

# HANNAH WIDENER

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## EDUCATION

### THE UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA

Tuscaloosa, AL

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) Journalism (May 2016)

## ADDITIONAL SKILLS

Microsoft Office

Adobe Photoshop

Adobe InDesign

Nexis

Adobe Premiere Pro

AP Newscenter

Zetta

Aurora Edit

INews

Edius

## EXPERIENCE

### BOOKING PRODUCER

MSNBC, Manhattan, NY / Oct 2021 - Present

- Books guests for AYMAN and the Mehdi Hasan show airing on weekends 8-10pm ET
- Books 8-10 guests per week.
- Pitches, researches, pre-interviews and screens guests before show appearances.
- Guests previously on the shows include John Leguizamo, Margaret Cho, Kal Penn, and Sen. Elizabeth Warren.

### SENIOR PRODUCER

SiriusXM, Manhattan, NY / Jul 2018 - Oct 2021

- Produced Signal Boost: the only daily feminist morning show in America hosted by political commentators Zerlina Maxwell and Jess McIntosh. Includes guests such as Vice President Kamala Harris, Fmr. Sec. Hillary Clinton, Stacey Abrams, Sen. Elizabeth Warren, Julian Castro, Rep. Ayanna Pressley, and Rep. Katie Porter.
- Booked 10-15 guests per week for a 2 hour daily live show.
- Researches, books guests, produces segments, ran board, and handles social media.

### ASSOCIATE PRODUCER

SiriusXM, Manhattan, NY / Jul 2018 - Nov 2019

- Produced "Stand Up with Pete Dominick" show which featured guests such as Sarah Silverman, Kevin Hart, Bernie Sanders, and Seth Meyers.
- Researches, books guests, produces segments, and handles social media.
- Booked 15-25 guests per week for a 3 hour live daily show.
- Contributed daily as on air talent.

### WRITER

WHDH 7 News, Boston, MA / Sep 2016 - Jun 2018

- Wrote and edited the hour long newscast at noon independently, as well as the 4 p.m-6 p.m. newscasts.
- Relayed information from reporters to executive producers during breaking news.
- Edited breaking local and national news footage under tight deadlines.

### PRODUCER

WVUA 23 TV, Tuscaloosa, AL / Aug 2015 - May 2016

- Produced and edited the 10p.m. newscast nightly and independently.
- Ran prompter and chyron graphics during live newscasts.
- Edited breaking local and national news footage under tight deadlines.

### WRITER

The Crimson White Newspaper, Tuscaloosa, AL / Nov 2012 - May 2016

- Wrote 3 articles per week for arts and culture section.
- Won the National CMA Pinnacle Award, National ACP Newspaper Pacemaker Award, Region 3 SPJ Mark of Excellence Award for Best Feature Writing.
- Wrote weekly television column, including column that was recognized by comedian Chelsea Handler.