



RON PIVO

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BROADCASTING PROFESSIONAL

COMMITMENT | LEADERSHIP | INTEGRITY

An award winning Broadcasting Professional with more than 20 years of demonstrated success in journalism, television, and radio host positions. A creative and confident strategic leader that leverages solid media experience with professionalism. Dedicated to maintaining a reputation built on quality, service, and uncompromising ethics.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- Pro-active Network Liaison
 - Extensive newspaper and media experience
 - Screenwriting Award Finalist
 - Innovative Thinker
 - Confident Camera Presence & Broadcasting Voice
 - Award Winning Sports Anchor
 - Breaking News Stratagem
 - Multi-part Series Development
 - Live Remote Coordination
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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- KSPN- AM - ESPN RADIO - Los Angeles, CA 2014- Present
Sports Radio Host
 - Host USC Trojan pre-game show and other Sports Talk shows as assigned
- KNBC - LOS ANGELES, CA 2012 - Present
FILL-IN SPORTSCASTER
 - Anchor Sportscasts as assigned for NBC affiliate in Los Angeles
- KGW-TV - PORTLAND, OR 1998 - 2007
SPORTS DIRECTOR -SPORTS ANCHOR- SPORTS REPORTER
 - Helped achieve and maintain KGW's position as the top-rated television station in Portland.
 - Supervised and managed the Sports Department, including five full-time staff.
 - Strategized with the News Director and Assistant News Director to develop plans of action in the event of breaking news.
 - Anchored Monday-Friday daily sportscasts.
 - Started "Nate at Night" - a segment with Portland Trailblazers Head Coach Nate McMillan.
 - Developed a strong relationship with Oregon's number-one newspaper, *The Oregonian*.
 - Anchored "Sports Sunday", a half-hour local sports show.
 - Coordinated live remotes.
 - Formed and maintained a cohesive and effective relationship between the Sports Department and the News Department.
 - Established and maintained relationships with coaches, athletes, and front office personnel.
 - Forged strong relationships with other television stations in Oregon.
- KTXG-FM "The Game" - PORTLAND, OR 2009-2011
 - Host Saturday morning Sports Talk shows as well as fill-in as assigned

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KPTV-TV - PORTLAND, OR

2007 - 2009

SPORTS ANCHOR/REPORTER

- Anchored sportscasts; reported for Sunday Sports Show "Oregon Sports Final."

KMTR-TV - EUGENE, OR

1996 - 1998

SPORTS ANCHOR/REPORTER

- Developed story ideas for nightly sportscasts; coordinated live remotes for Oregon Football and Basketball games.
- Formed relationships and contacts within the University of Oregon and Oregon State Athletic Departments.
- Reported on a weekly "Student Athlete of the Week" segment; created a weekly Friday Night Football show.
- Developed a multi-part series titled "The 5 Toughest Golf Holes in the Willamette Valley".
- Formed a strong relationship with the KGW Sports Department.
- Videotaped both college and high school sporting events for daily sportscasts.

KOBI-TV - MEDFORD, OR

1994 - 1996

SPORTS ANCHOR/REPORTER

- Managed and ran a two-person Sports Department.
- Anchored and reported for nightly sportscasts; videotaped high school games for broadcast.
- Wrote, edited, and produced nightly sportscasts and feature stories.
- Maintained a strong relationship with the News Department; formed a strong synergy with the Sales Department.
- Started a Friday Night High School Football Show.

MULTNOMAH COMMUNITY TELEVISION - PORTLAND, OR

1992 - 1994

SPORTS ANCHOR/REPORTER

- Produced, photographed, edited, anchored, and reported "East Metro Edition", a weekly show for residents of East Multnomah County.

KPIC-TV - ROSEBURG, OR

1990 - 1992

SPORTS ANCHOR/NEWS REPORTING

- Produced, anchored, and reported sportscasts, newscasts, and stories.

EDUCATION

California State University Northridge, Northridge, CA - **B.A., Broadcast Journalism** 1989

SOFTWARE EXPERIENCE

Microsoft Office Suite - Word, Excel, Outlook
INews - Avid - Grass Valley - Final Draft

ACCOLADES

L.A. Comedy Shorts Film Festival
(Screenplay Division) - **Finalist -
Top Three** - 2014
Page International Screenwriting Awards - **Finalist Top 25%** 2012
Oregon Associated Press - **Best Sportscast** 2007
Oregon Association of Broadcasters - **Best Single Story** 2006
National Association of Sports Broadcasters & Sportswriters:
Oregon Sports Announcer of the Year 2004
Oregon Association of Broadcasters - **Sportscaster of the Year** 2004
Best in the West: Sports Reporting - **First Place** 2003
Oregon Association of Broadcasters - **Oregon Sports Announcer of the Year** 2002
Associated Press - Sports Reporting - **First Place** 2002
Associated Press - Sports Reporting - **First Place** 2000