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- Strong local and international background in Radio, TV and Internet spot and feature news management, production, editing and reporting
- Able to motivate and guide a news team, and get accurate results on deadline
- Savvy with audio/photographic software including Adobe Audition, ENCO and Photoshop
- Familiar with Final Cut Pro, Avid and Premier video editing suites
- Skilled at using online content management programs integrating audio, video, photographic, graphic and written resources
- Experienced in public speaking

Employment history:

Independent: Audio production services, reporting, scripting and narration for assorted clients, including [Apple Computers](#), [National Business Aviation Association](#), [Georgia Public Broadcasting Radio](#), [Georgia Centers of Innovation](#), [Broadcast Solutions, Atlanta](#)

Jan., 2007 – May, 2009:

[Georgia Public Broadcasting:](#)

Columbus Bureau Chief. Responsibilities included all preparation, reporting and voicing of features and spot news from Columbus, Fort Benning and southwest Georgia.

- Established the Columbus bureau in January, 2007. Within a year I significantly expanded in-depth coverage of spot news, features and current events throughout southwest Georgia
- Awarded 2008 "Best Specialized Reporting" prize from the *Georgia Associated Press*
- Alternate GPB host of National Public Radio's flagship news magazine, *All Things Considered*
- Represented GPB to the public, broadcast and print media; hosted events and liaised with donors, officials, and outside entities
- Redesigned, implemented and managed GPB Radio News site, greatly increasing site traffic
- Prepared and edited online multimedia packages, incorporating video, audio and still photography
- Instructed statewide news team in implementing new media

Freelance TV and Radio news reporting, analysis and commentary:

- Produced and reported breaking-news and pre-recorded Radio, Internet, Video and Print spots and features from Israel and Palestinian Authority areas covering war and terrorism, political/diplomatic events, metro and "slice-of-life" content

United States:

National Public Radio, Washington, D.C., MSNBC Television, NY; Talk Radio News, Washington DC; News/Talk 720 WGN, Chicago, IL; WLMB AM1160, Atlanta, Ga.; News Talk 1110 WBT, Charlotte, NC; WINK 1240 AM, Ft. Myers, Fla.; USA Radio.com, Dallas, Tx.

International:

BBC Radio London, BBC Radio Wales, LBC Radio London; International Network News, Today FM, Dublin Ireland; Feature Radio, Global Media, Great Britain; Radio France International; Radio Deutsche Welle, Germany; Radio Onda Cero International, Spain; RTHK Radio 3, Hong Kong; Radio Napa, Cyprus; 3AW Radio, Australia.

2000 – 2007:

www.infolive.tv:

Jerusalem bureau chief for Internet video news agency. Responsible for site content. Duties included managing a news and production team of reporters, camera crews and video editors to prepare daily breaking-news and feature coverage. Produced and hosted in-studio and on-site news, analysis and interviews. Responsible for all English-language content; guided parallel French, Spanish and Arabic-language news teams.

www.JerusalemOnline.com:

Translation, editing and voiceover of national evening TV news program. Duties included real-time Hebrew-English translation of hard news reports, preparing copy, and voicing an online video summary of main Israel Channel Two TV news broadcast.

www.TheIsraelHomeFrontFund.org:

Managed and edited social-assistance website providing aid for Israelis during the 2006 Lebanon war. Duties included management of written, video, audio and photographic content, assigning stories to stringers.

www.AccessMiddleEast.org:

Deputy website manager, editor and reporter. Responsible for preparing news, analysis and commentary about Israeli, Palestinian and regional affairs. Managed written, audio, video and graphic content.

The Jerusalem Post newspaper:

News and features editor/reporter/photographer for the print daily and weekend magazine. Night-desk editor. Managed daily Internet radio breaking news and features coverage. Reported and translated news articles, features, interviews, music and book reviews.

1997 - 2000:

Tel-Ad Channel 2 Television, International Acquisitions:

Translated award-winning (PROMAX) in-house promos. Managed film library. Translated and organized scripts, publicity material, press releases.

RadioWEST 102.8 FM:

Developed, produced and hosted current affairs, music and talk-format programming for Jerusalem broadcast radio station. Hosted morning and afternoon drive time shows. Was responsible for editing, announcing, and special events programming.

www.VirtualJerusalem.com:

Developed, produced and hosted Internet radio programming including interviews, music and current affairs programming.

References, writing examples, air-checks and showreel are viewable [here](#).
