

Cierra Putman

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Education

University of Missouri-Columbia

Bachelor of Journalism

Experience

WTHR, Channel 13

Indianapolis, IN

Nov 2021-Present



Investigative Reporter

Serve as a newsroom leader in editorial meetings & assisting reporters.

Produced 3-part series as part of TEGNA's Gun Violence in America project.

Helped Hoosiers collect millions after revealing a lottery glitch.

Led daily/in-depth coverage of special session to pass new abortion law.

Exposed, shut-down imposter website scamming families with disabled kids.

Honored with 4 first place Indiana SPJ awards.

2x Emmy winner for investigations into sextortion & a school police chief.

WFTV, Channel 9

Orlando, FL

July 2016-July 2021



Reporter

Routinely landed exclusive interviews for the news of the day.

Pitched enterprise, day turn investigative education, theme park & city stories.

Produced local reports with national interest for CMG National News Tonight.

Averaged more than 60 enterprise stories a year.

Gracie Award Recipient for participation in Ocoee Massacre Documentary.

Emmy nomination for covering acquittal of Pulse nightclub shooter's wife.

WJAR-TV, NBC 10

Providence, RI

Jan. 2013-June 2016



Reporter/Fill-in Anchor

Dayside breaking news & lead reporter.

Produced creative live shots for breaking and developing news.

Constantly updated and grew social media presence on Twitter & Facebook.

References Upon Request