

Jack McCune

BROADCAST JOURNALISM



Work Experience

NEWS PRODUCER, ANCHOR, REPORTER AND BASKETBALL INSIDER

CommRadio News | September 2019 - present

- Produces a weekly radio newscast
- Gives out wrap assignments to newscast members
- Writes and updates the anchor script for each show
- Communicates with team members effectively to develop an efficient, professional broadcast
- Covered several Penn State events
- Written several articles for the CommRadio News website
- Records wraps to go on-air for live CommRadio News broadcasts
- Covers Penn State men's basketball on-beat
- Produces and hosts weekly men's basketball podcasts

NEW MEMBER COORDINATOR

CommRadio Management Team | February 2021 - present

- Engages and communicates with new members to Penn State's student radio station to answer questions and concerns
- Encourages new members to expand their involvement and become a part of every CommRadio department

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B94.5 - 7 Mountains Media | January 2020 - May 2020

- Contributes towards and appears on morning radio show
- Hands-on production work - creating sweepers, voicing commercials, etc.
- Updates social media pages

SOCIAL MEDIA/PUBLIC RELATIONS CHAIR

LEV - THON Organization for Penn State Hillel | August 2019 - present

- Updates social media pages to find new organization members and to update current members on events and important dates
- Creates graphics for Instagram to publicize upcoming events, fundraisers, meetings, etc.
- Partners with the social media department for Penn State Hillel by requesting them to publicize our upcoming events
- Emphasizes the overall goal of raising money to help children battling cancer

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Awards

- Dean's List Member of Donald P. Bellisario College of Communications for Fall 2018
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SPORTS WRITER AND ANNOUNCER

CommRadio Sports | January 2019 - present

- Written several articles for the CommRadio sports website
- Writes for Penn State sporting events on beat
- Play-by-play and color commentating for CommRadio's coverage of Penn State sports
- Hosts/participates in CommRadio podcasts and radio shows
- Writes and commentates for Penn State men's basketball, men's soccer, women's soccer, women's volleyball, men's hockey and women's hockey, women's basketball

TALK SHOW HOST

CommRadio Sports | January 2020 - present

- Co-host of a weekly hour-long sports show "Broad Street Bros" on CommRadio, Tuesdays from 7:15-8:15
- Engages with audience by discussing hot topics, allowing callers, and being passionate and knowledgeable

COMMUNITY/RESIDENT ASSISTANT

The Meridian on College Avenue - State College, PA | October 2020 - Present

- Addresses resident questions/concerns
- Aids apartment complex staff in sanitizing/cleaning
- Files and assigns work orders
- Aids prospective renters with the leasing process

TEACHING ASSISTANT

COMM 403 Mass Media Law - University Park, PA | August 2020 - December 2020

- Assisted instructor during class with answers to questions and insight
- Helped adapt the course into remote Zoom sessions
- Graded student assignments
- Communicated with students regarding class and semester concerns
- Collaborated with fellow undergrad teaching assistants and graduate teaching assistant to schedule class review sessions

Education

PENN STATE UNIVERSITY

Bachelor's in Broadcast Journalism | Minor in Economics | Class of 2022

PENNSBURY HIGH SCHOOL

Class of 2018



Notable Skills

- 3.61 GPA
- Broadcasting on-air experience
- Production experience
- Social media management/marketing
- Experience with an important leadership position

