Temple Ricke

Emmy Award-Winning Reporter

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EDUCATION

Western Kentucky University (WKU)

Magna Cum Laude

Major: Broadcast Journalism

Minor: Sales/Marketing

WHY HIRE TEMPLE RICKE

With 5+ years of experience as a news reporter, I am trained to communicate efficiently and keep my composure under pressure. As a confident leader with a track record of success, I tackle challenges using a creative, performance-driven approach. My public speaking abilities, sales and service experience, and effective writing skills are valuable for transforming complex ideas into consumable information.

PROFESSTIONAL EXPERIENCE

Nashville Soccer Club (Nashville, TN): MLS Premium Service Rep.

April 2022 – Present

- Delivers exceptional customer service by leveraging product & soccer knowledge
- Creates a positive environment for premium clientele through personable interactions
- Manages daily operations for \$3.1 million in seasonal revenue
- Collaborated on the 2022 inaugural opening of Geodis Park, a state-of-the-art MLS Stadium

WZTV Fox 17 News (Nashville, TN): Morning News Reporter

Nov. 2020 – April 2022

- Researched, wrote, and executed topical stories for a 5-hour newscast
- Engaged target market audience across digital platforms
- Comfortable in any environment: crime scenes, sports arenas, natural disasters, etc.

WCBD-TV Count On 2 (Charleston, SC): Anchor and Multi-Media Journalist

June 2018 – Oct. 2020

- Solo-anchored 90-minute newscast and improved ratings by 100%
- Created content from scratch for a market of 300K plus viewers
- Executed community-oriented stories to gain 14K personal subscribers
- Proactive "people person" dedicated to serving the community

NBC Winter Olympics (PyeongChang): Productions Associate

Feb. 2018 – Mar. 2018

- Cherry-picked and produced unrivaled content for NBC

ESPN College GameDay (Louisville, KY): Production Assistant

September 16th, 2017

- Entertained media personnel and provided logistical support

INTERNSHIPS

| Westwood One Radio (New York City): Sports Intern | May 2017 – Aug. 2017 |
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| Wave 3 Sports (Louisville, Kentucky): Sports Intern | Dec. 2016 – Feb. 2017 |
| Clear Defense Pest Control (Greenville, SC): Door-To-Door Saleswoman | May 2016 – Aug. 2016 |