social networked
- Co-anchored the weekend 10 P.M. newscasts, fill-in anchored for KDUH-TV, the sister station in Scottsbluff, Nebraska

## NBC NIGHTLY NEWS (Investigative Unit) Washington, D.C. Internative 2008 — August 2008

- Assisted Investigative Correspondent Lisa Myers with an in-studio interview, logging and selecting sound bites as well as transcribing Senate and Congressional hearings
- Conducted in-depth research for the "Liar Loan" investigation, which exposed Countrywide Financial Corporation and multiple U.S. Senators for their involvement in shady lending practices

#### WSTM-TV/NBC 3, Syracuse, NY

January 2008 — April 2008

· Line-produced and edited newscasts

WSYR-TV/DIGITAL 890, Syracuse, NY September 2007 — May 2008 Reporter Intern

**Producer Intern** 

FOX STATIONS SALES, Atlanta, GA

Sales Assistant

### Skills

- Equipment: Field/studio cameras, DVC Pro, Beta, linear and nonlinear editing
- Software: ENPS, iNews, Adobe Premiere, AP Newscenter, Pathfire, Final Cut Pro and Avid

#### **Affiliations**

 National Association of Black Journalists Member

#### **Education**

S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communications, Syracuse, NY (2008) Master of Science in Broadcast Journalism

 Highlight: Co-produced an award nominated show, Magna Cum Laude

Clark Atlanta University, Atlanta, GA (2006)

Bachelor of Arts in Mass Media Arts/ Television Production

 Highlight: Voted Best Producer, Magna Cum Laude

#### **Social Media**

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@KPRC2TaishaWalker 4.7K followers



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August 2006 — June 2007