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Collaborative worker experienced in Adobe Creative Suite/Microsoft 365 with strong skills in production, leadership, time management, and attention to detail. Work includes live broadcasting and content creation as a producer, director and reporter for television/radio, as well as communications departments.

## **Experience**

**UI7 Newsroom – *Segment Producer*** | OCTOBER 2024 – DECEMBER 2024

Produce interviews and weekly segments for Illini Sports Night, UI7 Live and Good Morning Illini. Booked a one-one with Illinois coach Brad Underwood, the highest-profiled interview in the history of our newsroom.

**Illinois Public Media – *Sports Reporter*** | OCTOBER 2024 – DECEMBER 2024

Write and produce wraps and feature stories for W-I-L-L radio, focused on Illini sports. Covering sports and obtaining sound at games and events for production.

**WCIA 3 – *Sports Intern*** | MAY 2024 – AUGUST 2024

Worked with the sports department to film packages, interviews, and write scripts for the nightly sports segment on local CBS affiliate in Champaign.

**Cancer Center at Illinois – *Production Intern*** | JULY 2022 – PRESENT

Create long and short-form video for social media focused on the cancer research conducted at the University of Illinois.

**Illini Sports Night – *Producer*** | JANUARY 2024 – MAY 2024

Produced 30-minute weekly live broadcast focused on Illinois sports. Wrote scripts, filmed/cut video and built rundowns for live production.

**UI7 Live & Good Morning Illini – *Director*** | OCTOBER 2023 – DECEMBER 2024

Direct live student-led newscasts UI7 Live and Good Morning Illini. Work at a quick pace under deadline with control room and production team to ensure live broadcasts run smoothly via VMix.

**Fighting Illini Productions – *Video Intern*** | FALL 2022 – SPRING 2024

Worked with the Fighting Illini Athletics video department to create live broadcasts for B1G+ and video board operation. Directed, operated cameras, managed replay and gripped.

