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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Aspiring sports broadcaster with hands-on experience in live collegiate athletics production, sports radio, and television news reporting. Proven ability to perform as on-air talent and contribute to production crews in fast-paced broadcast environments. Skilled in play-by-play and color commentary, field reporting, scriptwriting, and multimedia storytelling.

EDUCATION

University of Oregon – Eugene, OR B.S. in Journalism, Minor in Sports Business (*Expected June 2027*)

EXPERIENCE

Duck TV Professional Practicum – University of Oregon *On-Air Talent / News Reporter* | September 2025 – Present | Eugene, OR

- Deliver weekly on-camera news segments in a professional studio setting, covering a range of current events and stories.
- Write broadcast-ready scripts using Rundown Creator, developing proficiency with industry-standard newsroom software.
- Execute all aspects of field production — filming, editing, interviewing, and packaging complete mock news segments.

Quack Video – University of Oregon Athletics *Production Intern* | September 2024 – Present | Eugene, OR

- Operate cameras for live broadcasts of Oregon Ducks sporting events, with additional experience in shading and audio engineering.
- Support productions of *Duck Insider*, a sports talk show dedicated to Oregon Athletics coverage.

KWVA Sports Radio – University of Oregon *Sports Broadcaster & Writer* | April 2025 – Present | Eugene, OR

- Provide play-by-play and color commentary for University of Oregon sports and surrounding schools' competitions.
- Host and produce original sports radio programming, including regular contributions to *Quack Smack*, a nightly sports talk show.
- Conduct pre- and post-game interviews with coaches and athletes for on-air and written content.
- Author game recaps and opinion pieces for the KWVA website.