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Professional Summary

- ECHL play-by-play broadcaster/color commentator, group sales executive and public relations assistant.
- Ranked 15th best collegiate broadcaster in the nation by Sportscasters Talent Agency of America in 2016.
- Seven years of on-air experience and professional knowledge of all aspects of media.
- Committed to a career in professional hockey play-by-play broadcasting

Education

University of New Hampshire, Durham, N.H. 2012 - 2016
Bachelor of Science in Kinesiology (Sport Studies), minor in Journalism

Experience

Manchester Monarchs, *Group Sales Account Executive and Color Commentator* 05/2017 - Present

- Lead group sales account executive in charge of coordinating group outings and events.
- Advanced the Monarchs to the top spot in the ECHL in pre-game sales.
- Color commentator for the 2017-18 season during all home broadcasts.

Manchester Monarchs, *Public Relations Assistant and Inside Sales Representative* 10/2016 - 05/2017

- Wrote game stories, managed social media, updated team website and kept game night stats.
- Color commentary for ECHL.TV, recorded and conducted intermission and postgame interviews.
- Generated leads and potential prospects for group outings, fundraisers and suites.
- Directed youth hockey sales for pregame, postgame and intermission skates.

Adirondack Thunder, *Substitute Play-by-Play Broadcaster* 02/2017 - 05/2017

- Fill-in for Adirondack Thunder games on ECHL.TV.
- Play-by-play for the Thunder Radio Network, Hits 95.9 FM.

PSE Agency/Providence Bruins, *Associate of Tickets and Events* 07/2016 - 10/2016

- Sold membership and flex ticket packages for the 2016-17 Providence Bruins season.
- Generated leads for partnership, hospitality and group sales prior to the season.
- Called over 100 potential customers and fans each day to inquire about tickets and promotions.

UNH, Wildcats Div. I Men's Ice Hockey, *Play-by-Play Broadcaster on WUNH* 11/2012 - 04/2016

- Covered all home games and multiple away games each season for UNH Men's Hockey.
- Broadcasted over 75 hockey games over four years.
- Conducted player and coach interviews pre and postgame.
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NECBL, Keene Swamp Bats, *Sports Information Director and Play-by-Play Broadcaster* 05/2015 - 08/2015

- Managed all media relations and broadcasts for a collegiate baseball league team.
- Broadcasted home and away games for 104.1FM, 1220AM ESPN Keene.
- Created stat sheets in Adobe InDesign software.

91.3 FM WUNH, Radio, *Sports Director* 05/2014 - 05/2016

- Responsible for budget and management of 20 staff members in the sports department.
- Created and edited all audio, promotions and advertisements.
- Oversaw all social media for the WUNH Sports Department.

NESN, Boston Bruins Broadcaster Jack Edwards, *Mentorship* 01/2015 - 06/2016

- Studied under and shadowed noteworthy broadcaster Jack Edwards.
- Reviewed game tapes and improved upon speaking skills, broadcasting etiquette and play-by-play commentary.