





Joe Calabrese

Multimedia Journalist

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My name is Joe Calabrese, and I love interactive storytelling and broadcast production. I write, code and design stories on any topic. I've covered topics from [homelessness in Los Angeles](#) and student votership initiatives, to [high school athlete safety](#) and [racism in professional sports](#). When I'm not working on a project, I'm missing New Jersey pizza and complaining about people who don't like baseball.



ACHIEVEMENTS

Best Sports Program – SportsNight
New England Emmy College Honors
Apr 2017

Eagle Scout
Feb 2012



PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

Adobe Premiere 

iNews/AP ENPS 

HTML, CSS, jQuery 

Adobe Photoshop 



LANGUAGES

English 

Spanish 



PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2019 - Present

Producer in Residence

at WKYC-TV (TEGNA)

 Cleveland, OH

- Coordinated multi-station, multiplatform "[88 Counties in 88 Days](#)" project, including scheduling, digital and broadcast production
- Using Tableau, created template for [interactive data visualizations](#) to map/track COVID-19 outbreak in Ohio
- Spearheaded launch of the "3GO!" Facebook group for interaction with morning show fans and UGC collection

2018 - 2019

Multimedia Journalist/Producer

at USC Annenberg Media

 Los Angeles, CA

- Using HTML, CSS and jQuery, coded and designed websites for the Interactives Desk on topics like student government elections
- Developed the Interactive Desk's first template to display multimedia content
- Led ~20-person production team in creation of nightly, day-of-air newscast

2016 - 2017

Editor/Writer

at MRC Medical Communications


 Emerson, NJ

- Curated monthly content for Medical Horizons, our online publication, on topics like Alzheimer's treatments, ultraviolet sanitation techniques and modular surgical room fixtures
- Edited content for client promotions using Adobe Premiere

2015 - 2016

Teaching Assistant — Broadcast Sports Journalism

at Boston University


 Boston, MA

- Taught students how to write scripts for on-camera reads, voiceovers, highlight clips and packages and how to submit scripts through iNews and AP ENPS
- Instructed students weekly on how to shoot and edit interviews, packages and highlight clips

2015 - 2016

Executive Producer

at SportsNight, Boston University

 Boston, MA

- Produced weekly, half-hour, local sports broadcast for Boston University Television
- Facilitated news production meetings and gauged stories' newsworthiness and relevance to our audience on a nightly basis



EDUCATION

2018 - Present

M.S., Journalism

at University of Southern California

 Los Angeles, CA

- Serving as head Teaching Assistant for "Sports, Business, Media" class of 100 plus students; guests have included George Raveling (Nike), Jay Rothman (ESPN), Casey Wasserman, and Sam Darnold (New York Jets)

2012 - 2016

B.S., Journalism

at Boston University

 Boston, MA



LIFE EXPERIENCE

2015-2016 — Constructed an off-road mini baja car from scratch and hauled it cross-country for an international competition — twice

2012 — Emerson, NJ, Little League ceremonial first pitch

2006 — Scared the Incredible Hulk as a member of Silent Forest Haunted Theme Park, Raleigh, NC