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**PROFILE:**

* Present accurate and informative weather forecasts in Connecticut’s changing weather
* Highly skilled in WSI Fusion and WSI Max graphics for on-air, web and social media
* Manage content on multiple platforms and produce elements for social media and website
* Detailed knowledge of weather operations and execution

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**EXPERIENCE: NEWS CHANNEL 8 ON-AIR METEOROLOGIST:** April 2014- Present

* Developed a personalized and lifestyle approach for forecasts
* Communicated daily and frequently via social media with viewers regarding weather forecast
* Maintained stations website, use of daily mobile alerts and radio hits
* Worked a variety of shifts which include both weekday and weekend nights and mornings
* Accurately covered Connecticut’s dynamic weather such as blizzards, severe weather and tropical
* Highly skilled in “WSI Fusion and WSI MAX” graphics for on-air broadcast
* Utilized GFS, NAM, EURO and many other weather models to solidify a forecast
* Worked with fellow Meteorologists to collaborate the most accurate and detailed forecast
* Scheduled local school visits, community events and career fairs on a weekly basis
* Anchored and produced numerous live shots covering local events and weather events

 **NEWS CHANNEL 8 WEATHER PRODUCER:** April 2014- Present

* Proficient in weather analysis and forecasting
* Helped coordinate and aid new weather graphics system
* Built and designed graphics for on-air broadcasts to be used on camera
* Handled generating weather story ideas, setting up content for newscasts
* Responsible for writing published weather related articles on a variety of topics for WXEDGE website
* Trained and managed several interns from local colleges
* Presented daily weather briefings for news, web writers, producers and station directors
* Incorporated “WSI Fusion” graphics for on-air broadcast
* Communicated daily via social media with viewers regarding weather forecast
* Delivered personal forecast and reflected for future growth
* Observed and assisted veteran meteorologist techniques and forecasts in determining and delivering accurate weather forecasts
* Helped to design and launch WXEDGE.COM

[**CTForecast4u.com**](http://ctforecast4u.com/)**: Personal Weather Website: Owner and Operator:** April 2011-April 2014

* Provides exceptional weather judgments daily
* Designed and coded own personal weather website and manages website updates
* Update local clear and concise forecasts daily with written summaries
* Advertises website on local news websites and blogs for public to view
* Provides video forecasts for public viewers
* Creates weather graphics for website

**EXPERIENCE: Greater New Haven Umpire Association**, New Haven, CT, March 2005 to Present

 Umpire

* Extensive background working with children ages 13-22
* Responsible for safety of players
* Uses best judgment to maintain order between teams

**Amity Umpire Association**, Orange, CT, April 2001 to Present

 Umpire in chief

* Monitors the disciplinary actions
* Enforces the rules of the game and the grounds
* Uses admirable judgment skills while keeping integrity
* Demonstrates positive leadership roles

**EDUCATION: Amity Regional High School,** Woodbridge, CT

 **Western Connecticut State University**, Danbury, CT

 Bachelor of Science, Operational Meteorology

**ACTIVITIES:** Meteorology Club, Western Connecticut State University, 2008-2012

 Relay for life, Western Connecticut State University, 2009-2010

 Volunteer coach, Orange, CT, 2009-2011

Teacher of Amity Umpire Association, 2007-2009

Two Bowling Leagues, President, Secretary, and Treasure, 2012-Present

**SKILLS:**  Proficient in Microsoft Office, Word, Excel, PowerPoint and HTML Code

 Trained Skywarn Spotter for National Weather Service, Winter 2012