



Sharon Lawson

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EXPERIENCE

WAGA, Atlanta, GA

Weekday Morning Anchor

2017 – Present

- Anchor of Good Day Atlanta, 4:30am, 5:00am, 8:00am & 10:00am
- Responsible for interviewing celebrities and newsmakers (live)
- Field anchor main events

WTVJ, Miami, FL

Weekend Anchor/Reporter

2003 – 2017

- Anchor Sat-Sun morning shows 6:00a & 9:00am
- Weekday morning fill-in anchor
- Live weekday general assignment reporter
- Research, investigate and develop potential leads into viable news stories
- Represent station by hosting community events, including Jazz in the Gardens and Jamaican jerk Fest

WFTC, Minneapolis, MN

Reporter/Fill-In Anchor

2001 – 2002

- Responsible for enterprising educational stories and covering live, late-breaking news
- Primary fill-in anchor for weekend newscasts

WHIO, Dayton, OH

Weekend Anchor/Reporter

1997 – 2000

- Anchored 6pm and 11pm newscasts on Saturday and Sunday
- Covered daily news for Dayton area, develop stories and reported breaking news
- Covered top story of the day
- Fill-in anchor for all weekday shows

WMDT, Salisbury, MD

Weekend Anchor

1995 – 1997

- Co-anchored 6pm and 11pm weekend newscasts
- Special Projects reporter for a monthly series that spotlighted children in need of mentors

WWSB, Sarasota, FL

Photojournalist/Editor

1994 – 1995

- Shot all news-oriented stories using Beta and three-quarter inch camera
- Edited the noon newscast and assumed the responsibility of obtaining daily feeds

EDUCATION

University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL

1993

Bachelor of Arts, Radio and Television Communications

Manatee Community College, Venice FL

1990

Associate of Arts Degree

Awards

- 2021 Emmy Award
- 2013 Miami New Times Best Miami TV News Anchor, Nominee
- 2009 NABJ Salute to Excellence Award "Sisters: Diversity in Politics"

Accomplishments

- "Black in America": Featured story in Emmy-winning Black History Month Show - 2005
- Only American TV journalist to go to Jamaica for the 2007 presidential elections
- Notable series: "Weekend Adventures" series, "Single in South Florida" relationship series
- Notable stories: "Staying Fit", "Minorities and Skin Care", "Blind Violinist Saved and Treated in Miami After Devastating Haiti Earthquake"

Affiliations

- Member, National Association of Black Journalists
- Member/Mentor, Partners for Youth
- Member, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority

Social Media



@SharonLawsonFOX5
19K followers



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34.1K followers



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2.7K followers