

JAMES WIELAND

METEOROLOGIST

CAREER GOAL

To be an integral part of a successful and competitive weather team.

EXPERIENCE

TELEVISION

NewsCentral - Baltimore, MD

- December 2003-April 2006 - Staff Meteorologist,
- Main Meteorologist for up to three station's 10pm news every night. Regular cities include Cincinnati, Pittsburgh, Buffalo. Others include Tampa, Las Vegas, Oklahoma City and Baltimore.

WSPA News Channel 7 - (CBS) - Spartanburg, SC

- August 2003-December 2003 - Freelance Meteorologist.
- Performed weekend night and morning weather.

WBTW News13 - (CBS) - Florence, SC

- August 2000-December 2003 - Morning/Noon Meteorologist.
- Performed morning/noon weather for news Monday-Friday. Including many live shots, interviews, packages and public appearances.

13WMAZ - (CBS) - Macon, GA

- April 1998-August 2000 - Weekend Meteorologist/Photographer/Reporter.
- Weekend morning weather, and weekend evening newscasts.
- Reporting and fill-in work during the week.
- News Photographer: ran the live truck, shot and edited stories.

WDTV - (CBS 5) - Clarksburg, WV

- February 1998-April 1998 - Chief Meteorologist.
- Monday-Friday 5:30pm, 6:00pm, and 11:00pm newscasts, managed two person weather team.

WTWC - (NBC News 40) - Tallahassee, FL

- April 1997-February 1998 - Weather Assistant/Internship.
- Worked with Chief Meteorologist to prepare and produce forecast for nightly news. Also appeared on air a few times during severe weather.

Cable-TV, FSU Channel 47 - Tallahassee, FL

- April 1996-April 1997 - On-air broadcast meteorologist for local FSU cable station.
- Helped start-up college weather program for broadcast.

TEACHING

Bibb County Schools, Macon Private Schools

- Sept 1998 -May 2000 – Substitute Teacher, Macon, GA - Various County Schools K-12.
- Substitute Teacher - St Joseph's Catholic School, Tattnall Square Academy, Stratford Academy. Middle and High School level.

STARS Academy Mentoring Program

- Sept 1993-May 1994 – (Broward Community College, Ft. Lauderdale) – Mentor
- Mentored learning disabled teens to prepare them for college.

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EXPERIENCE (continued)

SCIENCE

TASBEX

- June 1994-June 1995 – Participated in the Tallahassee Area Seabreeze Experiment.
- Collected scientific data in the field to help determine the affect of the Sea Breeze on the Florida Panhandle.

EDUCATION

Florida State University

- Attended 1994-1996. Graduated with a B.S. degree in meteorology and a minor in broadcast communications and mathematics.

Broward Community College

- Attended 1990-1992. Graduated with high honors from Broward Community College receiving an Associate of Arts degree.

Coconut Creek High School

- Attended 1986-1990. Was the vice-president of the ecology club and on the swim team for two years. Was also a member of the Civil Air Patrol for two years.

COMPUTER / SPECIAL SKILLS

- Weather Systems: WSI-Pro WeatherProducer, WeatherCentral Genesis, Accuweather Galileo
- Doppler Systems: Baron FastTrac StormTracker Doppler Radar, ADC DopRad
- Severe Crawl Systems: Baron StormWarn crawl system, WSI SkyAlert crawl system, Q-Alert warning system
- Newsroom Systems: Newstar, AP NewsCenter, iNEWS
- Internet home page design and construction, personal computers, MS-DOS, Windows 95/98/NT/XP, UNIX
- Photography/Videojournalism, VHS/BETA video editing
- Microwave live truck operation

GROUP ACTIVITIES / AWARDS

- American Meteorological Society (AMS)Seal Of Approval #1108
- Voted "Best TV Personality 2003" runner up in the Morning News Newspaper
- National Weather Association (NWA)
- FSU Alumni Association
- Surfrider Foundation

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