



Katherine Johnson

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A General Assignment reporter currently based in Washington D.C. Reports from the White House, Capitol Hill and the Pentagon Fill-in anchor for CBSN, the 24 hour online streaming service operated by CBS News.

Known for her versatility, she delivers each assignment with urgency, fairness and compassion.

Some of her biggest stories and awards:

- The impeachment trial of Donald Trump
- The Virginia Beach shooting
- Hurricane Dorian making landfall
- Investigative reports inspired a Minnesota law change to guarantee foster children in the state have legal representation
- Recognized with first of its kind award by NATAS Upper Midwest Emmy Chapter for coverage that changed Minnesota's child welfare system

Awards

- 2018 NATAS Upper Midwest Regional Emmy: Evening Newscast, Officer Yanez Verdict/Protests
- 2017 NATAS "Making A Difference" award for encouraging change through reporting on child welfare issues
- 2017 NATAS Upper Midwest Regional Emmy: Politics/Government, Single Story
- 2016 NATAS Upper Midwest Regional Emmy: Politics/Government, Single Story
- 2010 Wyoming Association of Broadcasters: Best Reporter

Skills

- Editing: Final Cut Pro, Sequel, Edius, Pro-Tools, Linear
- Cameras: Panasonic Mini DV, Panasonic DVC Pro, Sony Mini DV Newsroom Systems: ENPS, NewsKing, QSeries

Social Media



@KJohnsonTV
2.1K followers



@KJohnsonNews
5.4K followers

EXPERIENCE

CBS News Inc., Washington, D.C. Freelance Newspath Reporter

May 2019 — Present

- Freelance reporter/anchor for CBS Newspath, CBSN and CBS Weekend News
- Reports on the national story of the day from the White House, Capitol Hill or the Pentagon for local CBS affiliates nationwide
- Covers a wide range of topics depending on the need from traveling for hurricane coverage to interviewing members of the president's cabinet
- Fulfills requests for custom live shots as requested by affiliate stations

KSTP-TV, Minneapolis, MN

Lead Reporter

November 2012 — December 2018

- Live, lead reporter for 5 Eyewitness News 6pm, 9pm and 10pm newscasts
- Pitched and executed exclusive stories daily
- Comprehensive investigative skills
- Expert at navigating through juvenile court and child protection documents

KLRT-TV, Little Rock, AR

Lead Reporter

August 2010 — November 2012

- Live, lead reporter on Fox16 News at 9pm and 10pm
- Pitched and executed exclusive stories daily
- Turned 2-3 packages daily

KGWN, NewsChannel 5, Cheyenne, WY

Anchor/Reporter

January 2009 — August 2010

- Evening Anchor/Producer May 2010-August 2010
- Nightside Reporter/Fill-in Anchor January 2009-April 2010
- Pitched and executed exclusive stories daily, conducted active live shots nightly

WBUP UGN News, Marquette, MI

Anchor/Producer/MMJ

October 2007 — December 2008

- Anchor/Producer, 10:00pm, 11:00pm newscasts
- Multimedia Journalist gathering stories from throughout Michigan's Upper Peninsula

KVCU Radio1190, Boulder, CO

Host/Producer

September 2005 — December 2006

- News Director, Host/Producer/Creator of the only campus news radio show
- Managed news staff
- Produced daily news hits

PBS, Lakeland Public Television, Bemidji, MN

Intern

Summer 2005 & 2006

- Operated field and studio cameras

EDUCATION

University of Colorado at Boulder

May 2007

School of Journalism and Mass Communication

Bachelor of Science in Broadcast News, Minor in Philosophy