

LOUIE GRIFFITH

Photojournalist

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Louie Griffith is an Emmy Award-Winning Photojournalist based in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania with over 12 years of experience filming and editing in a fast-paced, collaborative environment. His work has focused on breaking news, local interest stories and special feature assignments. He is adept at storytelling through the lens of his camera.

PORTFOLIO LINK www.louiegriffith.com

EXPERIENCE

WTAE-TV Hearst Television | Photojournalist

April 2017 - PRESENT

- Currently working for the ABC affiliate in Pittsburgh as a Photojournalist. Additionally, he was selected to serve as Co-Chair for Hearst Television's company-wide LGBTQ+ employee resource group HTVPride, strengthening his leadership and organizational skills as a founding member. Daily tasks include filming and editing local and national news, feature stories for WTAE Listens and national sports coverage. Notable stories included the coverage of the Tree of Life, the East Palestine Train Derailment, the Fern hollow Bridge Collapse, and the Pittsburgh Penguins 2017 Stanley Cup.

WHP-TV Sinclair Broadcast Group | Photojournalist

October 2013 - April 2017

- During my 4 years at the Harrisburg, Pennsylvania affiliate of CBS, he covered state and national political events out of the Capital, as well as local interest stories, sports, and special features. Notable stories include the 2016 Presidential Election, including interviewing the Candidates.

WTOV-TV Sinclair Broadcast Group | Photojournalist

August 2011 - October 2013

- While completing college courses, he worked at the NBC affiliate in Steubenville, Ohio as a part-time Photojournalist. Upon graduation in 2012 he accepted a full-time position as Photojournalist, filming local news and sports. He continued there until 2013 when he was promoted within the company to their larger television market in Harrisburg.

EDUCATION

West Liberty University | *B.S. Communications, Broadcasting - 2012*

AWARDS

Emmy Award | 2020

- Category: Team Coverage - Turnpike Bus Crash, Photojournalist.

Emmy Nominations:

- 2019 - General Assignment Report (Within 24 Hours)
- 2022 - Continuing Coverage
- 2023 - Team Coverage
- 2023 - Public Affairs Long Form (Single Program)

SKILLS AND EQUIPMENT

- Programs - Adobe Premiere, Final Cut Pro, Edius, Avid, iNews, ENPS
- Equipment - Sony Cameras, JVC Cameras, Panasonic P2 Cameras, ENG Microwave Systems, LiveU Systems, TVU Systems