# Mike Puzzanghera

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#### **EXPERIENCE:**

The Boston Globe Boston, MA

## **High school sports correspondent**

Dec. 2019 to present

- Report and write game stories either in-person or remotely
- Lay out the print sports section's scoreboard and agate
- Cover high school volleyball and track and field, including games/meets, writing feature stories, and selecting the Globe's All-Scholastic team

# **Yarmouth-Dennis Red Sox**

Yarmouth, MA

Beat writer June 2022 to Aug. 2022

- Reported game stories during the 2022 Cape Cod Baseball League season for the Y-D Red Sox
- Found, reported, and wrote original feature stories about the team

#### **National Fire Protection Association**

Quincy, MA

Public affairs intern

Jan. 2021 to June 2021

- Wrote and edited press releases and internal blog posts for public education efforts
- Researched and wrote all the descriptions for NFPA's 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Artwork, an interactive collage of important people, codes, and moments from NFPA's history
- Tracked media inquiries, including connecting reporters with staff and coordinating interviews

WRBB Sports Boston, MA

#### Play-by-play commentator, writer

Dec. 2020 to Dec. 2022

- Provided play-by-play and color commentary for Northeastern hockey, basketball, and baseball
- Wrote frequent game stories, features, and previews on hockey and basketball for WRBBsports.com
- Hosted and produced "Husky Hoops", a Northeastern men's and women's basketball podcast

The Huntington News Boston, MA

Editor-in-chief April 2019 to Dec. 2019

- Managed the operations of the Northeastern University student newspaper
- Edited all published stories (online and in print), edited print pages for layout, chaired all staff and senior staff meetings, and led the editorial board

Sports editor Dec. 2018 to April 2019

- Assigned and edited breaking news and enterprise articles for Division I and club sports at Northeastern
- Covered the nationally-ranked women's hockey team, attending home matches, writing game stories and features in addition to responsibilities as sports editor

Audiovisual editor Dec. 2020 to April 2021

• Oversaw the production of all podcasts produced by The Huntington News

# **Sports reporter**

Sept. 2018 to April 2021

 Reported game and feature stories for the sports section including ice hockey, baseball, basketball, soccer, and field hockey

## **EDUCATION:**

**Northeastern University** 

Boston, MA

Aug. 2018 to Dec. 2022

Bachelor of Arts in Journalism, 3.49 GPA, minors in Communication Studies and Sports, Media, and Communication

## W.T. Woodson High School

Fairfax, VA

Aug 2014 to June 2018

Advanced Studies Diploma, 4.05 GPA

# **SKILLS:**

Microsoft Office, Adobe Creative Suite (InDesign, Audition, Lightroom, Photoshop, Premiere), Final Cut Pro, AP Style, social media (Twitter, Instagram, Facebook, Snapchat, Reddit, YouTube), Twitter Media Studio, intermediate fluency in Spanish, feature writing, deadline reporting, audio production, video production, podcasting, WordPress