

Katherine “Kit” Kuhne

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EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Executive Producer, WXMI-TV || june 2021 - present

Oversee all aspects of early-evening newscasts, including: story selection, story development and showcasing. Manage breaking news and severe weather events. Review and edit all reporter scripts. Train new producers. Assist in recruiting and hiring. Coordinate staffing. Assist with digital story development. Write and produce newscasts as needed.

6PM Producer, WJRT-TV || june 2016 - june 2021

Craft an energetic, fast-paced newscast with an emphasis on detail. Select, research and write engaging news copy from all available sources. Frequently serve as an Executive Producer, coordinating with reporters, MMJs, photographers and anchors. Review and edit all reporter scripts. Train new producers. Promoted from 6AM producer in 2018, the most-watched weekday morning show in the market at the time.

Senior Producer, Focal Point TV News || january 2016 - may 2016

Produce a 30 minute bi-weekly newscast, working alongside eight other students in an advanced broadcasting class. Duties include: assigning stories, crafting the rundown, writing scripts and boothing the show. Promoted from Social Media Producer.

Marketing Intern, After 5 Detroit || may 2015 - march 2017

Research and write articles about new things going on in Detroit. Publish articles and content on a WordPress website. Maintain multiple social media platforms. Shoot and produce promotional videos.

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Secretary, NATAS - Michigan Chapter || september 2016 - present

Serve as a member of the Executive Board. Keep a record of all board meeting minutes. Chair the chapter's Silver/Gold Circle committee, which honors broadcast journalists with 25+ years of experience. Serve on the chapter's Awards and Membership committees.

EDUCATION

Michigan State University || may 2016

BA, Journalism and Political Science
Concentration in Electronic News
Graduated with honor (3.79 gpa)

HONORS AND AWARDS

Nominee - Breaking News, Michigan EMMY Awards || 2023

Nominee - Best Public Service, Michigan APME Awards || 2020

Best in Category - Breaking News, MAB Broadcast Excellence Awards || 2019

Merit Award - Best Newscast, MAB Broadcast Excellence Awards || 2019

Second Place - Best Spot News Coverage, Michigan APME Awards || 2019

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